



RE-HOMING AGREEMENT

Instructions: Please send your application to Contact@NZChihuahuaRescue.co.nz and retain a copy for yourself.

Date: _____

Personal Details

First Name: _____ Middle: _____ Last name: _____

Street Address: _____ Suburb _____

City: _____ Postcode: _____

Email: _____

Mobile: _____ Other phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age _____

Residency Status: _____

Home Details

Do you own your own home? Yes / No

(If no – please provide a written letter of consent from your landlord or Housing New Zealand – you should also consider what would happen to the dog if you moved from your current rental)

Amount of time at current address? _____

Do you have a fully-fenced back yard? No / Yes

Do you agree to a property inspection, if required? No / Yes * Please also attach photos of your property

Do you have a pool, lake or other body of water on the property? No / Yes

Family and Life Circumstances

Have you ever been convicted of animal cruelty? Yes / No

Do you have any charges pending in respect of any animal cruelty matters? Yes / No

Who will be the main care-taker(s) of the dog: _____

Number of people in household and ages:

Have you discussed adopting a dog with these people: Yes / No

Does anyone in your family suffer from pet related allergies? Yes / No

Do you have any children living with you? No / Yes (If yes, please note how many and their respective ages)

Do you any children that may visit you (ie. grandchildren, foster children, etc.) No / Yes (If yes, please note how many and their respective ages)

Do you suffer from any illness or disabilities which may impact on your ability to care for a foster dog?

- No
 Yes
 I'm not sure if it qualifies - but I have some health concerns. *If you ticked yes or "I'm not sure" please clarify further below:*

Employment:

Are you employed? Yes / No

Job Occupation: _____

Please select the applicable option:

- Full Time Worker
 Part Time Worker
 Retired
 I work from Home
 I am able to take the dog with me to work.

How many hours per week do you work and on what days and any other details of work schedule:

What are your plans for the dog while you are not home?

How many hours a day will the dog be left without human company: _____

Which areas of your house or property are off limits to the dog: _____

Do you travel or move regularly for work or other activities: Yes / No

What would happen to the dog should your family go on holiday?

Details of your current pets:

Have you owned a Chihuahua or similar breed dog prior Yes / No

Details of breeds owned: _____

Where do your existing pets sleep? _____

Where will the adopted dog sleep? (if inside – list the room, ie. laundry): _____

What diet are your existing dogs on _____

How often will you exercise the dog? _____

Would the dog have access to indoors or outdoors only? _____

How many dogs are you allowed by the Council to keep on your property? _____

Have you ever surrendered a pet to a shelter? Yes / No

Current veterinary clinic: _____

Please consider the below carefully and tick the boxes which apply:

Are you comfortable adopting a dog who is....	Yes	No
Injured		
Sick		
Pregnant		
A Puppy		
Special needs (deaf / blind / other)		
A Senior dog		
Timid/Scared/"Shut down"		

Requiring human socialisation		
Requiring socialisation with dogs		
Fearful - Aggressive/Nippy		
Does not like children		
Is not cat friendly		

Please list your current pets here – note breeds of any dogs:

SPECIES (DOG, CAT ETC.) <i>*For dogs please note breed</i>	AGE	SEX	DE-SEXED ?	VACCINATED?	REGISTERED?	ADDITIONAL COMMENTS <i>(if any)</i>

(Continue on a blank page if needed)

Please tell us any additional details that may assist with your application – hobbies or whether you have any special training or skills (ie. vet, trainer etc):

Please list any relevant recent experience with rescue dogs:

Why are you interested in adopting a rescued Chihuahua:

Any further comments you wish to add:

Are you able to provide the \$200.00 rehoming fee prior to receiving the dog?

Yes / No *The adoption fee is payable in full prior to the day of adoption. The fee can be paid direct credit into our Westpac New Zealand Chihuahua Rescue Trust Account: 03-0823-0074502-000 (Sorry we do not accept cash!)*

Have you read the below Agreement and terms?

Yes / No

Do you agree to be bound by the below Agreement and terms?

Yes / No

AGREEMENT:

In order to be considered for the re-homing of a rescue Chihuahua advertised by the New Zealand Chihuahua Rescue Trust ("**The Trust**"), you, as the ("**the Re-Homer**") of a dog from the **Former Owner** hereby agree to the following:

1. The Re-homer is aware and accepts that the Trustees of the Trust have not met the dog concerned or assessed the dog and therefore cannot confirm suitability in terms of its social-ability with strangers, small animals and/or other dogs.
2. The Trust is not liable for any damage caused by allowing the dog into the Re-homer's home.
3. Dogs are rehomed on an as is basis, we endeavour to disclose any health issues during advertising. However, we rely solely on the honesty of the former owner in doing so. The Trust is not responsible for any medical bills which shall arise for the dog received by the Re-homer.
4. The Re-Homer will be responsible for the de-sexing of the dog, micro-chipping of the dog, flea and worming, dental and any other necessary medical treatment disclosed or required by the dog, if it has not already been completed.
5. Any issues relating to the dog are to be directed to the former owner to resolve. The Trust accepts no liability or responsibility for any issues that arise.
6. In the event that you are no longer able to care for the dog at any time. The Trust is to be notified immediately and the dog surrendered into the care of the Trust. For the absence of any doubt, the dog cannot be advertised or rehomed privately, under any circumstances.

Re-Homing Fee

7. The non-refundable rehoming fee of \$200.00 is to be paid to the Trust Account prior to the dog being received. The Trust does not accept cash on the day of changeover. The fee is to be paid into the account and not to the former owner. Failure to pay the fee will constitute a breach of this Agreement and the dog may be uplifted.

Breach of the Agreement

8. In the event that the Re-Homer breaches any terms contained in this Agreement. The Trust reserves the right to immediately uplift the dog on behalf of the former owner. The Re-Homer confirms they will not obstruct removal or prevent the trust from uplifting the dog in any way. The Trust reserves the right to uplift a dog on behalf of the former owner should any concerns arise in relation to welfare, mistreatment, or abuse.
9. By applying to the Trust, the Re-Homer confirms that all information supplied in the course of the adoption process is true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief. The Re-Homer further confirms that they have been honest in all dealings with the Trust and informed the Trust of any information that may be relevant to their application.
10. The Re-homer expressly acknowledges that re-homing a dog gives much less security than adopting from the Trust. The Re-homer acknowledges that the Trust is not liable for any medical or other costs in respect of the dog and any issues that arise in respect of the dog are to be directed to the former owner.

Please read through the above Agreement thoroughly and contact us if you have any queries. Once considered, please type your name in the box below in replacement of your true and usual signature, to confirm that you have read and understood the contents of the above and you accept the terms of our Agreement and agree to be bound by them.

As a prospective Re-Homer for the New Zealand Chihuahua Rescue Trust