



SAFE HARBOR RESCUE ADOPTION GUIDELINES & REQUIREMENTS

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1. You must agree to a background check of other animals you own to determine their vaccination status. This means we will call your current vet (if we are not your current vet) to get that information. This may take several days depending on the response time. We reserve the right to decline an adoption if resident animals are not current on their vaccinations.
2. If you are interested in adoption on the of the Safe Harbor pets, you may place a hold deposit which is half of the total adoption fee. This must be submitted by either cash or check. Submitting a holding fee DOES NOT guarantee that you will be approved for adoption. A hold simply ensures that another adopter cannot adopt the pet you are interested in while you are completing the adoption process and background check. If your adoption does not go through, your hold deposit will be refunded.
3. An Adoption fee, plus a spay/neuter deposit of \$100, is required by either cash or check in order to adopt an animal from Safe Harbor Rescue. If you choose to have your adopted pet spayed or neutered at another veterinary facility, you are still required to pay the \$100 spay/neuter deposit until you are able to provide proof of the animal's surgery. At which time, your \$100 spay/neuter deposit will be refunded.

SAFE HARBOR RESCUE ADOPTION FEES:

Kittens: \$125 each

Cats ages 1-3: \$100, each additional cat over 1 is an additional \$50

Cats over 3: \$50 each

4. You will be required to sign an adoption contract agreeing to the following:
 - Keep the cat/kitten indoor at all times
 - Allow Safe Harbor Rescue to follow-up and check on the welfare of the adopted animal
 - Spay/neuter the adopted animal within 14 days of the adoption, if not already completed at the time of adoption (this is state law)
 - Provide regular veterinary care for the adopted animal including annual vaccinations and wellness exams

Please fill out the attached adoption questionnaire and return to the receptionist or Safe Harbor Rescue staff or volunteer when completed.

Please note that the above requirements must be completed for any adoption approval. We keep very strict adoption procedures for the welfare of the animals in our care. We appreciate your cooperation. Thank you for choosing Safe Harbor Rescue!

The Safe Harbor Rescue adoption process can take up to 72 hours to complete. Submitting this paperwork starts the adoption process but does not guarantee approval for adoption.



ADOPTION APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE

Name of animal interested in: _____

If hold deposit placed: Deposit Received: \$ _____ Staff Who Accepted: _____
Circle One: Cash CC Check#: _____

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

I am looking for a pet that is: Adult (over 1 year) Adolescent (4 months - 1 year) Young (2 - 4 months old)

Breed Preference: _____ Male or Female

I am: Married Single Roomates Age: Under 18 18-21 22-40 41-60 61-80 over 80

1. Reason for wanting a new pet: _____

2. Who will be responsible for the care of the pet? _____

3. # of adults in household: _____ # of children and ages: _____

4. Do the children live with you? Yes No Are there grandkids visiting? Yes No Ages: _____

5. Is anyone in the household allergic to animals? _____

6. Do you: Rent Own Do you live in: House Apartment Townhouse Condo

7. If renting, verification may be required that pets are allowed. Deposit required? _____ Wt. Limit _____

8. If you move where pets are not allowed, what will you do with your pet? _____

9. Do you have a yard? Yes No If so, is it completely fenced? Yes No

10. Where and how will you exercise your pet? _____

11. My pet will be kept in: House Garage Mud Room Outdoors Outdoor Kennel

12. Will your pet be crate/cage trained? _____ Will you attend obedience class? _____

13. Are you prepared for howling, chewing, scratching, housetraining, litter box accidents, running away, and other mischievous behavior? _____ How will you reprimand your pets? _____

14. Do you have pets in your home now? If so, please list below: _____

Cat/Dog Other Indoor Outdoor Neutered Age Vaccinated Cat Declawed - 2 or 4 Paws

15. Other than those listed above, list all additional pets you have owned in the last 5 years: _____

Were any: Lost Hit by Car Put to Sleep If put to sleep, why? _____

16. Your Vet's name and Phone Number: _____

17. What might you expect to spend on healthcare annually? _____

Signature _____

Date _____