



Angel's Animal Rescue Society
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Angel's Animal Rescue Society Policies

When animals are picked up as a stray by members of the general public or by Angel's Animal Rescue Society (AARS), they are held for 10 days in order to allow the owner time to claim their pet. Proof of ownership must be received and a release form signed. Boarding charges will apply while the animal is in the care of AARS. For a friendly, healthy animal, boarding charges of \$15.00/day apply. If a dog is sick or aggressive, boarding charges of \$25.00/day apply. If vet care is necessary for the animals' wellbeing, we ask that AARS be reimbursed at the time of pick up for all expenses incurred that relate to the animal.

After 10 days, AARS will claim ownership of the said animal(s). The animal(s) will be tended to by a vet for vaccinations and spay/neuter and then added to our available adoptable pets. In order to reclaim after 7 days you will be asked to adopt the animal or pay all expenses incurred by the animal while in AARS care. This will include boarding and any vet care expenses.

It is the responsibility of the animals' person to do all that is necessary to find their lost pet by contacting vets, dog pounds and animal shelters. **AARS will post the found pet on the FaceBook Page and Social Media within 48 hours of receiving the pet.** It is the pet owner's responsibility to claim their pet from the city pound if it has been picked up by bylaw services.

Most pound facilities will house the pet for 72 hours before euthanizing or re-homing. If AARS has rescued said animal from the city pound and you wish to reclaim your pet, the adoption process must be completed and you will be considered as any other potential adopter.

* When AARS is contacted by the RCMP to collect an animal there will be a \$75.00 pickup fee in order to contribute to fuel costs and time.

* AARS only accepts cash for the above fees.