

Cat: \_\_\_\_\_

Adoption date: \_\_\_\_\_

Vaccines: \_\_\_\_\_

Loaned: \_\_\_\_\_

## Parker's Animal Rescue

P.O. Box 4438 Durango, CO 81302

970-769-2584

### **ADOPTION AGREEMENT**

This Adoption Agreement is entered into on the date set forth below between Parker's Animal Rescue (PAR) and \_\_\_\_\_ (Adopter). The Adoption Application provided by Adopter is incorporated herein and is made part of this Adoption Agreement. In consideration of the \$110.00 non-refundable non-transferable adoption donation provided to PAR by Adopter and the representations made by Adopter to PAR, PAR agrees to adopt out the PAR cat described below from PAR to Adopter, pursuant to the following terms and conditions.

**Neutering/Spaying:** Colorado Law requires all rescue cats to be spayed or neutered by a licensed veterinarian prior to adoption unless expressly exempted by the Colorado Commissioner of Agriculture.

**Health and Welfare of PAR Cat:** The health and welfare of PAR cats is of primary importance to PAR. Your PAR cat's optimum health must be maintained through the feeding of quality cat food, maintenance of proper weight for cat's build, adequate water, shelter, and annual exams and vaccinations by a licensed veterinarian. If any health conditions or medical concerns arise within the first ten (10) days after adoption, Adopter will contact PAR. PAR may, in its sole discretion, provide or assist with vet care, but such vet care must be provided by Aspintree Animal Caring Center of Durango. If Adopter chooses to seek vet care from a provider other than Aspintree Animal Caring Center of Durango, PAR will not be responsible for any charges incurred.

**Identification:** Your PAR cat must be licensed and tagged in accordance with local laws and wear personal identification as well. PAR will microchip prior to adoption.

**Loss:** If your PAR cat is lost or stolen, you must notify PAR immediately.

**Returning PAR Cat:** PAR makes reasonable efforts to pair Adopters with an appropriate cat. However, Adopter is ultimately responsible for its PAR cat and Adopter agrees that it has thoroughly considered potential constraints that may impact Adopter's ability to provide lifelong care to this cat (e.g. housing, financial commitment and behavior requirements).

If adopter decides to re-home, surrender, euthanize, sell/give away their PAR cat, they agree to first contact PAR to discuss such options. When feasible, PAR may agree to take back the PAR cat (In this event, no fees shall be refunded to Adopter). PAR may also authorize in writing the transfer of PAR cat.

**Post-Adoption Action by PAR:** Adopter agrees and PAR reserves the right to visit Adopter's home and/or contact Adopter's veterinarian, at any time after the adoption, to follow-up on the welfare of the PAR cat and confirm that Adopter is complying with the terms and conditions of this adoption. If Adopter fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this adoption, or if PAR determines that any false information was provided to PAR by Adopter, PAR may terminate the adoption and retake possession of the PAR cat. If PAR terminates the adoption, there will be no refund of the \$110.00 adoption donation. If it is necessary for PAR to retain an attorney or take

