



Cat ID #

# CAT ADOPTION AGREEMENT

CAWS does not place pets on a “first come, first serve” basis. CAWS asks these questions to determine the cat most compatible with your lifestyle and to determine the most appropriate owner for each cat, ensuring a forever relationship. CAWS reserves the right to perform a home inspection prior to adoption and to approve or deny any adoption for any reason.

**To apply, you must:**

- ◆ Be 21 years of age or older
- ◆ Have approval of your landlord if you rent
- ◆ Be able and willing to spend time and money necessary to provide training, medical treatment and proper care for a pet.
- ◆ Have identification showing your present address
- ◆ Identify your veterinarian

## Pet Experience/History

Do you currently have a cat?	If yes, list breed, gender, age	Get along well with other cats?
Where will your new cat live (outside, inside, fenced area, garage)?		
Is it spayed or neutered? Current on shots?		
What cats have you owned in the last 5 years? List breed, gender, how long you had it, and what happened to it.		
Have you ever had a cat hit by a car?	If yes, explain	
Have you ever had a cat euthanized?	If yes, explain	
Have you ever returned, to a shelter/organization, a cat that you adopted? If yes, explain		
What other pets do you currently own (list type, age, if spayed or neutered and whether current on shots)?		
In case of injury, illness or death, what provisions will you make to care for your animals?		
Who is your veterinarian (name)?	City	Phone
Approximate date of last visit? Why?		

## Lifestyle

Why do you want a cat?	Companion to you <input type="checkbox"/>	Companion to family <input type="checkbox"/>	Companion to other cat <input type="checkbox"/>
	Companion to other dog <input type="checkbox"/>	Guardian/Protection <input type="checkbox"/>	Train as therapy Cat <input type="checkbox"/>
Do you have a breed preference, if so what type?		Do you have an age preference, if so what age?	
Do you prefer male, female or no difference? Are you willing to housetrain if necessary? What method?			



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I declare that all the information presented here is true and correct; and that I have not knowingly omitted pertinent information. I understand that CAWS reserves the right to file, with the proper authorities, to reclaim the animal if it comes to their attention that circumstances exist that would make the adoptive home unsuitable for the animal. I agree that if CAWS should determine that any of the provisions of this agreement have not been complied with, I will return the animal to CAWS upon demand. I understand that there may be history with the animal that is unknown to CAWS. I agree to furnish the animal with acceptable veterinarian care. If my situation should change and I must relinquish the animal, I agree to return it to CAWS if I am not able to find a suitable home.

## Owner Declaration

1. I agree to notify CAWS of any change of address or phone occurring within one month of the adoption	<i>Initial</i> _____
2. I agree to return the cat to CAWS if, I am unable or unwilling to care for it. The adoption fee will not be refunded after 30 days from adoption date.	<i>Initial</i> _____
3. I agree to care for the cat humanely, including but not limited to providing daily fresh water, good quality food, good shelter, exercise and veterinary care for duration of the cat's life.	<i>Initial</i> _____
4. I agree to notify CAWS immediately if the cat is lost or stolen.	<i>Initial</i> _____



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## Owner Information

Name:	Drivers License Number:	Date of Birth:	Phone:
Physical Address			
Mailing Address (if Different)			
Email Address			
Would you like info on being a CAWS volunteer or Foster Home?			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> or No <input type="checkbox"/>

## Animal Information

ID & Name:	Predominate Breed:	Age:	Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>	Neutered <input type="checkbox"/> Spayed <input type="checkbox"/>	Not Neutered <input type="checkbox"/> Not Spayed <input type="checkbox"/>
Description/coloring/distinctive markings				Foster Home:	YES <input type="checkbox"/> or NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Veterinarian:				Medical Records:	
Medical Issues Needing Follow - up:				Mailed <input type="checkbox"/> Given <input type="checkbox"/>	
Additional Special Requirements:				Rabies Tag:	

I/we hereby acknowledge that I/we have read and understood the above terms and conditions and understand that this is a binding contract enforceable by civil law.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature - Adopter Date Adoption Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature - Adopter Date \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature - CAWS Representative Date

## JUVENIAL SPAY AND NEUTER AGREEMENT

I agree to spay or neuter the cat that I've just adopted within the next 90 days. I have left a \$50 deposit in \_\_\_\_\_ Cash, \_\_\_\_\_ Check or \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card.\* I understand that CAWS will NOT return my deposit until I have provided proof of the procedure via a copy of my veterinarian's record by the deadline indicated below.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of new pet owner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Procedure date

\* CAWS will provide me with a spay/neuter coupon good ONLY at North Fork Veterinary clinic in Paonia. I understand that the coupon is good for 90 days and covers ONLY the spay/neuter procedure. I am responsible for additional vaccinations and boosters.