This animal has been made available for adoption even though they have not yet been spayed or neutered. In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, many veterinary hospitals in the province of BC are not providing elective surgical procedures such as spay/neuter.

We have not been able to access spay/neuter services for this animal due to lack of elective veterinary services in our community. I understand the issues outlined below:

- Normal BC SPCA policy is that all cats, dogs, and rabbits are spayed and neutered prior to adoption, but due to restriction of veterinary services during the COVID-19 pandemic, elective surgical procedures are not available in our community at this time.

- I agree to have my pet spayed or neutered as early as possible when elective veterinary services are available again in my community.

- I understand that I will be provided with a Spay/Neuter certificate, which will cover the costs of the spay or neuter surgery, but any other veterinary treatment this pet requires after the time of adoption will be my financial responsibility.

- I understand my spay/neuter certificate will be valid for a limited time: 2 months after veterinarians in the community are able to offer elective spay/neuter services again. The BC SPCA will contact me when their veterinary care providers inform them that regular services have resumed. If my pet is spayed or neutered later than 2 months after that date, I will be financially responsible for paying for the surgery.

- I have reviewed & understood the provided information sheet: Living with an Intact Cat, Dog, or Rabbit