

## **DOG BOARDING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Thank you so much for choosing Blue Dog Hiking. I am a small business and your support is greatly appreciated.

### **REQUIREMENTS OF YOUR DOG:**

I typically keep one guest dog at a time but will accept an additional one if all the dogs have previously been introduced via the hiking routine and enjoy each other's company. Your dog must be a regular hiker or at least understand the hiking routine to be a good match for dog sitting. **Dogs that I am unable to dog sit include any unfixed male, female in heat (out of season is OK), dogs with dominance issues, dogs with separation anxiety issues or resource guarding tendencies.**

### **START DATE:**

I will pick up your dog for dog sitting. Your dog will be picked up with the morning hiking group at the usual time between 7:00 am - 8:30 am. Please ensure your dog's packed food or other items are ready for me to take! If the morning hike is full, your dog will be picked up for the afternoon hike sometime between 10:30 am - 1:30 pm. If your start date begins on the weekend, we will decide a personalized time for me to pick up your dog.

### **END DATE:**

I drop off your dog on their final day. This will be between 10:00 am - 12:30 pm directly following the morning hike. Your bag that you packed will be returned to you. The hike on your dog's last day is free. However if you need your dog dropped off later than 12:30 pm you will be charged a half day. I must have contact-less entry to your house through the use of a key or code in case there are any problems with your arrival back to your home. I need to drop your dog off on time, but if you have any issues with your return home I am happy to come back to let your dog out or feed them for you!

### **WHAT TO HAVE PACKED:**

I own a large array of doggy supplies so you do not need to pack a lot of items. I have bowls, toys, treats, leashes, collars, etc. Generally the only items I need are your dog's food, any medications and if desired a text, email, or printed sheet with information on your dog's quirks and feeding schedule.

### **PAYMENTS:**

Your dog's dog sitting dates will be recorded and included on the regular monthly hiking invoice that is sent out via email at the end of the month. Cash or e-transfer is accepted.

### **MY GUARANTEE TO YOU:**

I provide excellent private home care for dog sitting. Your dog will be taken on adventurous walks that they so crave everyday and receive the type of stimulation that satisfies a dog. I have come to truly understand your dog's tendencies and needs and can accurately plan outings that they enjoy and excel in.