



Dog name _____ breed _____ age _____

Sex _____ color _____ Adoption fee _____

notes _____ Date _____

INITIAL EACH NUMBER AS YOU READ AND AGREE

1. Small Dog Rescue is a **CASH ONLY** facility
2. We **DO NOT** offer **refunds** for any reason, once we have the adoption fee it goes directly to our vet and we can NOT get it back
3. You can return dog for EXCHANGE of another SDR dog within 10 days for any reason, if no available dog matches at the time of return you have a credit of your adoption fee for 3 months.
4. The dog you are taking home is FREE, your adoption fee is covering the cost of spay/neuter/parvo/distemper vaccine/rabies vaccine/vet check ONLY, and anything beyond this is your responsibility.
5. Adopter agrees that this dog looks healthy at time of adoption
6. The dog you are adopting **HAS BEEN EXPOSED** to kennel cough/upper respiratory infection, as most of our dogs are saved from high kill shelters. If your current dogs are not vaccinated they will likely get it as well. Please make sure your dog at home is fully vaccinated with bordetella/parvo/distemper/rabies before adopting a new pet. If your newly adopted dog gets coughing, sneezing, or other signs of kennel cough you can use your free vet exam to get a prescription for antibiotics. We do not cover the cost of kennel cough, or any other illness your new dog may get.
7. SDR is a nonprofit/no kill shelter, we ALWAYS take our dogs back for any reason throughout their lives. **You CAN NOT give/sell this dog to ANYONE for any reason**, you MUST return the dog to SDR if you are unable to keep this dog for the dog's life. You

must contact us before euthanizing any dog adopted from us if you have had the dog for less than a year. If you do give/sell this dog to someone **you WILL PAY** all court fees, and any other fees that we incur to get dog back to SDR.

8. **If you do not understand and agree to this contract DO NOT ADOPT A DOG FROM US, this contract is not negotiable and you must agree to and follow this contract.**
9. SDR has the right to do a home check before or after your adoption to make sure the dog is in the best home, and SDR has the right to remove this dog if not being properly cared for.
10. SDR does not adopt out dogs as outdoor pets, all of our dogs, **MUST** be indoor family members.
11. Adopter agrees to hold harmless SDR and anyone working with or volunteering with SDR. Adopter can **NOT** sue SDR or anyone involved with SDR for any reason.
12. **We do NOT guarantee health, age, breed, temperament, or training of this dog**, we can only tell you what we have learned in the short time we have had the dog, and based off of what we have been told by previous owner, shelter the dog came from, or vet that examined this dog.
13. Adopter agrees to put a tag on dog today, and if dog is lost to notify rescue immediately
14. Work and training will be needed with any dog coming into a new home, this dog will be scared, confused, and will need time to adjust and learn the new rules and wants of the owner. Adopter agrees to work with the adopted dog and give every effort including hiring a trainer before returning the dog for behavioral issues. **Adopter understands that dogs can chew, bark, dig, soil in the house, and exhibit other undesirable behaviors unless properly supervised, and trained.**
15. **IF THE DOG YOU ADOPT GETS SICK WITHIN 10 DAYS OF ADOPTION YOU CAN RETURN THE DOG TO US FOR TREATMENT OR EXCHANGE FOR ANOTHER DOG.**

Adopter name (print)_____

Adopter signature_____

Address_____

City_____ zip_____

phone_____

Email_____

Fosters name and phone number

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