

HOMeward BOUND IN THE HEARTLAND**ADOPTION APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT**

PLEASE NOTE: Pets can live on average between 15-25 years. Basic Maintenance (Food, Litter, Grooming etc) can range \$40 and up per month. An annual vet check and vaccinations could average \$60 and up. We require all adopted animals to be spayed/neutered with adoption. Please also understand that by completing this application this is merely the first step towards adopting from HBH. By submitting this application, you are neither guaranteed nor obligated to adopt. This is merely the beginning of a process that will include vet references, person/phone interviews and a home visit.

Date: _____

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

D.O.B. _____

Dr. Lic. & State _____

E-mail Address: _____

Street Address: _____

City/Town: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Best Time To Call: _____

Occupation(s): _____

* How long have you lived at your present address: _____ (years / months)

* Do you own or rent your home: OWN or RENT * Do you have a fenced-in yard? YES or NO Fence Height? _____

* Select the type of Dwelling you live in:

House Apartment Condo Duplex Townhouse Other DESCRIBE: _____

Do you have any objections to a home visit prior to taking your adopted animal home? _____

If yes, please explain: _____

* If you move what will you do with this pet: _____

* Where will the pet be kept

During the day: _____

During the night: _____

When no one is home: _____

When on vacation: _____

On average how long will this pet be left alone each day: _____

* Does anyone in the household have allergies to dogs/cats? YES NO

* Who will be responsible for this pet: _____

**Note: No child under 18 years of age can/should be responsible for this pet! NO EXCEPTIONS!

* Will this dog/cat be: Indoors On Both Indoors & Outdoors

* Please provide name and contact information for your veterinarian, or the one you will use with this pet:

Vet Clinic Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

* Please list TWO references I may contact regarding this adoption:

Reference #1:

Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone Number: _____
E-mail Address: _____

Reference #2:

Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone Number: _____
E-mail Address: _____

* Please list all pets you have owned in the last five years:

Please list all pets (cat, dog, etc) including breed, age and gender that currently live in the household:

Type	Breed	Age	Spay or Neuter?	Gender

* If you have lost a pet or it died at an early age or due to an accident, please provide details:

* Have you ever sold, given away or euthanized a pet, please provide details:

* Have you ever surrendered a pet to a shelter or rescue group? please provide details:

* Describe your reason for wanting to adopt a dog/cat:

* Have you filled out an application with other rescue organizations?

YES NO

List Organization: _____
List Organization: _____

Did you adopt? _____
Did you adopt? _____

* If you did NOT adopt, explain why?

* Are you willing to donate an Adoption Fee? YES NO

* Adoption Fees....are as follows:

***Adoption fees are non-refundable, please understand that all fees are used to cover medical expenses of rescued animals.*

Dog	_____	TOTAL	_____
Cat	_____	TOTAL	_____

Under no circumstances will this dog/cat/kitten ever be abandoned, or sold, leased, or given away to any pet shop, humane society, pound, shelter, research facility, rescue group or euthanized for behavioral problems. If for any reason and at any time the Adopter cannot or does not want to keep dog/cat/kitten, the Rescuer will be notified immediately PRIOR to any disposition of said dog/cat/kitten. Rescuer then has the option to a) to take back dog/cat/kitten, or b) to help find another suitable home.

Rescuer will be allowed to make follow-up phone calls and/or home visits to assure adoption was a successful match. Failure to stay in contact or refusing to stay in contact with Rescuer will be a breach of this contract and Rescuer has the right to terminate this Adoption Agreement and retrieve adopted animal. If Adopter refuses to surrender adopted animal, Rescuer will file legal action against Adopter for return of said animal and Rescuer will be entitled for reimbursement of any and all legal expenses paid out in this action.

By submitting this form you are certifying that all information contained above is true and correct. That you are over 18 years of age and the person responsible for making pet decisions in your family. That you are looking to adopt a pet, give it a good and loving home as a pet owner and accept full responsibility for his/her care.

***The Adopter has read the above paragraphs and understands the terms of this Adoption Agreement - _____ (Initial)*

I agree to abide by all state and local pet control laws. I understand it is my responsibility to become familiar with these laws.

Signature of Adopter: _____ Date _____

Signature of Rescuer: _____ Date _____

THIS ADOPTION WAS PROVIDED BY:

NAME: Joni Cisney

Director/Coordinator

PHONE CELL: 402-706-7313

EMAIL: anthonyandjoni@msn.com

Animal Adopting: _____	Age: _____	Sex: _____
Vaccinations: _____	Scheduled Date for Spay/Neuter: _____	
Breed/Color/Markings _____		