NAME: Maurice

**GENDER:** Male

DATE OF BIRTH: Dec. 27, 2022

FUR LENGTH: Short

COLOR: Black and white



**Purrsonality:** Maurice is a relaxed and happy cat that is well-socialized with people and other cats.

Children? Maurice should do well with respectful children of all ages.

**Other cats?** Maurice is submissive towards other cats and prefers not to get into confrontations, so should be good with other friendly cats.

**Dogs?** Maurice has never been tested with dogs but should be adaptable if the resident dogs are calm and friendly.

**Background:** Maurice and female cat were found by a neighbor in an enclosed porch of a home in the Huntington area of Alexandria two weeks after the residents moved out. The neighbor told the rescuer he saw the cats outside two weeks before the people moved and there was a hole in the porch screen. So, it is unknown whether they were indoor/outdoor cats or strays that took shelter in the safety of the porch for the previous month. During their veterinary exams, Maurice was found to be very thin but otherwise healthy, and his companion was found to be pregnant. A cat rescuer in the neighborhood contacted 4Paws and fostered the two cats. Maurice was added to Meows Corner clowder because he is such a friendly kitty.

**Medical or special care notes:** Maurice has had vaccinations for rabies and distemper, is microchipped, and has been neutered. He has tested negative for FeLV and FIV. He is eating Fancy Feast classic pate and Purina One kibble. Maurice is slowly filling out and should be back to an appropriate weight soon.