

# Feral Cat Evaluation

Animal I.D. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_ Intake done by \_\_\_\_\_

Day 1 – adjustment period – do not interact with cat (unless already appears friendly)

Day 2 (check all that apply) Observer initials \_\_\_\_\_

___ still hiding in box	___ fearful body postures (no aggression)	___ head butts cage front	___ able to pick up and hold
___ hissing/growling/spitting	___ neutral body postures (no interaction)	___ meows, chirps, blinks	___ able to carry to pen
___ charges the front of cage	___ relaxed body postures (no interaction)	___ stays up front when open door	___ fearful in pen
___ ignores you	___ comes to front with encouragement	___ able to pet with assess-a-hand	___ relaxed – explores pen
___ feigning sleep	___ comes to front without encouragement	___ able to pet with real hand	___ relaxed – social with you

Day 3 (check all that apply) Observer initials \_\_\_\_\_

___ still hiding in box	___ fearful body postures (no aggression)	___ head butts cage front	___ able to pick up and hold
___ hissing/growling/spitting	___ neutral body postures (no interaction)	___ meows, chirps, blinks	___ able to carry to pen
___ charges the front of cage	___ relaxed body postures (no interaction)	___ stays up front when open door	___ fearful in pen
___ ignores you	___ comes to front with encouragement	___ able to pet with assess-a-hand	___ relaxed – explores pen
___ feigning sleep	___ comes to front without encouragement	___ able to pet with real hand	___ relaxed – social with you

Day 4 (check all that apply) Observer initials \_\_\_\_\_

___ still hiding in box	___ fearful body postures (no aggression)	___ head butts cage front	___ able to pick up and hold
___ hissing/growling/spitting	___ neutral body postures (no interaction)	___ meows, chirps, blinks	___ able to carry to pen
___ charges the front of cage	___ relaxed body postures (no interaction)	___ stays up front when open door	___ fearful in pen
___ ignores you	___ comes to front with encouragement	___ able to pet with assess-a-hand	___ relaxed – explores pen
___ feigning sleep	___ comes to front without encouragement	___ able to pet with real hand	___ relaxed – social with you

Day 5 (check all that apply) Observer initials \_\_\_\_\_

___ still hiding in box	___ fearful body postures (no aggression)	___ head butts cage front	___ able to pick up and hold
___ hissing/growling/spitting	___ neutral body postures (no interaction)	___ meows, chirps, blinks	___ able to carry to pen
___ charges the front of cage	___ relaxed body postures (no interaction)	___ stays up front when open door	___ fearful in pen
___ ignores you	___ comes to front with encouragement	___ able to pet with assess-a-hand	___ relaxed – explores pen
___ feigning sleep	___ comes to front without encouragement	___ able to pet with real hand	___ relaxed – social with you

Disposition Decision

Made by: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ euthanasia    \_\_\_ barn adoption    \_\_\_ move to apartment    \_\_\_ move to PAC

Comments: