

SADIE'S ANIMAL RESCUE & ADOPTION INC. ADOPTION CONTRACT
S.A.R.A. P.O. 112 Perryville, KY 40468

Name of Applicant _____ Age _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

Animal Name _____ Feline / Canine Altered: Y / N Male / Female Age _____

Variety/Breed/Mix _____ Color/Markings _____

I, THE APPLICANT am over 21 years of age, and am qualified to take custody of this animal. In consideration for releasing the above described animal into my care I agree to comply with the following terms as provided by Sadie's Animal Rescue & Adoption Inc. (hereafter referred to as "SARA"):

- 1 Pay SARA adoption fee
- 2 To allow SARA representatives to visit this pet at my home, after adoption, to confirm the pet's welfare. If welfare is in question, SARA will suggest changes (if appropriate) to insure the welfare of the animal. If applicant is either unwilling or unable to make such corrections, SARA will re-claim the animal.
- 3 To, at all times, provide this pet with kind treatment as well as proper food, water, shelter, exercise, vaccinations, and veterinary care
- 4 To immediately procure veterinary care for this pet should it become ill or injured
- 5 To treat this pet as a family companion
- 6 To properly restrain this pet at all times to insure the pet's safety
- 7 If this pet is a dog to be kept outdoors, I will provide it with a secure, fenced yard and adequate shelter. I will NOT restrain by chaining or confining in a small pen. I will not allow this dog to run at large.
- 8 If this pet is a dog, I will never allow it to ride unsecured in the back of a pickup truck.
- 9 If this pet is a cat, it will live in the house with my family. If I am unable, for any reason to continue to keep the cat inside, I will immediately return the cat to SARA. If the cat is specified by SARA as an outdoor cat, (only rare occasions) I will provide it with adequate shelter, such as a garage or barn or other, to protect it from the weather and predators.
- 10 If this pet is a cat, I will exhaust all methods of training before having it de-clawed. If I de-claw as a last resort, I will de-claw only front paws. Under no circumstances will I have the back claws removed.
- 11 I will not train this pet to fight or act in an aggressive or threatening manner to other animals or people.
- 12 To take this pet to the veterinarian on at least an annual basis and at any sign of illness or injury
- 13 To place the correct kind and size collar with ID tag stating my address and phone number
- 14 To never permit this pet to be used for vivisection, scientific, or lab experiments
- 15 If this pet is lost or stolen I will make every effort to recover the pet and I will notify SARA within 24 hours after the pet is lost.
- 16 To provide SARA with new address and phone number within one month of moving
- 17 To return this pet to SARA if I am unable to keep it for any reason. I will not sell or give this pet to any other person unless I receive written permission from SARA.
- 18 To release and indemnify SARA, from this date forward, from all liability concerning the health and temperament of this pet including all medical expenses, veterinary expenses, and all other damages involving me, this pet and any other people, pets or property.
- 19 I understand that if I break this agreement, the pet becomes the property of SARA.
- 20 I give permission for SARA to use pictures and first names in our newsletter or website. YES / NO
- 21 SARA will provide any/all information available, regarding records on said animal, including vaccination information.

I hereby agree to the above requirements set forth by Sadie's Animal Rescue & Adoption Inc and understand that the breach of any item on this contract will result in SARA re-claiming this pet.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Co-Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

SARA Rep's Signature _____ Date _____