Guide for Lost & Found Pets

DID YOU FIND A DOG?

1. Snap a few good photos of the dog, making sure to leave any collar on & to feature any identifying marks. Do not alter the appearance of the dog.

2. Call your city shelter and make a found pet report. Email them the photos. *Tell them if the dog is sick or injured.

3. Post photos of the dog on a Lost & Found Facebook Page for your community, as well Nextdoor and Craigslist. Be descriptive, include as much detail as possible & add how they can contact you.

4. Create colorful FOUND posters and post in a 1 mile radius around where the dog was found.

5. Walk the dog around the found neighborhood & see if anyone recognizes it. Most dogs travel less than a mile when loose.

6. Can you foster the dog? Great! If after 14 days the owner has not been found, you can rehome the dog. Many animal rescue organizations will allow you to foster through them & will help with rehoming.