



## Central Dakota Animal Clinic “Re-Homing” Policy

Our #1 objective at Central Dakota Animal Clinic is to find good home for all strays that show up here at our clinic. We try to find the pet’s owner by using Rabies Tag #, pictures of the animal on Facebook or The Platte newspaper. When an animal is brought in by the city police, it is the owner’s responsibility to pay for boarding fees and the \$25 City Police charge for animal at large. If animal is not claimed they are put up for adoption after 4 days. A special fund pays for us to spay or neuter animals before allowed to be re-homed.

Re-Homing is determined by the following:

1. Person who brought the animal in has first opportunity to adopt.
2. List of names are kept at clinic of possible adoptive homes, being the first person to respond or call after commenting on a post does not mean you get first chance at a pet, we will CALL you if a pet comes available.
3. New owner must either be an active CDAC client who keeps their pet’s vaccinations up to date with a balance paid in full OR if not a CDAC client fill out a **reference application** to prove you would be a good home for a new pet.
4. Vaccinations for the pet will be the responsibility of the new owner and must be paid for at the time of adoption.
5. You are expected to keep the animal **feed, sheltered and all vaccinations up to date**. A reminder card will be sent to you when vaccinations are due. Please call for an appointment, please do not just drop in, we have a schedule so expect all clients to call ahead.
6. Thank you for your care and concern for stray animals - CDAC supports several local Rescue Shelters so can give you their name and number if you want to pursue adoption, they require references as well.