



Rutherford County Cat Rescue

ADOPTION CONTRACT

Applicant name: _____ Driver's license#: _____

Address: _____

City, state: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Work phone: _____

Home e-mail: _____ Work e-mail: _____

Veterinarian: _____

Regarding the cat described as follows: Name of cat: _____

Tracking/med record _____ Age: _____ Sex: _____

Breed/color: _____ Description: _____

The prospective caregiver agrees:

1. Cats are to live in a private residence as companion animals.
2. To provide the cat with sufficient quantities of nutritious food and fresh water each day.
3. **Never** to strike or otherwise harm the cat.
4. **Never** to have the cat declawed.
5. Spaying or neutering is required by five months of age. If cat is not spayed or neutered prior to adoption, proof of surgery must be mailed to the original caregiver within 30 days of the procedure.
6. To ensure that the cat's vaccinations for rabies and distemper are current and to provide veterinary care upon sickness, disease or injury.
7. To give the original caregiver visitation rights to ensure that the terms of this adoption agreement are being observed.
8. If the cat must be relinquished for any reason by the prospective caregiver, s/he **MUST NOT** turn the cat over to a humane society, shelter or person, but must return the cat to the Adoptee. If the phone number and/or address for the original caregiver is no longer operative, the caregiver will make a good faith effort to locate and contact the original caregiver.
9. I understand that failure to perform the foregoing agreement will constitute a breach of contract. In the event of any such breach of contract, I authorize the original caregiver to reclaim possession of the adopted cat.

In return for the above conditions, the original caregiver agrees to allow the prospective caregiver to adopt the above mentioned cat. This agreement was executed at
City _____ State _____

ADOPTER

ORIGINAL CAREGIVER

SIGNATURE

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DATE

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