

ADOPTION AGREEMENT

HUMANE SOCIETY OF LAWTON-COMANCHE COUNTY

1. I will provide the adopted animal with a good and safe home. **Init:** _____
2. I will keep up with the pet's vaccinations and seek veterinary assistance in case of an illness or emergency. **Init:** _____
3. I have no objection against a Humane Society agent conducting a home visit prior to or following the adoption. **Init:** _____
4. If unforeseen circumstances occur, I agree to check with the Humane Society **FIRST** to see whether or not they have any fosters available to take the dog/cat in BEFORE offering it for adoption to anyone else. **Init:** _____
5. The Humane Society is strictly against de-clawing cats, de-barking dogs and cropping of the ears (dogs). This type of surgery is considered extremely cruel, and renders the animal totally defenseless when faced with danger. **Init:** _____
6. The Humane Society pets have already been altered or are scheduled to be altered upon adoption. If not altered, I agree to take the animal to its scheduled appointment or will have it altered within 90-days of the adoption date, otherwise I am responsible for the cost of having the animal altered. **Init:** _____
7. The Humane Society requests a **non-refundable** adoption donation of \$90.00 for cats and \$125.00 for dogs to help defray the cost of neutering/spaying, vaccinations, medical tests, and fostering expenses. **Init:** _____

Animal Type: Cat: _____ Dog: _____ Gender: _____ Altered: _____ Rabies Shot: _____

Name: _____ Birth Date/Age: _____

Breed: _____ Color: _____

Applicant's Name: _____

Address: _____ City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Occupation: _____

Residence: Own: _____ Rent: _____ If Renting Are Pets Allowed? Yes: _____ No: _____

Landlord's (Apts) Name/Telephone Number: _____

Children in Household? No: _____ Yes: _____ How Many: _____ Ages: _____

Reference (Name/Phone): _____

Reference (Name/Phone): _____

Veterinarian: _____

If adopting a cat, will it be kept: Indoor: _____ Outdoor: _____ Both: _____

If adopting a dog, do you have a fenced yard? Yes: _____ No: _____

If you move, will you take the pet with you? Stateside: _____ Overseas: _____

Do you own other dogs or cats? No: _____ Yes: _____ If Yes How Many? Dogs: _____ Cats: _____

List other animal types you own: _____

Have you previously owned animals? No: _____ Yes: _____ If Yes: Cat: _____ Dog: _____ Other: _____

(List type (s): _____ :

How long did you have them? _____

What happened to the animal(s)? _____

What are your reasons for wanting to adopt this animal? _____

8. I declare that the information that I have provided in this application is correct. I further declare that I am financially and physically able to take care of this animal to include food and veterinary expenses. **Init:** _____

9. If a home visit reveals falsification of any facts on my part, the Humane Society has the right to refuse or nullify the adoption and reclaim the animal from the premises without reimbursement of the adoption donation. **Init:** _____

10. Each year, the local animal shelter euthanizes over 4,300 cats & dogs, which have been abandoned or dumped by irresponsible pet owners. We strongly urge pet owners to neuter or spay ALL their pets in order to avoid unwanted litters, and to reduce pet population. If you are a resident of the city of Lawton you are required to register your newly adopted pet at the Lawton Animal Welfare Office, 2406 SW 6th Street. We are a local non-profit organization and any contributions, which are tax exempt, are greatly appreciated. We are not affiliated with the National Humane Society and do not receive money from them.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

***ADOPTION DISCLAIMER:** The Humane Society of Lawton-Comanche County makes a substantial effort to ensure that adoptable animals are in good health. It is possible however, that undetectable illnesses or conditions may be present or incubating at the time of adoption. That is why we recommend you take your new pet to your veterinarian for a checkup. Therefore, the Humane Society of Lawton-Comanche County does not make any guarantee as to age, behavior, breed, health, temperament or the ultimate size of any animal.

***We strongly recommend that adopted pets be taken to your local veterinarian for a complete health check!**

Humane Society of Lawton-Comanche County

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For Humane Society Use Only:

Adoption Approved: Initials: _____

Adoption Disapproved: Initials: _____

Reason Disapproved: _____

Payment: Cash: ___ Check: # _____ Square: _____ Amount: \$ _____

Date Payment Received: _____ Initials: _____

Remarks: _____

Shelter Impound# _____

Micro Chip# _____

Adoption Generated By: Petsense: _____ Website: _____ Facebook: _____ Petfinders: _____

Walk In: _____

Member Name: _____

PetSmart: _____