INTAKE POLICY

For The Love of Sam Inc. mission is to help animals in the local community and surrounding areas when in need.

Most of the animals come to us via crowded public shelters and Animal Control. We do have some animals that come to us as strays and owner surrenders.

***For Animals transferred from the local shelter***: we take in animals from the local public shelter when their stray hold is up and they need to make space for incoming animals. This is our first priority.

***For Stray Animals***: We will accept stray animals if we have space. We make every effort to reunite lost animals with their original owners by researching animals identified by tags or microchips. If none are present then we will use social media postings. We hold stray animals for the legally required period of time.

***For Owner Surrenders***: we will accept and take in owner surrenders if the space is available to do so. Since we are a home-based foster rescue, we have very limited spots.

Every animal is taken to the vet upon admission and their health is evaluated and vaccinations given. Then we will start the process of finding the animal a home or transfer to another rescue.