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RABBIT SURGERY CONSENT FORM

1. PRE-OP SCREENING: Your pet is with us for a procedure that will require a sedative and/or anesthesia. For all rabbits, we **RECOMMEND** a pre-op profile to check for adequate numbers of blood cells and possible problems in the kidneys and liver, which may not be evident upon a physical examination. **(Cost approx \$55)**

YES -- Please complete recommended pre-op testing.

NO -- My pet is under 7 years old. I **DECLINE** recommended pre-op testing, but perform the procedure.

2. INTRAVENOUS CATHETER AND FLUIDS: We can help protect kidney function and maintain blood pressure with an IV catheter, through administration of fluids during anesthesia. An IV catheter also gives us direct access to the veins in the unlikely event of a crisis. We **STRONGLY RECOMMEND** that all rabbits undergoing anesthesia have an IV catheter. **(Cost approx \$68)**

YES -- I authorize the use of an IV catheter and fluids during my pet's procedure. **NO** --I decline this service.

3. PERMANENT IDENTIFICATION: We can implant a microchip on your pet for an ID that can't get lost! This simple procedure can be performed while your pet is here today. The cost for the surgical implantation of the chip is **\$63.00**.

Does your pet have a microchip? **YES NO** Would you like a microchip implanted today? **YES NO**

I hereby certify that I have read and fully understand this authorization for treatment. I am the owner or agent for the above described animal and have the authority to execute this consent. I assume financial responsibility for all charges incurred to the above patient and agree to pay all such charges when the animal is released from the hospital. I understand that in the event of an emergency my pet will have treatment provided at my cost and I will be contacted as soon as possible. I understand that any procedure, especially anesthesia, involves some risks and that results cannot be guaranteed. I understand that if the animal is not current on the combination of distemper and rabies vaccinations, this will be done upon hospitalization and added to the cost of the above procedure(s).

Date: _____

Signature of Owner or Agent: _____