

Dog's Information:

Final Adoption Contract

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Tax ID 26-4362434

Name:	Breed: Australian Cattle Dog
Adoption Date:	Adoption Fee: \$
Sex:	Microchip #:
Color/Markings:	
Copy of the vet records attached? Yes of	or No
Your Contact Information:	
Name:	
Address:	
City, State, ZIP:	
Home Phone #:	Cell Phone #:
Email Address:	
Mailing Address (if different from street	address):

You agree to the following:

- 1. The adoption of this companion pet brings with it a responsibility to care for and provide for this pet for the duration of his/her life as a family companion.
- Adequate food, water, shelter, veterinary care and training will be provided throughout the pet's life. It is highly recommended (and expected) that you take a supervised obedience training class with your rescued Cattle Dog.
- 3. This pet will be kept up to date on vaccinations including rabies, licensed in accordance with appropriate county/municipal requirements, maintained in a safe and secure environment at all times. Furthermore, this pet will receive monthly oral heartworm preventative. The pet will not under any conditions be allowed to roam or "run" the streets.
- 4. This pet will be housed with proper care and security when the adopters are away for any length of time, i.e. vacations, extensive travel, etc. when pet cannot be taken along.
- 5. This pet will not be chained, tied, on a runner, or contained outside for any length of time that could be considered unsupervised confinement.
- 6. You agree to notify Texas Cattle Dog Rescue immediately if this dog is lost, or stolen. You agree to make every effort locate the dog.
- 7. You agree to NEVER take this dog to an animal shelter, pound or humane society.

- 8. You agree to NEVER allow this dog to be used in animal research, to NEVER use the dog in dog fighting, dog baiting, or in anyway which would endanger the health or security of the dog.
- 9. You agree to not transport this dog in an open vehicle without a properly secured kennel or in any way to endanger the dog in transport, or to leave the dog in a closed car without ventilation, or to leave the dog in a vehicle where temperatures could reach dangerous levels.
- 10. The above dog will not be euthanized in a non-emergency situation without notifying Texas Cattle Dog Rescue.
- 11. You agree to notify Texas Cattle Dog Rescue of any change of address and/or phone number.
- 12. Texas Cattle Dog Rescue reserves the right to check on the condition and care of the pet during the life of the pet.

You accept the Dog "AS IS" and assume all risk and financial responsibilities of ownership.

You agree that, upon this adoption, Texas Cattle Dog Rescue retains no future responsibility for actions of the pet and that no assurances of future health and/or disposition are conveyed by this agreement.

You agree that if, for any reason, you cannot continue to care for the above named pet, Texas Cattle Dog Rescue will be contacted immediately and have 30 days first right of refusal to have the dog returned. Ownership of the dog will not be transferred without the written expressed consent of Texas Cattle Dog Rescue. You agree to return this dog to Texas Cattle Dog Rescue and make no charges of any nature for licensing, care, food, or other services or items in the event that you can no longer properly care for the dog.

You understand that any sum of money that you have given to Texas Cattle Dog Rescue has been used in caring for this pet prior to adoption or will be used for dogs in the Rescue Program and is NOT refundable.

ENFORCEMENT OF CONTRACT:

Any breach of this contract in part or whole requires that you return the dog to Texas Cattle Dog Rescue or its representatives below at your expense without entitlement of any refund or damages of any kind.

If you fail to meet ANY of the articles listed in this contract, Texas Cattle Dog Rescue reserves the right to repossess the dog and any papers that pertain to the dog. No compensation will be due to you at the time of the repossession. Violation of ANY provisions of this contract may constitute damage to the reputation of Texas Cattle Dog Rescue, therefore you agree to relinquish ownership of the dog plus absorb the cost of any related court costs and transport.

If you agree with the terms of this final adoption agreement, please sign and date below and return the agreement along with the appropriate adoption fee.

Adopter Signature	Date	
Texas Cattle Dog Rescue Representative	Date	