

#### Pet Evacuation Check List

Disasters and emergencies can happen at any time and without warning. As a responsible pet owner, it is important to have a plan in place to ensure the safety of your pets in case of evacuation. This includes having a checklist of essential items to bring with you, ensuring your pets have proper identification, and making arrangements for transportation and pet-friendly accommodations. By being prepared and following a pet evacuation checklist, you can help reduce stress for both you and your pets during an emergency situation.

# Documents

Upload all important documents on a cloud device so they are accessible anywhere. This would include:

- Veterinary records and contact information
- Rabies certificate
- Vaccination record
- Medical summary
- Prescriptions for medications
- Most recent heartworm test result (for dogs)
- Most recent FeLV/FIV test result (cats)
- Registration/licensing information
- Pet description(s) (ex: name, breed, sex, weight, etc.)
- Recent photographs for each of your pets with you
- Microchip information

### Provisions

- Supply of food for each animal stored in waterproof containers
- Supply of water for each animal
- Non-spill food and water dishes
- Manual can opener
- Feeding instructions for each animal
- Supply of any medications (if applicable)
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- One month supply of flea, tick, and heartworm preventative



# Other Supplies

- Leash, collar with ID, and harness
- Toys
- Appropriate-sized pet carrier with bedding, blanket, or towel (use towels and toys they are familiar with to ease stress)
- Pet first aid book and first aid kit
- Cleaning supplies for accidents (paper towels, plastic bags, and disinfectant)
- Litterbox and litter (cats)

## Contact Information

- Contact information for all individuals/organizations caring for your pets
- Contact information sheets for yourself that can be given to care providers so they can reach you
- Veterinarian contact information so they can provide advice to caregivers if necessary
- Cell phones and chargers
- Contact information for emergency centre for your municipality so you can stay up to date on evacuation orders

Calgary Humane Society offers emergency boarding in the event that families are not able to care for their pets during a natural disaster or owner's medical emergency.

Calgary Humane Society works in collaboration with other SPCA's and animal organizations to ensure we can provide safety to animals feeling if there is nowhere else to go.

Call 403.205.4455 for more information or to secure emergency boarding.