

Transfer Of Ownership & Adoption Agreement

* First Name

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* Last Name

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* Email

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* Home Phone Number

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Cell Phone Number

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Gender

Date of Birth

* Current Address

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Current Address 2

State/Province/Region

* Zip Code and City

...

Country

Transfer/Adoption Agreement - for a Waggytail Rescue Pet

***This is an agreement for the adoption of:**

(enter pet's name)

***(hereafter referred to as "Animal"), a:**

Dog

Cat

***aged:**

(enter pet's age)

***between (hereafter referred to as "Adopter") and Waggytail Rescue:**

(enter full name of adopter)

BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT AND TAKING POSSESSION OF THE ABOVE NAMED ANIMAL, ADOPTER CERTIFIES TO HAVE READ, UNDERSTOOD, AND AGREED TO THE FOLLOWING:

The Adopter understands that the adoption fee is a donation and is not a sale price, and is non-refundable under any circumstances including if adopter returns the Animal. This contribution allows Waggytail Rescue to continue to save the lives of unhomed, neglected, and sick animals.

(enter initials below)

***Adopter will provide the animal with access to food, fresh water, affection, exercise, training, grooming, indoor shelter, and agrees to treat them like a treasured member of the adopter's family.**

(enter initials below)

***Adopter confirms they are adopting the animal for companionship and not for any other individual or organization and that this animal will not be used for fighting, protection, or for any form of profit.**

(enter initials below)

***Adopter agrees not to abuse or physically harm this animal in any way. Adopter agrees not to euthanize the animal except in the case of terminal illness, injury, or old age accompanied by pain and suffering. Euthanasia must be performed by a licensed veterinarian.**

(enter initials below)

***Adopter agrees to be financially responsible for this animal and provide proper veterinary care, including regular wellness visits and vaccinations, as well as any necessary emergency care due to illness or injury.**

(enter initials below)

***Adopter understands that with domesticated animals such as dogs and cats, that modifying certain behaviors may require training, expert advice, and patience. Adopter agrees to work with the Animal to modify any such undesirable behavior including, but not limited to: barking, aggression, house soiling, biting, scratching (people, furniture, woodwork), digging, mounting, urine marking, etc. - Adopter also understands that certain behaviors may never be entirely eradicated.**

(enter initials below)

***Adopter understands that pet adoption is a commitment for the lifetime of this animal which could be 12 years or more. Adopter agrees to contact Waggytail Rescue in the event their family or designee can no longer care for the animal. Adopter agrees that the animal will never be given to an animal shelter, research facility, or abandoned.**

(enter initials below)

***Adopter agrees that if any of the terms of this agreement are not satisfactorily met, Waggytail Rescue may reclaim this animal. Adopter understands that in the event they wish to return the animal, they must make prior arrangements with the rescue regarding date, time, and place and that any travel or boarding arrangements shall be at Adopter's expense.**

(enter initials below)

***Except as set forth above, Waggytail Rescue makes no representations, warranties or guarantees and assumes no liability for the health, age, sex, temperament, behavior, or condition of the animals available for adoption. Waggytail Rescue is operated for the benefit of the animals that we place. If any problems or questions arise as to the behavior or care of your animal, we welcome and encourage your inquiries.**

(enter initials below)

*** Waggytail Rescue has communicated everything known about this animal's health and behavior, based on medical records, vet visits, and notes from the foster, to the adopter. Adopter has acknowledged any pre-existing conditions and is willing to adopt the animal "as is." The Adopter assumes all responsibility for treatment of any and all existing and future medical conditions and/or any other physical, behavioral, or temperamental issues of the animal now and in the future.**

(enter initials below)

***Adopter hereby waives any claim against, and releases and agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Waggytail Rescue, its employees, agents, volunteers and fosters, from and against any and all liability arising from claims, demands, or causes of action, of any nature or kind, arising out of the adoption or adopter's actions or inactions with respect to this animal, accepting for themselves the full responsibility of any and all such losses, damages, injuries, and expenses.**

Adoption Fee

***If animal is unaltered, Adopter agrees to pay an additional \$100 refundable spay/neuter deposit. The Animal must be altered within 3 months from adoption day. Under special circumstances, exceptions can be made through communication with a Waggytail representative.**

(enter initials below OR enter N/A if animal is already altered)

***Adopter agrees to pay the following adoption donation/fee:**

Dogs less than 1 year = \$550 or \$650 (refundable fee of additional \$100) if unaltered. Dogs 1-8 years = \$450 or \$550 (refundable fee of additional \$100) if unaltered. Dogs 9 years or older = \$325 or \$425 (refundable fee of additional \$100) if unaltered. Cats = \$175 or \$275 (refundable fee of additional \$100) if unaltered. Pair of 2 Cats = \$300 or \$500 (refundable fee of additional \$100 each) if unaltered.

Proof of Identification

***Enter either driver's license state and number, or passport number below as proof of identification.**

***After submission of this agreement, I will email a photocopy of the above ID to adopt@waggytailrescue.org.**

Yes

Signature & Date

***I HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT, UNDERSTAND IT, AND AGREE TO ITS TERMS.**

Enter full name below to serve as electronic/digital signature.

***Date**

Enter today's date.
