

FIRE AND SHADOW FORGE
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The Elder Protector Accord: Senior & Medical Waiver

At Fire and Shadow Forge, a senior hero's peace is worth more than a flawless haircut. Older pets have thinner skin and less endurance, and we prioritize Spirit over Armor above all else. We focus on relief and cleanliness, ensuring the journey is easy on their heart and their skin.

By authorizing this procedure, I acknowledge:

*** The Weight of the Journey:**

Grooming can be physically and mentally taxing. It may expose hidden medical issues or aggravate existing ones. I understand the increased risk of stress-related medical events.

*** Fragile Armor:**

I acknowledge that older pets have thinner, less elastic skin, which increases the risk of nicks, abrasions, or irritation. The Forge will prioritize safety over a "perfect" haircut.

*** The Integrity Guard:**

We do not perform de-matting on seniors. If the coat is matted, a Forge Reset (shave-down) is required to prevent unnecessary pain.

*** Cease-Fire Protocol:**

If the Forge team determines the stress is becoming dangerous, we will stop the service immediately. I agree to pay for all work completed up to that point.

*** Emergency Authorization:**

In the event of a medical crisis, I authorize Fire and Shadow Forge to seek immediate veterinary care at the nearest facility. I assume full financial responsibility for all medical costs.

The Final Shield:

I release the Fire and Shadow Forge from any liability regarding illness, injury, or passing related to my pet's age or health conditions during or after the service.

We reserve the right to refer any hero to a veterinary-based groomer if we believe the Forge environment is no longer safe for their current state.