



Puppy Adoption Agreement

128 Carl St.
Columbia, IL 62236
License # IL-022-242
tinypawslc@outlook.com
Web site: www.tinypawslc.com

Definitions

Adopter – Individual signing this agreement and taking possession of the puppy

Seller - Dog Breeder, Tiny Paws LLC

Veterinarian – licensed Veterinarian

**excluding chains such as but not limited to: Banfield Pet Hospital, American Veterinary Group or Vetcor

All of the Chihuahuas at Tiny Paws LLC are raised as family pets, in-home with continuous interaction with our family and visitors. Tiny Paws LLC holds the adopter contractually responsible for the health, safety, and well-being as well as humane living conditions of our Chihuahuas. Tiny Paws LLC, prohibits the housing of adopted Chihuahuas out-doors and the use of the adopted Chihuahua in mass production/puppy mill settings.

I, as adopter, enter into this contract freely and deliberately and attest that I am agreeable to all terms of the contract. This contract covers the terms of purchase for one companion pet quality non-sterilized Chihuahua with full CKC rights. The seller will provide the litter number and information to register said puppy at the adopter’s expense. Adopter acknowledges there is no absolute guarantee on the adult sizes and weights.

Your non-refundable* deposit of \$_____ toward the total adoption cost of \$_____ has been received from the below signed adopter on the below documented date toward the adoption of pet quality non sterilized Chihuahua from the litter of the parents listed below. The remaining \$_____ is due upon receipt of the aforementioned puppy adoption. Unless otherwise agreed upon, the adopter has two weeks following that time to pickup said puppy. Failure to pick up puppy within the following two weeks will result in forfeiture of both deposit and puppy. In accordance with 225 ILCS 605/2.2 puppies shall not be released prior to 8 weeks of age.

Dam _____
Description _____

Sire _____
Description _____

Photo

Photo

Description: _____

DOB: _____ Birth Weight _____ Registration _____ CKC _____
Gender _____ Approx Rehome Date _____ Coat Type _____ Long _____

NOTE: Tiny paws LLC tries to provide an estimated adult weight of your puppy by providing weight, dimensions and photographs of puppy's parents and older pups from these parents. Adult weight can vary depending on diet and exercise and genetics. Therefore, seller cannot and does not guarantee the adult size/ weight of your puppy.

In accordance with 225 ILCS 605/2.2 puppies shall not be released prior to 8 weeks of age and based on the date of birth your puppy should be ready for rehoming _____. The remaining \$ _____ is due upon receipt of the aforementioned puppy adoption. Unless otherwise agreed upon, the adopter has two weeks following that time to pickup said puppy. Failure to pick up puppy within the following two weeks will result in forfeiture of both deposit and puppy.

In accordance with 225 ILCS 605/18(e) the puppy is “free of disease, injuries or abnormalities . . . (as certified) by a licensed veterinarian . . . is prima facie evidence that the licensee (seller) has taken reasonable care, as required.” Tiny Paws LLC puppies have been vaccinated and dewormed age appropriate, and with all records retained. This information is recorded in the health record provided to adopter upon receipt of the puppy; however, said puppy will be required to complete their course of vaccinations and deworming with yearly boosters to maximize protection success at Adopter’s expense. Vaccinations MUST be given to puppy by a veterinarian. *Buyer self-vaccinations will void any and/or all Health Guarantees.*

Tiny paws LLC. strives to ensure sound, healthy, loving pets are reproduced. We do not intentionally, knowing, nor purposely inter-breed dogs within the same family tree, nor breed any dogs with any known undesirable conditions. That being said, certain conditions are common for this breed (including but not limited to underbites and non-erect ears) and may not show in the parents; yet at times do appear in some puppies.

Health Guarantee:

The adopter agrees that within 72 hours from receipt, the puppy shall be checked by a veterinarian at their expense.

Failure to have puppy examined by a veterinarian within 72 hours voids ANY & ALL provisions associated with health guarantee, and contract.

- A. If within 72 hours of receiving puppy, a licensed Veterinarian diagnoses a life-threatening genetic defect AND documentation is sent to Tiny Paws, INC within said 72 hours, Tiny Paws LLC:
 1. May have its veterinarian review the documentation;
 2. May consult with Adopter’s Veterinarian; and if,
 3. Tiny Paws LLC Veterinarian concurs with the finding, Tiny Paws LLC will offer a full refund *with the stipulation* that the puppy shall be returned.

- B. If during the 1st year following receipt of your puppy your veterinarian finds a life-threatening congenital defect not related to exclusion documented below AND a signed health record from the veterinarian is submitted to Tiny Paws LLC within 24 hours of discovery, Tiny Paws LLC, at its discretion:
 1. May have its veterinarian review the documentation;
 2. May consult with Adopter’s Veterinarian; and if,
 3. Tiny Paws LLC Veterinarian concurs with the finding, Tiny Paws LLC will replace the puppy from one of our next available litters.

Health Guarantee EXCLUDES health matters including, but not limited to:

1. Issues beyond our control, once puppy leaves our sanitized environment such as: Adenovirus, Canine Distemper, Corona, Coccidia, Giardia, Leptospirosis, Para- influenza, Parvo, Kennel cough;
2. Other condition/contagion whereby puppy can contact parasites, mites, fleas, worms;
3. Commonly seen in Chihuahuas including but not limited to: Glaucoma, Hydrocephalus, Mange, Patellar luxation, Hypoglycemia, Obesity, Dental disease, Cherry eye, Skin allergies; or
4. Injuries related to falls, neglect, abuse.

Tiny Paws LLC, has the right to revoke this contract and repossess the puppy if there is tangible proof:

1. The puppy has become part of an inhumane breeding program or is living in unsafe, unsanitary or abusive homes, or
2. The buyer has an arrest or citation for animal cruelty. Tangible proof is information verified via local authorities performing well check investigation or by citations or charges with animal control programs.

By signing this agreement, the Adopter AGREES:

1. To all the above-mentioned terms and conditions.
2. To provide veterinarian care including but not limited to immunizations, physicals, fecal exams, blood work, testing, medications, vaccinations, or any preventatives determined necessary by your veterinarian.
3. To contact Tiny Paws LLC if at any time adopter is unable or unwilling to keep or care for this Chihuahua. We provide you with permission to re-home to a responsible home; however, adopter agrees to supply seller with any known new owner information. At NO TIME EVER may you relinquish said dog/puppy to a puppy mill, shelter, or humane society or other such organization or person. By doing this you will be in violation of this contract and legal action will be pursued.
4. To provide a healthy loving environment for this puppy.
5. To accept financial responsibility for any and all expenses for the above puppy from the time of receipt.
6. That the appearance and condition of the puppy is said to be of good health and shows no signs of any illness or injury.

Adopter's Name

Address

Phone Number

Email Address

Adopter's Vet Name

Adopter's Vet Phone #

Adopter's Signature

Date

Copy of Adopter's Driver's License (*Verify if previously provided*)

Please obscure driver's license ID number and barcode (if any)

Puppy Preferences

Sex: Female _____ Male _____ First Available _____

Color Specify: _____

Notes: _____

