

## Halfway Home Pet Rescue Online Adoption Application and Contract

### Instructions

Open the PDF with Adobe Acrobat Reader or any PDF reader.

Complete the form.

Your signature will be requested when you come to the adoption interview.

Save the PDF using your last name in the filename. This is so we know who is applying.

Email the PDF to [admin@halfwayhomepetrescue.org](mailto:admin@halfwayhomepetrescue.org)

If you have any questions, send an email to the above address or call 999-1075 or visit our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/halfwayhomepetrescue](http://www.facebook.com/halfwayhomepetrescue)

If you are not able to complete the form on your computer, you may print it out and complete it.

Then either:

mail to HHPR, PO Box 488, Caribou ME 04736 OR

bring it to the Adoption Facility located at 489 Main Street, Caribou during adoption hours on Saturdays, noon to 3pm or by appointment.

**ADOPTION APPLICATION**

HHPR CAT ID# and NAME \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Adopter's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Physical Address \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_  
Occupation & # of years \_\_\_\_\_  
Occupation & # of years (spouse/partner) \_\_\_\_\_  
Is this pet for your household?  Yes  No If No, what household? \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you:  Own  Rent  Live with Friends or Family. How long have you lived at this address? \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Current Landlord \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Does landlord allow pets?  Yes  No Do you plan to move in near future?  Yes  No  
How many adults live in your home? \_\_\_\_\_ How many children? \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_  
How many pets are currently in your household? Dogs \_\_\_\_ Cats \_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Dogs: [Names, breeds, ages] \_\_\_\_\_  
Cats: [Names, breed, ages] \_\_\_\_\_  
Are they all spayed/neutered?  Yes  No If No, reason: \_\_\_\_\_  
Who is your Vet? \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ May we call to verify your pet(s) care?  Yes  No  
Where will your pet be kept while you work?  Indoors  Outdoors  Crated/Confined  Run of the Home  
Where will the pet be kept at night?  Crated/Confined  Run of the home  Outdoors  
Where will the pet be kept if outdoors?  Fenced Yard  Runner/Tie Out  Free Run  Kennel  Barn  
Are you planning to declaw this cat?  Yes  No If Yes, reason: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list 3 people (including your vet) you can give as a reference:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Ph \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Ph \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Ph \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the information on this form is correct. I understand that any false statements made here constitute grounds for confiscation of the animal to HHPR. I certify that I am financially able to care for this animal. I understand that the proper food and veterinary care can be costly and I am able to meet these requirements. I understand that a home check may be mandatory prior to the adoption. I understand that Halfway Home Pet Rescue may demand return of the animal for any violation of adoption contract.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Printed name \_\_\_\_\_

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HHPR Decision:  Approved  Denied (reason for denial) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of interviewer \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**ADOPTION CONTRACT**

**SHELTER ID CODE AND CAT'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

Adopter Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

Town/City and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

In consideration of receiving the animal described herein, Halfway Home Pet Rescue and adopter agree to be bound by the following terms:

1. Adopter will provide proper and sufficient food, water, and kind treatment for the animal at all times.
2. Adopter will not allow the animal to breed, and will have the adult animal spayed or neutered by a licensed veterinarian within 30 days from the date of adoption, and kittens/puppies within 4 months of adoption.
3. Adopter has been given information about declawing and alternatives.
4. Adopter agrees that if Halfway Home Pet Rescue personnel should determine at any time that any of the provisions of the agreement have not been fully complied with, adopter will return the animal to HHPR upon demand. If adopter fails to return the animal on demand, Halfway Home Pet Rescue shall have the right, without further notice or demand, to enter the premises where the animal may be, and remove the animal without process of law. Adopter agrees to waive all claims for trespass and damage.
5. Adopter hereby fully and completely releases Halfway Home Pet Rescue, its agents, volunteers, and employees from any defects or illnesses the animal may have or develop and from any claim, cause of action or liability for any injury or damage to persons that might be caused by the animal and to indemnify and hold Halfway Home Pet Rescue harmless against all claims, including, but not limited to, asserted by third persons, for any injury or damage to persons or property caused by the animal.
6. In the event that adopter returns the animal to Halfway Home Pet Rescue for any reason, adopter will at no time assert any claim or demand against Halfway Home Pet Rescue for any charges that may have been incurred in connection with the animal adopted.
7. Adopter agrees to pay and reimburse Halfway Home Pet Rescues for any and all legal fees and court costs it incurs in enforcing the terms and conditions of this agreement.
8. The laws of the State of Maine shall govern this agreement.
9. In the event that any term, provision, or paragraph of this agreement is declared illegal, void, or unenforceable, this shall not affect or impair the other terms, provisions or paragraphs of this agreement. The doctrine of severability shall be applied.
10. If any payment or refund is due, a check request form must be submitted, and a check will be issued by the Treasurer of Halfway Home Pet Rescue as soon as possible within 10 days. Please call the shelter and request a check request form.

I have read this adoption agreement and fully understand it and agree to be bound by its terms.

Adopter Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Shelter Rep. \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_