

## **ADOPTION CONTRACT**

*Instructions:* Complete this contract and return to us in person or via postal service at P.O. Box 1332, Simpsonville, SC 29681 or email at sheltercca1980@gmail.com.

Adopter's Personal Information			
Name			
Spouse/Partner			
Street Address			
City, State, Zip			
Email			
Home Phone			
Work Phone			
Cell Phone			

Description of Animal					
In so far as it is the purpose of Concerned Citizens for Animals to promote "forever homes," for homeless animals, it is accepted on this day of day of in the year the above-named person(s) adopted the animal described below from CCA.					
Species	🗆 Dog	□Puppy	□Cat	□Kitten	
Gender	🗆 Male	Female			
Approximate Age or DOB					
Breed					
Name					
Color					
Distinguishing Characteristics					
Altered	🗆 Spayed	d 🗌 Neutered	□Schec	fuled	

Fee and Conditions				
Fee	🗌 \$150	🗌 \$100	□ \$75	
The above fee is accepted under the following terms and conditions:				
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• The animal is current on its vaccinations or the adopter understands follow-up shots (e.g., leukemia booster) are required and will complete the vaccination process with CCA's veterinarian at no cost to him/her.

## **ADOPTION CONTRACT TERMS & CONDITIONS**

In adopting the animal described within this contract, I agree to the following terms and conditions:

This animal will be humanely cared for including fresh food and water, appropriate shelter, veterinary care, love and respect.

This animal will be maintained in an adequately enclosed area or on a leash at all times. Felines will be confined strictly in the house. This animal will not be allowed to roam at will. I am aware that felines adopted from CCA have not been vaccinated for leukemia as CCA adopts to indoor homes only.

There are no restrictions or prohibitions on keeping an animal in the home, neighborhood, or on the premises. In cases where the home is rented, the landlord has given permission for the presence of an animal.

The animal will be checked and vaccinated annually with any other necessary veterinary care provided for infectious diseases, illnesses, or health maintenance as recommended by a licensed veterinarian and in accordance with any local ordinances. If under 4 months of age, you will be required to provide a rabies shot and provide proof to CCA.

If the adopted animal is lost or stolen, Concerned Citizens for Animals will be immediately notified.

The animal will not be sold, traded, turned into a shelter, given to any other individual or organization, or otherwise disposed of without the express written permission of Concerned Citizens for Animals.

The animal will not be put down without the express written permission of Concerned Citizens for Animals unless a licensed veterinarian deems it medically necessary or to end the animal's suffering.

If at any time the animal can no longer be cared for, Concerned Citizens for Animals will be immediately contacted and the animal returned to CCA.

The animal will not be used for medical or any other experimental purposes, used for fighting or any other inhumane activity, or sold/given to a pet store, supplier, or distributer.

It is understood Concerned Citizens for Animals may examine and make inquiries about this animal at any time, including a home inspection. If not satisfied with the condition of the animal or the conditions in which it is kept, CCA has the right to immediately remove the animal for placement in a different home. Any veterinary services needed due to negligence or lack of care will be the adopter's responsibility. Full payment for such services will be made to Concerned Citizens for Animals within 30 days of presentation of an invoice for charges.

Concerned Citizens for Animals makes no guarantees or warranties regarding the health or temperament of this animal.

Adopter(s) agree to be solely responsible for this animal and to indemnify and hold harmless Concerned Citizens for Animals, its employees, volunteers, and assignees from any and all claims of liability for the conduct of the animal on or after the date of this adoption. This Release of Liability and Indemnification shall apply to all known, unknown, and/or unanticipated damages resulting from the adoption, ownership, and control of this animal.

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## FOR ADOPTERS WITH NO CURRENT VET REFERENCE:

The animal will be taken to a veterinarian of the adopter's choice within 15 days of the date on this adoption contract. CCA will be notified of the date of visit and provided the veterinarian's contact information. This information will be added to the adoption application.

My signature below acknowledges that the information I provided is current and accurate. In addition, it acknowledges the terms and conditions contained in this three-page contract have been read, understood, and I accept the responsibilities described herein. I also understand this is a binding contract enforceable by civil law under the State of South Carolina.

Adopter's Signature	Date
CCA Representative's Signature	Date
CCA Representative's Position	
Applicable Attachments	

For CCA Use		
Approved Application		
Permission Letter from Landlord		
Animal Medical Records		
Other (Describe)		

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