

ANCHORS UP RESCUE GROUP ADOPTION AGREEMENT

The parties hereto agree that the owners shall abide by the following conditions: NAME the dog, hereinafter referred to as the dog, is being transferred to the adopting owner: NAME with the understanding that the adopter is taking possession of the dog, to treat and to be responsible for it as their own dog. The dog will be treated as a family member with loving care and affection. I will do my best to ensure the dogs safety and well-being. I/we will feed the dog at least twice a day and will provide a fresh supply of water at all times. The dog will live inside my home and will not be isolated from the family. I will take him with me shall I be gone longer than 10 hours. I will NEVER let my dog run loose or roam, keep him chained, caged or tied up, keep him continuously in a yard, garage, patio, balcony, or pen, or leave my dog outdoors, even in a fenced yard, when no one is at home. I will not use him for any purpose other than companionship. I will not have the dog's ears cropped nor will I have its tail docked. I will not alter the dog in any way other than monthly grooming upkeep. I will never allow any physical, mental, or emotional abuse of the dog. I will take the dog to a licensed veterinarian when shots are due (September 2017) but in no event, later than one year from the last vet visit. I will provide all required and/or needed veterinary care, including: rabies shots as required every one or three years; yearly booster shots for DHLPPC; yearly fecal checks for internal parasites (worms); and prompt treatment by a licensed veterinarian for any illness or injury. The dog will be given heartworm preventative tablets every month, all year long. (Not necessary in Las Vegas) but I will have a heartworm test given every year.

I/we affirm that no member of my household has been convicted of an animal welfare law violation such as neglect, cruelty, abandonment etc. I will ensure proper licensing of the dog and will attach the appropriate license tags, rabies tag, AURG (Anchors Up Rescue Group) tag, and personal identification tag to a comfortable non-choke collar to be worn at all times. I will ensure compliance with all applicable local and state statutes. I am adopting the dog for myself and I agree to not give away, sell, or trade my dog, even as a gift to a friend or family member. I will neither take the dog to a shelter nor abandon him. I understand that I must notify AURG, without delay, if I can no longer care for or keep my dog and agree to give AURG reasonable time to rehome my dog or place my dog in an approved foster home, if available. I must notify AURG of any behavioral problems that have occurred at any time before I return my dog and I agree to pay for a professional trainer's evaluation in case of biting or aggression. I agree to accept responsibility and ownership of the dog at my own risk and I release AURG and its agents from any and all liability arising out of possession and ownership of my dog. I agree that I am assuming total financial responsibility for my pet as of the date of this contract. AURG and its agents will not be held responsible for any damages or expenses (veterinary or other) incurred during my ownership of the dog. I agree to take the dog to obedience training classes if Need be. In the event the dog becomes lost or dies, no matter how many years I have had the dog, I will immediately notify AURG. I will also immediately notify AURG of any change of contact information (address, phone number, or email address). This dogs known background and medical history have been discussed with me, to the extent of known information. I understand that AURG has made no representation concerning the health, condition, training, behavior, or temperament of the dog. I agree to permit AURG to make inquiry about and enforce any of the above conditions and requirements at any time after adoption. This can include visits to my home and contact with my veterinarian. I UNDERSTAND THAT FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE PROVISIONS WILL RESULT IN FORFEITURE OF THE DOG TO AURG and possible lawsuits if it is found to be neglectful behavior. I understand that by voluntarily signing this agreement, I am entering into a legal and binding contract with Anchors Up Rescue Group. Breach of any term(s) of this agreement is deemed actionable by AURG. In the event, there is a violation of the agreement, I agree to pay a minimum of \$500.00 in damages. Additionally, in order to facilitate the collection of damages for breach of contract, I waive any challenge to venue and agree that the appropriate venue for this matter be Clark County Nevada. Furthermore, I agree to accept service of process by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the address provided in this adoption contract, and specifically waive any right to receive personal service. By signing, I am agreeing to the terms and conditions outlined in this document and promise to adhere to them for the well-being of NAME the dog.

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