



CENTRAL ILLINOIS SMALL ANIMAL RESCUE Family Companion Adoption Agreement & Contract

This agreement is made and hereby entered into, on this _____ day of _____, _____ by and between **Central Illinois Small Animal Rescue** hereafter referred to as “**CISAR**” and _____ hereafter referred to as “**Adopter.**”

The Companion Pet covered by this Agreement & Contract is a Dog Cat. CID # _____

In signing this contract the Adopter agrees to abide by “The Terms of Adoption” contained on the back of this document. In consideration of a donation of \$_____, CISAR _____ agrees to allow Adopter to adopt the Pet identified below under the terms set forth in this contract.

Name _____ **Breed** _____

Color/Description: _____ **DOB or Approximate Age** _____

Sex: Male Female **Rabies Tag #** _____ **Microchip#** _____

CISAR states that to the best of our knowledge, this Pet is current on all shots required for its age, is spayed or neutered, has been heart-worm or feline leukemia tested, dewormed, micro chipped, and given heartworm and flea prevention medication as indicated by the medical record and “**Future Medical Information Sheet**” supplied at the time of adoption.

Other: _____

By signing below, the Adopter affirms to have read, understood, accepted everything pertaining to this adoption as shown on this Adoption Agreement and Contract, and agrees to the adoption donation paid for by the method indicated below to be used for this adoption:

Name as on Credit Card if used (print) **Adopter’s Signature**

Street / Credit Card Billing Address **City** **County** **St.** **ZIP**

Home Phone **Work Phone** **Mobile Phone**

Date of Adoption **E-Mail Address** **Driver’s License/State ID Number**

Ck No. _____ MC VISA # _____ **Exp** _____ **Cash** _____

ADOPTER RECEIVED: Contract Copy _____ **RV Tag** _____ **RV Sheet** _____

Medical Record _____ **Micro Chip ID** _____ **Micro Chip Registration** _____ **Petco Doc** _____

Initial Here: _____ The Adopter may return the Adopted Pet to CISAR for any reason within **10 calendar days from the date of adoption**, and receive a refund of one-half (½) the adoption donation. Failure to return the Rabies tag with the Pet will result in a \$20.00 fee being deducted from any refund.

Terms of Adoption

- The Adopter may return the Adopted Pet to CISAR for any reason within **10 calendar days from the date of adoption listed on the front of the form**, and will receive a refund of ½ their adoption donation. Failure to return the Rabies tag with the Pet will result in a \$20.00 fee being deducted from any refund.
- From the date of adoption, Adopter agrees to assume all medical expenses, food, grooming, and any other costs associated with the Pet resulting from this Adoption with this possible exception. The Adopter will have the Pet examined by their Veterinarian within the first two weeks. If the Pet is determined to need medical care, the Adopter agrees to: 1) pay for any Vet care treatment themselves; 2) have the Pet treated by the CISAR Vet at no charge to the adopter; or 3) return the Pet to CISAR for a full refund of the adoption donation minus the cost of replacing Rabies tags that are not returned. Please note that CISAR **does not pay** for nor reimburse an adopter for any veterinary services performed outside of our program.
- **The adopter agrees that ownership of this Adopted Pet is NOT TRANSFERABLE and further that if for any reason they are unable or unwilling to continue to care for the Pet in the manner required by this contract, the adopter will immediately and at their expense RETURN THE PET to CISAR, at the Shelter address. In the case of a long-distance adoption, it is the Adopter's responsibility to transport the Adopted Pet back to CISAR in a safe manner. Additionally, any change in the medical condition of the Adopted Pet that might result in the death or the suggested death of this Pet must be reported to CISAR at either 309-287-3608 or 217-649-8453.**
- Adopter agrees to take this Pet to their veterinarian for a routine check-up at least once every year and at other times when needed and to follow the advice of their veterinarian, including recommendations on vaccinations, monthly heartworm prevention, and prevention of parasites, fleas, and ticks. The Adopter gives CISAR staff permission to verify this care by contacting and talking with Adopter's veterinarian.
- Adopter agrees to have an ID tag made and to attach it to the Adopted Pet's collar. **Adopter agrees to make certain the Pet wears its collar with ID tag at all times.** The information on the tag should be current and include at least Adopter's phone number. .
- Adopter agrees to license this Adopted Pet according to any local ordinances where they reside.
- Adopter agrees to feed this Pet a wholesome premium food and to have fresh water available to the Pet at all times. Generic food, store-brand foods, and no-name foods are not considered premium food.
- This Pet is being placed with the strict understanding that it is going to a private home to live as an **indoor** pet. The Adopter agrees that this Pet will reside in the home of the Adopter, not outside. The Pet will never be left outside and unsupervised if Adopter is not home.
- CISAR does not place any Adopted Pet they know has bitten without informing the Adopter of the incident. However, the Adopter is fully aware and does understand that **any Pet with teeth, whether a Dog, a Cat, or a Rabbit** may bite if provoked or if scared, sick, or injured. Therefore, the Adopter agrees to use caution when allowing any strange adult or child to be near this Pet. Adopter further agrees to never allow anyone to run up on, threaten, squeeze, poke, step on, or otherwise pose a perceived threat to the Pet and **will exercise caution about leaving a child alone with their new Pet.**
- CISAR reserves the right to enforce this contract in order to protect the welfare of the Adopted Pet. It is understood that CISAR may examine and make inquiry about this Pet.
- **If the terms and conditions of this Adoption Agreement are not upheld, CISAR reserves the right to terminate the agreement, to reclaim the Pet involved, and to inflict a \$2,500 fully enforceable penalty. Should CISAR need to seek legal action against the Adopter, Adopter hereby agrees that in addition to the \$2,500 penalty, he/she will pay for any and all attorney costs, court fees, and any other legal fees incurred in the process of enforcing this contract. Further, if it is found that Adopter has violated this contract by giving or selling this Adopted Pet to a third party, in addition to the \$2,500 penalty and in addition to all legal fees, Adopter agrees to pay any and all reasonable costs incurred and associated with getting the Pet back to CISAR at the Colfax, Illinois address. These costs include, but are not limited to, gasoline, travel expenses, hotel charges, meals, airline costs, possible reimbursement to third party, or ANY other cost incurred.**