



mewtopia
CAT RESCUE

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ADOPTION CONTRACT & AGREEMENT

Mewtopia Cat Rescue (“MCR/we/us”) a Tennessee non-profit corporation, and the undersigned (the “Adopter/you,”) in consideration of the mutual promise in this Agreement, intending to be legally bound by the Agreement, agree to the following terms and conditions:

The Cat/Kitten: We are placing the following described cat/kitten (the “Cat”) with you, the Adopter, for adoption by you as an indoor house cat.

NAME _____ GENDER _____ DOB _____

COLOR/MARKINGS _____ BREED _____

- Adoption Fee.** The adoption fee is a donation to help defray our expenses for the Cat’s food and veterinary care. The adoption fee is non-refundable under any circumstance. Any Donation you can make in addition to the adoption fee would be greatly appreciated. _____(Adopter Initials)
- No Representations.** You (the Adopter) acknowledge that MCR is acting as a Good Samaritan by rescuing homeless cats and adopting them into the best possible home. **MCR makes no representations or guarantees about the health of the animals it adopts out.** In addition, you are also aware that upon taking possession of the animal, the Cat(s) becomes your responsibility and you agree to be responsible for its behavior, health and any and all costs associated with this Cat (s) including vet costs. _____(Adopter Initials)
- Previous Convictions.** You affirm that you have never been convicted of animal cruelty, neglect or abandonment. _____(Adopter Initials)
- Care of the Cat.** You agree to provide the Cat(s) with adequate space within your house, fresh water, wholesome food, a clean litter box, and affection. **For health and safety reasons, you agree not to allow the Cat(s) outdoors.** You agree to allow MCR to conduct random home visits to verify the well being of the Cat(s.) A minimum 48-hour notice will be given before any visit. _____(Adopter Initials)
- Veterinary Care.** You agree to have the Cat(s) examined by a licensed veterinarian in case of illness or injury. You agree to contact MCR if said Cat(s) becomes ill within the first 10 days of adoption. _____(Adopter Initials)
- De-clawing Prohibited.** You agree not to have the Cat(s) de-clawed on all four paws. _____(Adopter Initials)

7. **Transfer.** You agree not to abandon, give away, sell or dispose of the Cat(s) in any way, except to a family member or friend who wants to adopt the Cat(s,) and who will provide the same care for the Cat(s) as you are required to provide under this Agreement. If for any reason the adoption does not work out, you may return the Cat(s) to Mewtopia WITHIN ONE YEAR of the adoption date. After one year, Mewtopia will evaluate the return request and reserves the right to refuse the request based on a number of reasons, including, but not limited to, lack of space, medical condition, age, etc. You agree that you may NEVER surrender the Cat(s) to any animal shelter. _____(Adopter Initials)
8. **Euthanasia.** You agree that you may not euthanize the Cat(s) except in the case of terminal illness or injury; and in that case, the euthanasia must be performed by a licensed veterinarian. _____(Adopter Initials)
9. **Breach of Agreement.** In the event that you do not comply with the terms of the Agreement, or the Cat(s) is abused or neglected, one of our remedies will be to recover the Cat(s) from you upon demand. _____(Adopter Initials)
10. **No Liability.** MCR, or any of its officers and members, is not liable to you or any other party for any losses, injuries, damages, costs, expenses, liabilities, lawsuits, or judgments whatsoever in connection with your adoption or ownership of the Cat(s.) You agree MCR will no longer be responsible for the health or behavior of said Cat(s.) _____(Adopter Initials)
11. **Entire Agreement, Modification, Binding Effect.** This agreement is the entire agreement between you and us and supersedes any prior understandings between you and us with respect to the subject matter thereof. No modification of the Agreement will be valid unless in writing duly signed by both you and us. This Agreement is binding on your successors, heirs, assigns, executors and personal representatives. _____(Adopter Initials)

This Agreement shall be interpreted and enforced in accordance with the Laws of the State of Tennessee.

I have read the preceding Adoption Contract & Agreement and agree to the conditions set forth this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Adopter's Name _____

Adopter's Name _____

Signature _____

Signature _____

Address _____

Phone number _____

City/State _____

Email _____

Zip Code _____

MCR Representative _____

Title _____

Signature (MCR) _____