



## Adoption Contract

and Release of Liability and Indemnification

I,  First Name  Last Name  , of  Street Address  City   
 Province  Postal Code  Area Code  Phone Number  (the "Adopter"),  
wish to adopt the dog described as  Dog's Name  , on the terms and conditions  
contained herein.

For  Please Select  (THE "ADOPTION FEE"), AND FOR OTHER GOOD AND  
VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the sufficiency of which is acknowledged by the parties  
hereto, the Adopter hereby agrees with Adopt-a-Dobe Rescue Society ("Adopt-a-Dobe") as  
follows (please initial each term):

*Initials must be drawn inside each box using a touch screen or computer mouse.*

TO care for this pet humanely (including providing adequate food, water, shelter, love,  
attention, exercise and boundaries). Said pet shall be maintained in an adequate enclosed  
area, on a leash, or under control by way of recall at all times. Pet shall not be allowed to  
roam at will. \*

Clear

THIS pet will not be isolated for long periods. It shall not be chained or tied at all, nor  
confined other than for short periods as occasionally necessary to a pen, run, or other  
enclosure. \*

Clear

THIS pet shall never be used as guard dog. All dogs will loyally warn and defend, but it's  
not their primary purpose, which is to be loved, respected, and included in its family  
circle. \*

[Clear](#)

TO give reasonable protection of this pet from the uneducated behavior of children and adults, and conversely, of children and adults from this pet. I understand and acknowledge that this pet has only been tested for dog/human aggression as ethically possible; however, I understand the extent (if any) of this aggression. I will be sensitive and diligent regarding the safety of other animals and people. I will assume all risks associated with this assessment. \*

[Clear](#)

TO vaccinate with necessary inoculations or titer test as recommended by my veterinarian, and as local ordinances require. \*

[Clear](#)

TO provide necessary and essential veterinary care, as required. \*

[Clear](#)

TO notify Adopt-a-Dobe if said pet becomes lost or stolen. \*

[Clear](#)

TO register the microchip of said pet within 30 days of adoption if not already done, and to list Adopt-a-Dobe as an alternate contact on pet's registration. Adopter will license pet as required by their municipal bylaws. Any applicable costs are the responsibility of the Adopter. Adopter agrees to update microchip and license information within 30 days of any change in address or contact info. \*

[Clear](#)

NOT to use any punitive training methods including, but not limited to, hitting, harsh leash corrections, pinning, alpha rolls, etc. This also prohibits the use of any prong, pinch, choke, or shock/e-collar without consulting Adopt-a-Dobe for a training/behavior discussion. \*

[Clear](#)

NOT to sell, trade or dispose of this pet. If, at any time, I am unable OR unwilling to care for this pet, I agree to contact Adopt-a-Dobe to discuss possible options. \*

[Clear](#)

THIS pet shall not be euthanized for reasons of behavior unless discussed with and agreed to by Adopt-a-Dobe. \*

[Clear](#)

THE adoption fee must be paid in full at time of adoption and is non-refundable. Adopting a pet is a serious commitment which is reflected in this policy. \*

[Clear](#)

THAT the said pet shall not be used for medical or any other experimental purposes, sold or given to a pet store, supplier or wholesaler. \*

[Clear](#)

THAT we will notify Adopt-a-Dobe within 14 days of any change of address or phone number, for the lifetime of said pet. \*

[Clear](#)

IT is also understood that Adopt-a-Dobe cannot be held responsible for any health or temperament problems that may develop following the adoption of said pet. \*

IT is further understood that Adopt-a-Dobe may examine and make inquiries about said pet. If not satisfied with the condition of the pet or the conditions in which it is kept, said pet can or may be removed immediately and placed in a different home. Any veterinary services needed due to negligence or lack of care will be the responsibility of the Adopter and payable to Adopt-a-Dobe. \*

[Clear](#)

THIS pet shall not be transferred to any other person without written permission of Adopt-a-Dobe. (We may very well approve of a new family if you must give up your pet for any reason, but we must screen them just as we screened you, and the new family must sign our adoption agreement). I will immediately provide Adopt-a-Dobe with the new name/location/address/phone number. \*

[Clear](#)

The Adopter acknowledges and confirms that Adopt-a-Dobe has made no representation or warranty that this pet does not have any congenital or hereditary defects that would prevent it from living a normal life or that may require additional costs and expenses on the part of the Adopter. Further, the Adopter acknowledges that Adopt-a-Dobe has limited information and control regarding the future behavior, habits, and appearance of this pet, and hence does not represent or warrant such. \*

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## Additional Covenants

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The provisions herein contained constitute the entire agreement between the parties and supersede all previous communications, representations, and agreements, whether oral or written, between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, there being no representations, warranties, terms, conditions, undertakings, or collateral agreements (express, implied, or statutory), between the parties other than as expressly set forth in this Agreement. \*

[Clear](#)

If the Adopter is more than one person, then all covenants, agreements, liabilities, and obligations entered into or imposed upon the Adopter hereunder will be deemed to be both joint and several. \*

[Clear](#)

This Agreement will be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of Alberta. \*

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## Indemnification

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I, the Adopter, promise and agree to be solely responsible for this animal and to indemnify and hold harmless Adopt-a-Dobe Rescue Society, its agents, servants, successors, employees, principals and assigns from any and all claims of liability for the conduct of this dog arising on or after the date first above written, including, but not limited to, claims for negligence and strict liability (including scienter). \*

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## Release of Liability

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The Adopter hereby releases and forever discharges Adopt-a-Dobe Rescue Society, its agents, servants, successors, employees, principals and assigns of and from any and all legal obligations and compensation of whatsoever kind and howsoever arising from the conduct or health of this dog, including, but not limited to, any claims for negligence and strict liability (including scienter) and from any and all obligations and compensation arising from any breach of any term of this agreement.

This Release of Liability and Indemnification shall apply to all known, unknown and anticipated damages resulting from my/our adoption, ownership and control of this the said dog.

I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE that I have read and understand the above terms and conditions and will keep the dog described herein as a family member, with all the rights and privileges attached.

Date \*


Adopter Email \*

Adopter Signature \*

[Clear](#)

**FOR RESCUE USE ONLY**

*Signed copy will be provided to Adopter upon completion.*

Adoption authorized on   by    
Date First Name Last Name  
on behalf of Adopt-a-Dobe Rescue Society.

  
Signature

Submit