

CAUSE 4 PAWS ADOPTION CONTRACT

Microchip # \_\_\_\_\_ Cat's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Adopter's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ St/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Color/Description \_\_\_\_\_ Adoption Fee \_\_\_\_\_

Adopter understands and agrees to the following terms:

1. Cause 4 Paws has limited information about the cat's background and origin. Cause 4 Paws does not warrant the cat's condition, behavior, prior ownership or title. If the cat is examined by a veterinarian within ten working days of the date of the adoption and found to require major treatment, the animal may be returned to Cause 4 Paws with a veterinarian's signed statement.
2. The cat will be given humane care at all times. I will not mistreat, neglect or abandon it or use it for medical experimental purposes. I will not resell it for profit. I will not have this cat declawed. **Should I be unable to maintain, or no longer desire to keep the cat, I will return it to Cause 4 Paws.**
3. The cat will reside at my address, as shown above, as **an indoor only pet**. I will provide the cat with proper veterinary care, adequate food, water, shelter and exercise. I agree to release Cause 4 Paws and its agents from all liability for damage or injury caused while the cat is in my possession.
4. Cause 4 Paws reserves the right to reclaim the cat when warranted because of neglect, abuse, inadequate home or veterinary care. The ADOPTER agrees to relinquish custody of the cat to Cause 4 Paws immediately upon request without legal writ or order.

**DISCLOSURE AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned, do hereby declare that I am aware that:

1. When children and cats are together they must be closely supervised for the safety of both;
2. Cats are different from human beings in their response to human actions;
3. The actions of cats are often unpredictable;
4. A cat's behavior may change after he/she leaves Cause 4 Paws and accustoms him/herself to a home or other environment; and
5. Cause 4 Paws makes no claims or representations as to the temperament, health, or mental disposition of any cat put up for adoption.

I hereby accept the possession of, title to (subject to the conditions of the above contract) and responsibility for the cat identified above and hereby release and discharge Cause 4 Paws forever from liability for any injury or damage to any person or property caused in the future by said cat, and from causes of actions, claims, suits, or demands, whatsoever that may arise as a result of such injury or damage.

Adopter's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Driver's License # \_\_\_\_\_

Cause 4 Paws Representative's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_