



Paws and People Rescue Adoption Contract

This adoption contract is entered into on (date) _____ between Paws and People Rescue and: (print full name) (adopter) _____

Paws and People agrees to place: Name of dog) _____

Breed _____ Color _____ Gender _____ age _____

Origin _____ Rabies tag #/date _____ Spayed/neutered _____

Micro-chip # _____ SNAP/heartworm date/result _____

Disclosure of specific physical or behavioral characteristics important to the wellbeing of the dog : _____

***Vaccinations, full medical treatment history while in the care of Paws and People, and those records available prior to the animal being with Paws and People will be disclosed in written form/ signed copies of records, at the time of this agreement. Specific known history will also be given to the adopter in written form. In signing this form the adopter agrees to have read these disclosures and have them in hand/copy.**

***In signing the adopter agrees to have read and understood the Rabies Prevention Brochure. The adopter agrees to keep a buckle collar with the animal's current rabies and identification tags on it at all times.**

***Adopter agrees in signing: To care for this dog in their home solely as a pet providing adequate food, water, shelter, love and attention. While outside this dog shall be maintained in an adequate enclosed area or on a leash at all times. Under no circumstances is the dog to be routinely tethered as a means of confinement. The dog shall not be allowed to roam at will.**

*** The adopter agrees in signing that at no time will the dog be transported in an open bed of a truck, or left in a vehicle when the outside temperature exceeds 70-degree Fahrenheit. The dog must be in a safe/healthy riding area with reasonable restriction while in any transport.**

*** The adopter agrees in signing to continue routine and necessary veterinary care, including inoculations for life.**

*** The adopter agrees in signing to care for this dog as a home companion. The dog will not be used for illegal purposes, it will not be attack or protection trained, used for guard work or for fighting. The dog will not be used for medical research or any other experimentation. The**

adopter agrees to care for the dog in a humane manner including but not limited to providing clean water, premium quality food, shelter, exercise and veterinary care for the duration of the dog's life. The adopter accepts this dog with all of its defects, observable or unobservable, and assumes all risk for the dog on signing.

*** The adopter agrees in signing not to sell/re-home, trade or dispose of this dog. If at any time they are unable or unwilling to care for this dog they agree to contact Paws and People to be returned.**

*** It is understood that the rescue service places the dog with no warranty as to the physical condition or temperament of the dog. The written proof of disclosure of medical and background records accepted in this contract by the adopter, allows for full agreement by the adopter in receiving the dog as he/she is.**

***Adopter agrees to notify Paws and People immediately by phone in the event this dog is lost or stolen, and at the time of its death. Rescue Service reserves the right to request and receive a veterinarian's "cause of death" statement.**

*** The adopter agrees in signing to promise to be solely responsible for this animal, and to indemnify and hold harmless Paws and People from any and all claims of liability for the conduct of this animal on or after the date of this adoption. This release of liability and indemnification shall apply to all known, and unknown and unanticipated damages resulting from this adoption, ownership and control of this animal.**

****I/We Hereby acknowledge that I/We have read and understand the above terms and conditions and will keep the dog described herein as a family member.**

****I/We acknowledge that I/WE have received all medical records pertaining to the adopted pet, as well as written disclosure of given traits, needs and uniqueness in physical and/or behavioral characteristics of this dog and do accept the dog as he/she is. I/We also agree that at the time of adoption the dog appeared to be healthy.**

Adopters name/names: _____

Address _____ Phone: _____ Cell _____

e-mail _____ Adoption fee paid _____

Signature of adopter in agreement with this contract:

_____ date _____

Signature of Paws and People representative: _____

date _____

Paws and People Rescue: Shirley Smithson, 1224 East 20th Street, Greeley, Co. 80631, phone: 970-353-1708 (or Cindy Hungenberg 970-978-5713)