

Happy Tales Ranch and Rescue

Pre-adoption Contract for \_\_\_\_\_Whitie\_\_\_\_\_

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_Kristy Cutsforth\_\_\_\_\_
2. Name of spouse/roommates: \_\_Kerry Cutsforth\_\_\_\_\_
3. Number of people I home: Adults \_\_2\_\_\_\_\_ Children/ages \_\_\_\_\_
4. Complete address: \_\_2409 46<sup>th</sup> St \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_Des Moines\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_Iowa\_\_\_\_\_ Zip:  
50310\_\_\_\_\_
5. If Rent Landlord name/number: \_\_Jan Wright 515-249-  
0367\_\_\_\_\_
6. How long have you lived there? \_\_We just moved in on January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019. We are from  
Cedar Rapids and moved down here for a  
job. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Phone : Home: \_\_319-240-3654\_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_"Same" \_\_\_\_\_
8. E-Mail Address  
\_\_kristycutsforth@gmail.com\_\_\_\_\_
9. Where do you work(you/ spouse) \_\_Self Employed (Artist); Husband- Front End Web  
Developer for Happy Medium\_\_\_\_\_
10. Planning to move in the next 6 months: \_\_No\_\_\_\_\_
- If yes, what do you plan to do with the pet? \_\_\_\_\_
11. How long have you been thinking of adopting? \_\_We recently lost our kitty Naomi to  
hereditary kidney disease in November of 2018. We wanted to grieve for a few months  
and also deal with moving, but now we feel we are ready to bring another kitty into our  
home again. \_\_\_\_\_
12. Why do you want a pet? \_\_We are both huge animal lovers and vegans; animals show  
unconditional love and bring such a joy to our  
lives. \_\_\_\_\_
13. Have you adopted a pet before/ from where? Yes, from Tigeracat Rescues in Waterloo  
(now defunct) back in 2007/2008. \_\_\_\_\_
14. Have you been refused adoption/ why?  
\_\_No\_\_\_\_\_
15. Who is your vet/Phone #? \_\_Oaks Veterinary  
Clinic\_\_\_\_\_
16. Where will this pet be kept:    Outside        Indoors        X        Indoor/outdoor

If outside is the yard fenced\_\_\_\_\_ will it be tied\_\_\_\_\_ Leashed\_\_\_\_\_

17. Where will the pet be kept during the day? He will have free reign of 2 bedroom home, besides the basement for safety purposes. \_\_\_\_\_

18. Where will the pet be kept at night? We don't let the cats sleep in our bedrooms, but they have plenty of blankets and couches, and places to sleep. If he likes a cat bed, we'd be happy to get him one. Our current kitty, Tucker, doesn't like them. \_\_\_\_\_

19. How many hours will the pet be left alone? \_Actually, not very many. Either I'm usually around or my husband is at night. I work from home (I paint, draw, and write). \_\_\_\_\_

20. Is anyone in the house allergic to animals? \_No \_\_\_\_\_

21. Do you plan to declaw?\_Never\_\_\_\_\_ Why?\_It is inhumane to the animal, its like cutting the front part of a human's finger off. \_\_\_\_\_

22. What pets do you own now?

Type\_Domestic Short Hair\_\_\_\_\_ Name:\_Tucker \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_Age\_11\_\_\_\_\_ altered \_Spade\_\_\_\_ Sex\_F\_\_\_\_\_

Type\_\_\_\_\_ Name:\_\_\_\_\_ Age\_\_\_\_\_ altered \_\_\_\_\_ Sex\_\_\_\_\_

23. What pets have you had in the past?

Type\_Domestic Long Hair/Maine Coon\_\_\_\_\_ Age\_11\_\_\_\_\_ How long kept\_2007-2018\_\_\_\_\_ What happed to pet\_She passed away of hereditary kidney disease, but we were able to give her a few extra months with daily subcutaneous treatments. \_\_\_\_\_

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24. Under what conditions would you not keep the pet? \_Honestly, we consider our cats our family and would never give them up. \_\_\_\_\_

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25. If the pet became destructive what would you do? Try to figure out what's wrong, ask our vet. Maybe see if they are emotionally stressed about something. We never physically hurt or punish our cats, just try to figure out how to change the situation so everyone is happy. \_\_\_\_\_

26. Can you afford yearly vet care, emergency visit, grooming, food, supplies? \_Yes \_\_\_\_\_

27. Animals are as individual as people. Are you willing to spend the time and effort helping this pet adjust to your home and lifestyle? \_Of course! We plan on slowly introducing Whitie to our home and our other kitty, Tucker. We have an office we can keep him in to slowly get him comfortable to us and Tucker. We plan on putting up a child gate and having them feed around each other and smell each other. \_\_\_\_\_

How much time? \_\_\_As much as it takes; I'm at home during the day and I'm happy to help Whitie adjust to his new home.

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28. Where did you hear about Happy Tales Ranch and Rescue?

Petfinder \_\_\_\_\_

29. References:

Name \_Cheryl Jenson \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_Friend \_\_\_\_\_

Phone 319-961-2198 \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_Sara Pinkham \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_Friend \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_319-521-7369 \_\_\_\_\_

30. What personality, activity level etc. are you looking for \_We are looking for an intelligent kitty who's curious, playful, easy going, good around other kitties, one who loves to snuggle and be petted. \_\_\_\_\_

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31. What food do you feed current animals or will you feed this animal? \_We prefer to feed our current cat Blue Buffalo, but she won't eat it, so she's currently eating Sheba single serving. We'd like to feed him Blue Buffalo he likes it, as we think its healthier than Sheba. \_\_\_\_\_

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I certify that the information I have given is true and authorize investigation of all statements made above. I understand that Happy Tales Ranch and Rescue has the right

to refuse any request for adoption. Must be 18 years old to apply, incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

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I acknowledge and agree that "THE SHELTER" is not responsible for any injury, damage, or harm caused by any animal or injury on property, and I hereby release "THE SHELTER" from any and all liability for any injury, damage, harm, expense or liability I incur relating to any animal or injury on property.

Name\_\_ Kristy Cutsforth\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_2-20-  
19\_\_\_\_\_