

**PRIEST RIVER ANIMAL RESCUE**

**"People Helping Pets"**

***Adoption Agreement***

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**Pet Information:**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Pet: \_\_\_\_\_

Tag #: \_\_\_\_\_ Dog: \_\_\_\_\_ Cat: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Male: \_\_\_\_\_ Female: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Fee Received: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Cash: \_\_\_\_\_ Check: \_\_\_\_\_

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

**Adoptive Family Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Vaccination Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

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Other Medical: \_\_\_\_\_

I have given careful consideration to the responsibility I assume when adopting a companion animal. This is a commitment which could extend over the next FIFTEEN YEARS OR MORE. My lifestyle allows the time, patience, and expense needed to care for the adopted pet that, as a member of the family, will be dependent upon me for all of its needs.

In the event I am unable or unwilling to keep the adopted pet for any reason, I agree to contact Priest River Animal Rescue immediately to arrange its return. I understand that Priest River Animal Rescue will prosecute in the event an adopted pet from Priest River Animal Rescue is taken to a shelter, abused, abandoned, or sold for experimentation.

I understand that this is an adoption, not a sale, and that pet adoption agencies reserve the right to postpone, refuse, or rescind any adoption if the new home is found not to be in the best interests of the adopted pet. Priest River Animal Rescue reserves the right to conduct on-site inspection(s) of adopted pet's new home before and/or after adoption is approved.

Although Priest River Animal Rescue discloses all health concerns upon adoption and all adopted pets have received initial healthcare, we cannot guarantee the health of any pet placed for adoption. Priest River Animal Rescue is not responsible for veterinary fees incurred after the adoption date.

I understand Priest River Animal Rescue will not be held responsible for any bites or injuries sustained from an adopted pet.

**PRIEST RIVER ANIMAL RESCUE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO DENY ANY ADOPTION WE FEEL IS UNSUITABLE.**

- ◆ You must be at least eighteen years of age with proof of age and current address.
- ◆ You understand that the adoption amount is non-refundable.
- ◆ You understand that any false information given during the adoption process will result in nullification of the Adoption Agreement and legal actions will be taken.

Signature(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Approval of Staff: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Adoption Application

1. How did you find out about Priest River Animal Rescue? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Do you own \_\_\_\_\_ or rent \_\_\_\_\_ your home? If you rent, do you have the landlord's permission? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Landlord's name and telephone number:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Landlord's written authorization to adopt a pet is required.
3. Why do you want to adopt a pet? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What qualities does he/she have that make you feel it is the right pet for you? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. What do you think are the most important responsibilities in being the Guardian of a pet?  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. Please list the pets you have been the Guardian of for the past five years and how long you owned each one: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. Have you ever returned an animal to a shelter, given away an animal, or sold an animal? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_, If yes, why? \_\_\_\_\_
8. How do you plan to keep your new pet confined to your property? Put the **number of hours per day for all that apply**:  
\_\_\_\_\_ In the House      \_\_\_\_\_ Kennel or Crate      \_\_\_\_\_ Fenced Yard  
\_\_\_\_\_ In the Garage      \_\_\_\_\_ Patio Area      \_\_\_\_\_ Size of Fenced Yard  
\_\_\_\_\_ Tie-Out Chain      \_\_\_\_\_ Height of Fence  
\_\_\_\_\_ Other, Please Explain: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Where will the pet be kept during the day? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Where will the pet be kept during the night? \_\_\_\_\_
11. How many hours a day will the pet be unattended? \_\_\_\_\_ How much time will you have to spend with the pet each day? \_\_\_\_\_

12. Will you use your pet as a guard animal? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_, If yes, please explain:

13. What provisions will you make for your pet when you go on vacation? \_\_\_\_\_

14. Please list the other people living in your house and their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Do you have any animals now? Species: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

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16. If you could no longer care for your pet what would you do? \_\_\_\_\_

17. Are you financially able and willing to provide adequate medical care if your adopted pet becomes sick? Please be aware that a visit to a veterinarian could cost over \$100.00.

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

18. Do you currently have a Veterinarian? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ If yes,  
Veterinarian's name and telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

19. If the pet is a puppy/kitten, have you raised one before? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

20. How will you housebreak your pet? \_\_\_\_\_

21. What behavioral problems have you experienced with companion animals in the past and how did you resolve them? \_\_\_\_\_

22. Why do you think you can provide a good home for this pet? \_\_\_\_\_



**IMPORTANT, READ BEFORE SIGNING**

Initial each item once you have read and understood:

I agree to provide proper food, water, adequate shelter, and kind treatment at all times to the adopted pet. \_\_\_\_\_

I will not mutilate or make any permanent physical alterations to the adopted pet for cosmetic or human convenience. Alterations include, but are not limited to; tail docking, larynx removal, ear cropping, and declawing. \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to take the adopted pet to a veterinarian for routine examinations and immunizations as needed, and to procure immediate veterinary care, at my own expense, should the adopted pet become ill or injured.  
\_\_\_\_\_

I agree to license the adopted pet in compliance with the laws and ordinances in force for the municipality in which I reside. \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that Priest River Animal Rescue cannot guarantee the health, temperament, or training of the adopted pet, although, to the best of their knowledge the adopted pet is healthy and adoptable. \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to release Priest River Animal Rescue from all liability once the adopted pet is in my possession and realize that Priest River Animal Rescue will not be responsible for the adopted pet's behavior or be liable for any property damage or personal injury which the adopted pet may cause. I understand that it may be in my best interest to train the adopted pet myself and any negative behavior issues the adopted pet has are my responsibility. \_\_\_\_\_

I acknowledge that in the event of any breach of this contract, Priest River Animal Rescue will be entitled to all reimbursements available under this contract and Idaho law. \_\_\_\_\_

**I have read this entire page and I completely understand and accept the rights and obligations involved. I hereby acknowledge receipt of the above described adopted pet and understand that it is not a selling price, but a donation in exchange for medical and husbandry services provided by Priest River Animal Rescue.** \_\_\_\_\_

**BY SIGNING BELOW, I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS CONTRACT AND AGREE TO COMPLY WITH ALL CONTRACT PROVISIONS.**

Signature(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Approval of Staff: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_