# Summer Heatwave Emergency Kit for Pets

Hi there, human! Jasper the Cat here. I may nap 16 hours a day, but even I know you need to prepare for summer heat.

This one-page checklist will help keep your furry family members safe, hydrated, and cool.

Because if it's too hot for you, it's even harder on your four-legged friend.

#### Water & Hydration

- Collapsible or non-spill water bowls (at least 2)
- 3-day supply of fresh drinking water
- Electrolyte-enhanced pet-safe hydration supplements
- Frozen water bottles or gel packs

### Food & Treats

- 3-7 day supply of dry or canned food
- o Manual can opener
- Airtight containers for food
- o Comfort treats

#### **Cooling & Shade**

- Portable battery-operated fan or misting spray bottle
- o Cooling vest, mat, or towel
- Umbrella or pop-up shade shelter
- Lightweight breathable crate cover

# Health & Safety

Pet first aid kit

- Medications with dosage instructions
- Flea/tick and heartworm preventatives
- Vet contact info and emergency clinic numbers

# **Documents & ID**

- Up-to-date ID tags and microchip info
- o Recent photos of you with your pet
- Vaccination and medical records
- o Emergency contact list

# **Travel & Comfort**

- o Leash, harness, or carrier
- Waste bags or litter box and scoop
- o Bedding or familiar-smelling item
- Muzzle (if required in shelters)

#### Miscellaneous

- o Pet sunscreen
- Booties for hot pavement protection
- Glow sticks or clip-on LED
- o Backup power bank

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