

OFFICE USE ONLY

Name of animal adopted: _____ Microchip # _____
Breed: _____ Gender: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Color/markings: _____
Date of adoption: _____ Foster Family _____
Adoption fee: _____ Verification of ID:

Cat Adoption Application

Thank you for your interest in adoption, we truly appreciate your effort in helping us to save lives. This application will be followed by an interview.

Please note: all answers on this application will be reviewed and checked against public records. Being honest, to the best of your ability, is the best strategy.

We are fully committed to finding happy, healthy, responsible, and lifelong homes for the animals in our care. These pets have been rescued from certain death therefore we are exceptionally careful with their placement. One must be at least 18 years of age with an income appropriate to cover the cost of basic pet ownership, along with being capable of a 15-20 year commitment of care for all the life stages of your pet. A home visit and/ or veterinary references may be required in addition to any other required documents.

PLEASE ANSWER EACH QUESTION COMPLETELY

Date of Application: _____

Your Name: _____

Street: _____ Apartment: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Home #: _____ Work #: _____ Cell #: _____

Email address: _____

Best time to call: _____

Do you know someone who wants a barn/garden kitty? (No cost, fully vaccinated, altered and tested)

Would you like to foster a kitty or know someone who would? _____

Emergency Contact (Someone who does NOT live with you)

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Home #: _____ Cell #: _____

How long have you lived at your current address? _____

Please list the nearest cross street: _____

Housing Type: House Condo Apartment Mobile Home Dorm
And I live with: Alone Family Parents Other Roommate

I own Purchase Date _____ I Rent Estate

If you rent, have you paid the pet deposit? YES NO

Landlord name/phone #: _____

(Please attach landlord permission for pet)

If you have lived at your current address less than a year, what was your previous address?

Are you employed? Fulltime Part time Not employed How long? _____

Employer: _____

Is your spouse employed? Full time Part time Not employed How long? _____

Spouses Employer: _____

How did you hear about this animal? _____

Are you aware and willing to spend approximately \$850 per year to keep a cat? YES NO
By adopting do you expect this to be a lifelong commitment or will there be any personal/ living changes that would make you return this pet?

Do you anticipate any major lifestyle changes (moving, marriage, new baby, new job?) YES NO

Please explain: _____

Are your pet(s) neutered or spayed? YES NO

If you presently own cats, have they been tested for FIV and Leukemia? YES NO

FIV test: Positive Negative Leukemia test: Positive Negative

Name of Veterinarian that performed tests: _____

Veterinarian phone number: _____

Are your pet(s) current on ALL shots? YES NO

Do you have a regular veterinarian? YES NO

Veterinary for your new pet:

Veterinarian's name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

May we contact the veterinarian to verify the above information? YES NO

Personal Questionnaire

Does any member in the household have allergies to pets? YES NO

Was your entire family involved with selecting the new pet? YES NO

How long have you been thinking of adopting? _____

How long do you plan on keeping this pet? _____

Reason(s) for adoption: Gift Companion Mouser For a child Companion for other pet

Other reason for wanting to adopt: _____

Where will your cat be kept during the day? _____ Night? _____

Would any of your neighbors object to your cat spending time in their yard? YES NO

If they did object, what would you do? _____

Where will the pet be kept when alone? _____

Who will care for the pet(s) should you go on vacation? _____

Which member of the household will hold primary responsibility for caring for your pets?

Feeding: _____ Training: _____ General Care: _____

Do you plan on letting your cat outdoors? YES NO

After bringing your new cat/kitten home, how long until they are allowed outside? _____

Which best describes the vehicle traffic outside your residence? Heavy Medium Light

Have you ever applied to a rescue or shelter before? YES NO

Have you ever adopted from other rescue organizations or a shelter? YES NO

Please list names of organizations: _____

Where is the pet now? _____

Have you ever surrendered any animal to an animal shelter before? YES NO

If so, what was the reason? _____

Has anyone in your home been convicted of a charge related to cruelty to animals or child abuse?

YES NO

Are there any abuse, neglect, or criminal charges pending? YES NO

Have you ever had to find another home for one of your pets? YES NO

If yes, why? _____

How did you do that? _____

Do you intend to declaw? YES NO Front paws only: YES All four paws: YES

It may take up to a month or longer for your new pet to adjust to its new home. Are you prepared

to allow this much time? YES NO

Cats often live longer than 15 years.

Are you ready to take responsibility for the cat's entire life? YES NO

If a behavior problem arises, what steps will you take to work it out?

Please check any behaviors that might make you return this cat:

Allergies Moving Change in marital status Graduation New baby

Destructive behavior Aggressiveness Vet bills Not the right personality

Vacation plans House-training Job change Scratches furniture

Not getting along with current pets Cat hair on furniture or clothing

Description of your Ideal Kitty:

Age

Kitten (6 months and less)
 Juvenile (7 - 18 mo)
 Adult (18 mo - 5 yrs)
 Mature (5+ yrs)

Coat

Short
 Medium
 Long
 No preference

Energy

① — Calm
 ② ...
 ③ — Playful
 ④ ...
 ⑤ — Energized

Gender

Female
 Male
 No preference

Current Pets

Name of pet	Species/Breed	Age of Pet	Years Owned	Spayed/ Neutered	Declawed	Where was this Pet kept	Do you still have this pet	What happened to this Pet	Licensed
				Yes / No			Yes / No		Yes / No
				Yes / No			Yes / No		Yes / No
				Yes / No			Yes / No		Yes / No
				Yes / No			Yes / No		Yes / No
				Yes / No			Yes / No		Yes / No

Previous Pets (last 10 years)

Name of pet	Species/Breed	Age of Pet	Years Owned	Spayed/ Neutered	Declawed	Where was this Pet kept	Rehomed / Passed	Cause	Licensed
				Yes / No			Rehomed		Yes/ No
				Yes/ No			Passed		Yes/ No
				Yes / No					Yes/ No
				Yes/ No					Yes / No
				Yes/ No					Yes/ No

You & Your Household

Cat Experience	Household Members	Atmosphere	Cat Will Be Alone	Cat Will Live
Never had a cat	# Adults 17-21 yrs	<input type="radio"/> Quiet/Calm	Rarely - Someone is always home	Inside
Grew up with cats	# Adults 22 - 60 yrs	<input type="radio"/> Moderate		
1st cast as an adult	# of Children	<input type="radio"/> Active		
1 or 2 cats as an adult				
Many cats as an adult	Ages of Children:	<input type="radio"/> Lively	Part-time - Alone 3 - 5 hours a day	Inside/Outside
			Full-time - alone 6 - 8 hours a day	Outside

C.C.A. Adoption Contract

Community Cat Advocates
Gabby's Animal Rescue
Visalia 93277 (559) 737-8888
Gabbysanimalrescue@hotmail.com

Community Cat Advocates, in partnership with Gabby's Animal Rescue reserves the right to confiscate any pet it has adopted to any applicant giving false information on this application. You are authorizing verification of all statements in this application including, but not limited to veterinarian, personal references, and landlord. We reserve the right to deny adoption to anyone who, in our opinion, will not provide suitable and responsible home for this pet.

Please read carefully and initial the following:

_____ I agree that all information on this application is true.

_____ I consent to verification of all the information I provided in the adoption application by Community Cat Advocates/ Gabby's Animal Rescue.

_____ I agree to provide proper shelter, nutrition, regular veterinary care, emergency care when needed and a safe environment for the life of the cat.

_____ I agree to keep this cat as a companion and to devote the time necessary to provide for its comfort, safety, and happiness.

_____ I will follow integration instructions and timeline from adoption counselor.

_____ If I find I cannot keep this cat, I agree to return it to Community Cat Advocates.

_____ I agree that if the said adopted animal is relinquished/lost/found to animal shelter/person or party Community Cat Advocates will assume custody of the said animal.

Should I fail to carry out the agreements I have made as part of this contract, or should any of the statements I have made be found to be false, I agree to surrender the cat/kitten adopted through CCA back to said organization upon demand.

Adoption Fee

Community Cat Advocates charges an adoption fee when you adopt a kitten or cat. This helps cover the cost of medical examinations and care to date, spaying or neutering, appropriate vaccinations, testing for feline leukemia, feline aids, microchipping as well as provide care for community cats. This fee is payable in cash only.

_____ I understand that the adoption fee is non-refundable.

Please know that Community Cat Advocates strives to adopt out healthy and happy kitties. Our organization tests all kittens for FeLV and any over 6 months for FIV. Unfortunately, at this current time, there is no test or vaccination for Feline Infectious Peritonitis. Community Cat Advocate does not breed or buy animals, but rescues them out of shelters and off the streets. Since we have no knowledge of the animal's background or breeding, it is difficult for us to anticipate any health issues which may arise. You will have 14 days after the adoption date to have this cat/kitten taken to a vet for further examination or testing at your own cost. In the case of health issues being discovered during this time the animal may be returned to the care of Community Cat Advocates and a full refund will be issued to the adopter.

I agree to pay this fee at the time of adoption (cash only) and understand that it is non-refundable. I have read the above and agree to adopt the cat under these terms.

Signature _____ Date _____