

# ATTY KATS MAINE COONS

*Purveyors of the Finest Felines*

*Breeder: Angelina Whittington*

## **2022 SPECIFIC KITTEN CONTRACT- Kitten Must Be Spayed or Neutered**

### **Adopter Information:**

#### **Kitten Cost:**

**(½ due now – non refundable and ½ due at Kitty Pick up)**

Kittens may be picked upon between 10 and 12 weeks old, at the discretion of Breeder and her vet. Buyer is responsible for making arrangements to pick up. If kittens are picked up from Breeder's home, there is no delivery fee. Breeder is primarily living in Lake Texoma and most people fly in to DFW in the morning and pick up their kitten and fly home the same day. Delivery fee to DFW is \$150, for 180 mile roundtrip from Breeder's home to airport. Breeder works in Tampa and can deliver kittens there, as well. If Breeder has a work trip planned to Florida, she can fly with a kitten on the flight for \$150 fee and you can pick up your kitten at TPA. Breeder also drives kittens to Tampa every 6 weeks. Picking up your kitten is your responsibility.

Other Breeder delivery is possible for additional fee - See Page 9 regarding courier or delivery fees

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**Only sign this page today** . Send \$1.00 on PayPal before you send money to make sure no fees are charged and to make sure that you have the correct address! Coordinating Deliver is buyer's obligation.hjn

Options to send PAYMENT: via **PAYPAL** to [Kittens@Attykats.com](mailto:Kittens@Attykats.com). IF you use paypal (**CLICK send money to Friends and Family**) and if a fee is charged, it must be reimbursed to me...fees are charged for failing to click friends and family and for using a credit card instead of having it directly connected to your bank account; (ii) via **Zelle** to my email address: [angelinawhittington@me.com](mailto:angelinawhittington@me.com) (Summertime Ranch- my farm account); (iii) via **Venmo** – ask me to send scan of my venmo and it will confirm you have correct account. Final payment due at pickup. Please read through the contract about neuter requirement and health Guarantees.

**THE ADOPTER HAS READ ALL 8 PAGES OF THIS CONTRACT, PERSONALLY SELECTED THIS DESCRIBED KITTEN, AND AS INDICATED BY HIS OR HER SIGNATURE BELOW, ACCEPTS AND AGREES TO BE BOUND BY THE ATTACHED TERMS AND CONDITIONS GOVERNING THE PURCHASE AND SALE OF THE KITTEN.**

Date \_\_\_\_\_ 2022      **Signature of Adopter** \_\_\_\_\_

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

### A LIFETIME OF SUPPORT:

We have been raising and loving Maine Coons for 24 years and hope to do so for another 20 years. At any time for any reason, you can reach out to us with questions about your Maine Coon kitten. We love to talk Maine Coons and look forward to providing you with a lifetime of support.

### SPAY/NEUTER AGREEMENT- PET ONLY -NOT FOR BREEDING

I, “Adopter,” understand and agree that the above described Maine Coon kitten is being adopted and/or purchased by me solely as a pet for myself and/or my immediate family. I understand and agree that this kitten must be spayed or neutered after 6 months of age and prior to 12 months and proof of same sent to [kittens@attykats.com](mailto:kittens@attykats.com). I, understand and agree that the adopted Maine Coon may not be bred under any circumstances. If I am unable to afford to spay/neuter my cat prior to 12 months of age, I will notify Breeder who may assist. Ownership of this kitten does not transfer to Adopter until this kitten is spayed or neutered. If this adopted Maine Coon becomes pregnant or is used for breeding, intentionally or otherwise, adopter shall immediately notify Breeder and surrender cat and kittens. In this unlikely circumstance (this has never happened), all payments made by the Adopter to the Breeder shall be considered liquidated damages to the Breeder. Failure to spay/neuter before 12 months voids contract. However, do not spay or neuter before 6 months as complications may occur.

### POSITIVE POSTING AND KITTEN UPDATES:

Atty Kats European Maine Coon Cattery is on Instagram and Facebook. Follow Us! Like Us!

**We are an internet-based business and the highest compliment you can pay to us is positive posting on social media.** If you have been pleased with the kitten selection and purchasing process and love your new kitten, we ask that you go to <https://www.facebook.com/big.mainecoons/> go to Reviews and write a FIVE STAR review about your positive experience, then post a photo of your gorgeous kitten and continue to post photos as your kitten grows! Everyone loves the kitty photos! Follow us and like us on Instagram, too! [Instagram.com/attykatsmainecoon/](https://www.instagram.com/attykatsmainecoon/). If you have any negative issue regarding your experience or kitten- CALL ME! TELL ME! I don’t want to learn about a concern through a social media post. I have VAST experience with Maine Coon cats and kittens and if you are having an issue, start with me for the solution. Remember – we do NOT pay your vet bills – ever. We WILL replace your kitten as explained below in the health guarantee.

### Health Guarantee

*Our commitment to our cats and to you: We at Atty Kats utilize all resources available through our regular vet, specialist vets, and periodic testing to ensure that we are breeding the healthiest cats to create the healthiest kittens for you. **However, kittens are living beings and, as such, we cannot guarantee that your kitten or cat will never become sick or develop a disease.** We love our cats who live in our home and we take very good care of them. We spend well over \$10,000 a year with our vet in ongoing care, testing, preventative medicine, and certifications. We want you to have the same great experience with your kitten that we have with our cats, so we offer an Initial Health Guarantee and a Long Term Health Guarantee, as described below.*

### Things to know in Advance of Getting your Kitten:

**No Refunds/No ReSales/No Size Guarantee/ Yes -Forever Home at AttyKats (no questions asked)**

Before you Bring your Kitten Home –Make sure no one in your home is allergic to cats. The time to determine that is BEFORE YOU PLACE YOUR DEPOSIT! Borrow someone’s cat. Make sure your children, your significant other’s children, your grandchildren are NOT allergic to cats. Five times, I have had people call me within three days after bringing their kitten home to tell me that they just discovered their family member or child was allergic to cats! This is EASILY PREVENTABLE, disruptive to your family and my kitten. In each circumstance, the kitten was returned to me within the week, *the family FORFEITED their entire purchase price*, and I rehomed the kitten in my sole discretion in accordance with my Charitable Giving Policy to a family with an autistic or other special needs child or a veteran who was on my Giving List. **Don’t be the family who pays for my Charitable Giving.** Know your family’s needs and allergies in advance. Also, if your dog or your other cats hate your kitten, if your dog tries to eat your kitten (this happens), if your kitten does not have the personality you hoped for, if it sheds more than you thought it would, if it is not as HUGE as you hoped, if it is ruining your new sofa, or if you discover that you are REALLY a dog person after all – know these two things: (1) under no circumstances can you rehome/sell this kitten. If you choose not to keep it for any reason (**you don’t have to tell me why**), it comes home to me at AttyKats; (2) under no circumstances will you get a refund for this type of self-exploration. These are the types of things you should discovery BEFORE place your deposit and before you spend \$3500 on a kitten, not after. Yes, this has happened and yes, I immediately took the kitten back (no judgment/no questions asked) and placed it with a wonderful family with autistic twins. No, I do not give tax credits as I am not a 501(c)3. Sometimes, more serious problems occur. People have life circumstances that prevent them from being able to keep their kitten – a death in the family, loss of a job, a serious illness diagnosis, meeting and marrying an allergic spouse, a financial crisis...even in these situations, I do not give a refund, but I will ALWAYS take an AttyKats kitten back home. Always. No questions asked. Just text me that the kitten needs to be returned and we will work out how to get the kitten home. **If you can’t afford to spay or neuter your kitten because of a change in life circumstances. TELL ME and I will figure out how to help.**

**Schedule NOW (Before you get your kitten) --Well VET Visit.** You must take your kitten to a licensed veterinarian of your choosing within three (3) business days (72 hours) for a “well visit,” at your expense. The purpose of this visit is to schedule your booster shots for your kitten, have him or her micro chipped, and to have your vet perform a thorough exam and confirm, as indicated in the Oklahoma Health Certificate, that your kitten is healthy. Email me proof of the well visit or text a photo of the receipt. Schedule this well visit in advance, as the three (3) day window for the well visit will not be extended and failure to vet your kitten within three days voids this warranty. We understand that vet offices are closed on weekends and holidays, but viruses don’t respect office hours and if we extend the limit, we could end up being blamed for illnesses incurred by your kitten after leaving our care. *Please note*, if your kitten is traveling with a courier, it is possible your kitten could be suffer illness or injury en route to your home. Your kitten guaranteed healthy and fit for delivery as indicated in the Oklahoma Health Certificate provided to you when picked up from my house. Risk of loss as a result of courier negligence is borne by the Adopter.

**Initial Health Guarantee/Disclaimer:** This kitten is guaranteed healthy on the day it leaves our home. It leaves our home with a valid Oklahoma Health Certificate signed by a licensed Oklahoma Veterinarian who has confirmed this kitten has no health issues. None. This is your Initial Health Guarantee – you start out with a healthy, well kitten. You then take your healthy, well kitten to your vet, who will also confirm that your kitten is healthy and well. The kitten has had a thorough health inspection including checking his ears, eyes, heart, lungs, and overall body. The kitten had no visible issues – no parasites, no fungus, no worms, no diarrhea, etc. Your kitten has been blood tested free from feline leukemia virus (FeLV) and feline immunodeficiency virus (FIV). **There is no test for FIP\*.** We provide a long term guarantee against *genetic defects. We do not guarantee against FIP, subsequent parasite infestations, skin issues, upper respiratory infections, crusty eyes, and similar issues in kittens that are common and contagious.* For example, if you do not give your kitten a flea preventative, it may get fleas or ticks (Trifexis for young kittens, Bravecto after 6 months old). Your kitten could get ear mites (Revolution prevents this) or fungus,

like ring worm (which is a misnomer, because it is not a worm, but actually a fungus, like athlete's foot) from another pet who shows *no symptoms* or even from your local pet store's floor or your shoes (ringworm fungus is super contagious on kittens and can live on surfaces/floors/kennels/tables for up to 2 years- mop with Pine Sol) Fungi are treated with an over the counter antifungal cream like Lotrimin (Terbafine) for 14 days. Upper respiratory infections in kittens are also common and highly infectious and also easily treated with antibiotics. Your kitten did NOT have these symptoms when it left my care, but the stress of moving to a new home, particularly if you ship the kitten, can cause stress which may present itself as diarrhea, runny nose, etc. These types of common issues are not guaranteed against. We do not guarantee against FIP, see disclaimer below, but we have only heard of two kittens from our breeding in the past 23 years that had symptoms consistent with FIP. When your kitten leaves our care, it is 100% healthy and ready to start its new life with you. It is up to you to keep your kitten happy and healthy.

**Upon Arriving Home: During the first three days home, keep your kitten quiet and happy and take it to the vet for a well visit. We require you to quarantine your kitten for its first three days home in a room with no other animals, maybe in your bedroom. Do not introduce your kitten to any cat or dog or other animal for these three days. In the first few days home, your kitten may experience common stress related issues due to shipping/rehoming such as cold like symptoms including, but not limited to, runny nose, eye discharge, sneezing, lack of appetite, constipation, as well as stress induced diarrhea. Changing the kitten's food can also result in diarrhea. Such symptoms are not included in this guarantee and are normal upon transition and usually of short duration. Injury or illness incurred during shipping is out of the Breeder's control and is not covered. All risk of shipping is Adopter's risk. If you fail to quarantine your kitten in the first three days, you are increasing its stress and likelihood of stress related illness.**

**Unfit Kitten- Return to Breeder within three days.** Take your new kitten to your vet within 3 days of receipt of the kitten for a "well visit." If your veterinarian provides a *written certification* at the well visit that the kitten is UNFIT for sale **because of an untreatable or life-threatening congenital or hereditary issue**, you must notify the Breeder and return the kitten to the Breeder *within five (5) business days after the vet's determination that the kitten is unfit* for return and replacement with a comparable kitten as soon as one is available. **Call the Breeder BEFORE your vet institutes any treatment or administers any medications remember you are responsible for all vet bills** and if you are returning, I want my experienced cat vet to determine treatment. You agree that the Breeder does not pay any of your incurred veterinarian bills under any circumstances EVER from your date of purchase, forward. Oklahoma Law controls this Agreement. Your sole remedy is to return the kitten to the Breeder as soon as your vet notifies you that it is UNFIT because of an untreatable or life threatening congenital or hereditary issue. To be clear parasites, skin issues, upper respiratory infections, and diarrhea do not render a kitten UNFIT and are NOT life threatening congenital or hereditary issues. When your kitten left my care, it had none of these issues, but if it develops any of these issues in transit, all are readily treatable. FEED this kitten Royal Canin Kitten Food. Do NOT change this kitten's food for at least 90 days. Changing a kitten's food or allowing it to eat another cat's food WILL result in diarrhea and dehydration. Not isolating a kitten upon arrival and immediately introducing it to a houseful of animals WILL result in stress related reactions, such as sneezing or runny eyes and void this health guarantee. Not getting a Well Visit will void this health guarantee. It is your job to schedule your well visit prior to receiving your kitten. The three days is a firm deadline and will not be waived because you failed to schedule an appointment in advance. This is for the protection and well being of your kitten AND to confirm your kitten is in excellent health upon arrival.

**Replacement Kitten/Costs.** You must notify Breeder within 2 business days of Vet well visit that the vet certified the kitten as Unfit due to **an untreatable or life-threatening congenital or hereditary issue**. After notification, you have five days to return the kitten to the Breeder, who will replace the kitten with another kitten in Breeder's discretion of equal value when a kitten is available within a one year period. Breeder cannot guarantee color of replacement kitten but will use her best efforts to replace the kitten with a similar kitten of equal value. Breeder reserves the right to issue a cash refund. You agree that the Breeder does not

pay or refund any shipping costs. **YOU AGREE THAT THE BREEDER DOES NOT PAY OR REFUND ANY VET BILLS** or related expenses. You must notify Breeder at the time you learn the kitten is ill (within 2 business days) to allow the Breeder the opportunity to intervene: 23 years' experience with Maine Coons means the Breeder and/or her vet likely know something your vet does not. In order to utilize that experience, you must report to the Breeder when there is a health issue within 24 hours of discovering it. **Failure to notify Breeder of health issue within 2 business days of discovery of health issue voids this Health Guarantee. I want to determine the treatment with my vet for an unwell kitten. NOTE: no one has ever returned a kitten to me as unfit in 23 years.**

**Ways to VOID this Health Guarantee:**

- (i) failure to have your kitten checked by a licensed veterinarian within 72 hours *and failure to obtain all required boosters and annual shots at your vet*;
- (ii) failure to quarantine your kitten for the first 3 days;
- (iii) failure to notify Breeder that vet determined kitten is UNFIT within 2 business days of vet's discovery;
- (iv) declawing- this is actually amputating a piece of each toe of your cat – outlawed in many countries because of cruelty;
- (v) failure to spay or neuter within 12 months voids this health guarantee AND gives me the right to seek return of the kitten (I recommend spaying and neutering around 8);
- (vi) failure to comply with any of the terms and conditions of this Contract;
- (vii) Non Disparagement Agreement. Do not say or post anything negative about AttyKats or its Cats or Kittens or your experience. If you have a concern, contact the Breeder, only. Negative posting about Breeder, Breeder's cats or any experience with the Breeder voids this Agreement and results in *liquidated damages* – because my business is internet based, it is impossible to measure the damage of one negative post. Any issue you have with Breeder may be resolved with Breeder, directly. If you choose to post anything on social media negative about Breeder or her cats or anything regarding any interaction you have had with Breeder or her cats, you unequivocally agree to pay to Breeder liquidated damages in the amount of the purchase price of your kitten within 72 hours of posting. All issues are to be resolved privately and not publicized on social media.
- (viii) YOU are responsible for your household members. If your spouse or children post negative information as described in vii, above, that, too, voids this Agreement and subjects you to the terms and conditions set forth in vii, above. YOU, as the signer of this Agreement, are responsible for your household members.

**Long Term Health Guarantee. The kitten is guaranteed against congenital defects for TWO YEARS.** If you provide the medical records to establish that you have maintained your cat's shots and vet care in accordance with the contract, should your kitten die within two years from its birth date as a direct result of a congenital defect, the cat will be replaced **ONLY** if an appropriate necropsy is performed by a licensed veterinarian and a veterinarian's certificate is provided as proof of cause of death from a hereditary/congenital defect. A replacement will be made of a kitten of comparable quality and value, as available, at the discretion of Breeder. **You agree Breeder has no liability and will not pay your vet bills.**

**\*FIP Disclaimer.** (In 23 years of breeding Maine Coons, AttyKats has been advised of TWO kittens who, months after purchase, contracted coronavirus that morphed into FIP, one kitten was put to sleep by its owner and a replacement kitten was offered and the other kitten was treated and recovered. Adopter understands that Feline Infectious Peritonitis (FIP) is a viral disease of cats caused by certain strains of a virus called the feline coronavirus. The coronavirus is as common in cats as the common cold is in humans and normally not dangerous at all. Cats infected with coronavirus generally do not show any symptoms and it resolves itself just like the common cold. However, in a very small percentage of cats infected with the coronavirus, either by mutation or an anomaly of the immune response, the infection progresses into *clinical FIP*. Once a cat develops clinical FIP the disease is progressive and may be fatal. Your kitten can contract FIP with contact with another cat carrying FIP or from a visit to your local

pet store or your vet after an FIP positive cat has been there. *There is no definitive tool for detecting FIP in live cats at this time and there is no cure. Just because a cat tests positive for coronavirus does not mean that it has or ever will develop FIP. Because the coronavirus is so prevalent in domestic cats it is impossible to guarantee against it or FIP.* HOWEVER, as a courtesy the Breeder will cover your new kitten for **two months from the date of delivery**, against death due to FIP if the diagnosis is confirmed by a licensed vet by necropsy or written statement that the cat exhibited all signs and symptoms of a death due to FIP. The Breeder will NOT pay your vet bills. However, in the unlikely event your kitten passes naturally from FIP (not put to sleep by you) within 8 weeks of your pick up date, the Breeder agrees to replace this kitten/cat with a kitten of equal value at such time as one becomes available within one year. **Keep your new kitten away from stray cats and always wipe counters at your vet before placing your kitten on the examination table. Take precautions to keep your kitten safe!**

**WAIVER/RELEASE:** Adopter has read Oklahoma statutes and knowingly and expressly waives all statutory conditions and remedies but for those conditions set forth herein in this contract. Adopter assumes all liability associated with pet travel. Adopter forever releases Breeder from any liability associated with transportation of kitten from her home to Adopter's home including but not limited to accidents, illness or injury to kitten. Breeder makes no representations at all with respect to the suitability of a courier for the intended purpose. Shipping Cargo adds stress to your kitten and may result in stress related symptoms.

**GUARDIAN BREEDER:** I have a (2) co breeders, one in Arkansas and one in Texas, who share breeding rights with me and, from time to time, raise kittens up to 6-8 weeks for me. They are both outstanding kitty mamas and do a great job loving and socializing my kittens. I pick up the kittens between 6 and 8 weeks and keep them in my home up to 12 weeks. I FULLY guarantee these kittens under the same terms and conditions and they are from my males and my European approved lines. I still guarantee all these kittens that I place. I pay her \$1500 for her services in delivering and raising the kittens to 8 weeks and it is well deserved.

**RIGHT OF FIRST REFUSAL.** If at any time the Adopter becomes unable to care for the kitten, Adopter must immediately notify the Breeder and offer her the right of first refusal to receive the kitten/cat back from Adopter at no cost to the Breeder. If Breeder agrees to accept the returned kitten/cat, Adopter must coordinate and pay for shipping, if required, and provide all shot records. Only if the Breeder does not elect to receive the returned kitten, may the Adopter place the kitten in a home that meets the same conditions as stated in this contract. Breeder must approve transfer and will NOT honor the health guarantee for anyone but the original Adopter. Even an approved transfer voids ALL guarantees and all of Breeder's obligations under this agreement. We intend for you to keep this kitten its full life. If you cannot, we look forward to accepting your cat or kitten back into our fold and placing it through our Charitable Giving program with a deserving family.

**Legal:**

**Binding Arbitration/Choice of Law/Choice of Venue.** Any legal action which may arise under the terms of this contract will be resolved ONLY through binding arbitration in Bryan County, Oklahoma. Adopter and Breeder shall agree upon an Arbitrator, in the event they cannot agree upon an Arbitrator within ten days of receipt of a written notice of a dispute, then Breeder shall select said Arbitrator. In no event shall Breeder's liability to Adopter exceed the purchase price of the kitten. A material condition of this Agreement is that the Purchaser/Adopter agrees that Breeder has zero liability for Adopter's vet bills for any reason at any time, regardless of diagnosis. The enforceability of the arbitration clause will also only be determined in Bryan County, Oklahoma by arbitration. The parties agree that Oklahoma law controls. The Adopter agrees that any action or claim brought by Adopter against Breeder for breach of this Agreement or for loss or damages due to negligence must be brought through binding arbitration, as indicated above,

within six months of the date Adopter first learns of the basis for such claim or loss occurs- the date of diagnosis; that Adopter agrees to pay arbitration fees, and the Adopter agrees that his or her damages are limited to the cost of the kitten, excluding shipping, vet bills, or other incidentals. I am currently living in Mead, Oklahoma, but am a licensed attorney. Oklahoma law controls. A Licensed Oklahoma Vet is providing the health certificate because kittens are located in Oklahoma.

**Non Disparagement Agreement. No Negative Postings.** Adopter understands that if he or she or anyone who resides in his or her household has an issue or concern regarding their kitten, AttyKats cattery, Angelina Whittington, or in any way related to this contract or the purchase of a kitten, Adopter's remedies are limited to binding arbitration in Bryan County, Durant, Oklahoma only, as set forth above. Adopter agrees that *under no circumstances* will he or she utilize the internet, any form of social media, any written advertising, or speak to anyone, other than an arbitrator, lawyer, or vet, to express such concerns. Adopter agrees that the negative impact of such written statements, even if true, cannot be measured, and therefore agrees to liquidated damages in the amount of \$500 per day for each day such negative statements posted by Adopter or at Adopter's direction or based upon statements made by Adopter remain public up to the cost of the kitten, \$2000-\$2750 depending on gender of kitten. To be clear, Adopter agrees on behalf of himself or herself and on behalf of all family members or others who may live in his or her home to never post or publish, anywhere, any negative information (even if true) regarding the kitten, AttyKats Cattery, Angelina Whittington, interactions with her or any matter related to this Contract.

**Entire Agreement.** This Agreement (PAGES 1-9) represents the entire agreement between the parties. Breeder and Adopter have made no other agreements, payments, promises, representations or warranties, express or implied, unless specifically stated in this Agreement.

**Acknowledgement of Receipt of Healthy Kitten:** I acknowledge that I have received the specific kitten that I selected and was promised into my possession and it has no visible defects and appears to be in excellent health; that I received a Health Certificate and relevant Oklahoma Statute.

I understand and agree that I will take my kitten for a "well visit" at my vet within three (3) days and I will call the Breeder if I have any concerns. I understand that the Breeder does not guarantee color, size, type, suitability for a particular purpose, or future personality. Breeder does not guarantee that this kitten will fit in well with your family or will get along well with your children, dog, or other cats. Breeder does guarantee that this kitten meets the breed standard and was in excellent health when it left her control. I understand I cannot rehome this kitten and will return it to the Breeder at my expense if I no longer am able to keep him or her.

By taking this kitten today, you agree to accept your kitten "as is," and by your signature below you confirm that you are satisfied with this kitten "as is" *and will love it unconditionally and will care for it from this day forward at your sole expense.* **I expressly agree that from this day forward, I am solely responsible for my kitten's vet bills and related expenses and the Breeder has no further liability except as set forth herein.**

**I understand that my kitten's healthy, happy life is now my sole responsibility and I will do everything in my power to keep my kitten safe and well.**

**If for any reason, you decide you no longer want this kitten, even years from now, reach out to me and we will bring this kitten back home.**

**Sign this page AT THE TIME YOU PICK UP YOUR KITTEN.**

Date \_\_\_\_\_ 2022 Signature of Adopter: \_\_\_\_\_.

### **SHIPPING INFORMATION AND POSSIBLE FEES FOLLOWS**

#### **SHIPPING. TRANSPORTATION. COURIER SERVICE FEES.-** **BOOK REFUNDABLE FLIGHTS ONLY**

Adopter is SOLELY RESPONSIBLE for picking up his or her kitten within 14 days of the Go Home date, to be determined by Breeder and her vet for each kitten from 8 and 12 weeks of age. **If you pick up from the location designated by breeder near breeders home (Sherman, TX), there is NO FEE.** All kittens reserved after 01/01/2021 will be picked up in TX at a mutually agreeable date and time unless other arrangements were agreed upon at the time of reservation in writing. There is NO FEE for picking up at breeder's home. If you want to pick up in FL, add \$150 to purchase price for breeder to fly kitten in cabin with her on one of her work trips- this is not an upcharge. The airline charges me \$125 to fly with kitten and the health certificate required from USDA is \$25.

**Adopter -Flying in to pick up your kitten.** There is a \$150 flat fee if you fly into TPA or DFW to pick up your kitten *and want breeder to meet you at the Tampa or Dallas airports.* You MUST schedule pick up with breeder as I will need to be available and in the state where you travel to – we split our time between the Dallas area and the Tampa area. Don't book the flight without clearing date and time with breeder. Remember to fly with a softsided, airline approved carrier, like a SHERPA carrier to transport your kitten back with you in cabin. **DO NOT FLY UNITED.** United Airlines requires the kitten to be 4 months old and have a rabies vaccine. Fly Spirit, American, Delta, or Southwest, who all have worry free in cabin pet rules. Your airline will charge you from \$95-\$120 for your kitten to fly home with you. Once you received the kitten from Breeder, you will walk to ticket counter, pay for the in cabin pet fee and then proceed through security with your kitten to your flight gate. YOU are responsible for making sure the airline you choose will allow you to fly home with your new kitten in cabin. Once you arrive at DFW or TPA, you may also choose to rent a car and drive to a location near our home (PETCO in Sherman TX). If you choose this option, there will be no fee charged by Breeder. Because of the risks associated with COVID, Breeder is no longer hosting tours or inviting Adopters into her home. Breeder lives 1.3 hours from DFW and approximately 1 hour from TPA. Breeder will coordinate with you if you are flying in and out the same day to make sure she delivers kitten at the appropriate time. Breeder is an attorney and **travel dates must be coordinated with her to confirm her availability.**

#### **ATTYKATS Nanny Courier Service and Fees to your closest major Airport. Flying Fee and Driving Fee.**

If you would like breeder to coordinate travel and to fly with your kitten to your closest major airport, this may be possible to arrange. You would coordinate with breeder and pay for the round trip ticket and kitten in cabin fee and USDA certificate vet fee and you would pay breeder a flat fee of \$850 to fly with your kitten in cabin to meet you at your closest major airport – direct flights only, as this is the kitten's best interest. If we are delivering two kittens to you, the flat fee is \$1000 and kittens will travel together in the same carrier. Breeder requires upgraded seating (more leg room) to make sure there is room to place kitten under seat in front of her. Average Spirit Airlines flights with upgrade to big seats is about \$300 round trip or less. Pet fee is \$125 on Spirit. Prices of flights vary. If we cannot coordinate a flight, we may be able to drive to deliver your kitten.



**Driving delivery fee** to a public location near your home is calculated from our central US location in Durant, Oklahoma. We have a 2022 Ford Expedition XL. Our cost to operate vehicle per mile is \$0.94 per mile. Our courier delivery fee is \$2.25 per mile one way to your designated location. If you live 500 miles from us, your delivery fee would be  $\$2.25 \times 500 = \$1,125$ . That is 8.25 hours driving one way. There is no fee for the return mileage or hotel. If we are driving with two kittens for you, the mileage rate is \$2.75 per hour one way, so \$1,375 for two kittens for 500 miles one way.

**International deliveries** are available at market rates- usually cost of roundtrip flight plus flat fee of \$2000 for 1 kitten and \$2400 for 2 kittens in the same carrier flying in cabin.

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**Failure to pick up.** Your kitten should be picked up within 14 days of your Go Home date. If you fail to pick up your kitten, you will receive a call and written notification from the Breeder advising you that if you fail to pick up the kitten within the following 7 days, the kitten will be rehomed to another family. We are not a kennel and are not set up to keep kittens indefinitely. After the first 14 days following the GO HOME date, there will be a daily charge of \$40 per day for up to 14 more days, payable in advance to purchase the additional 14 day window. After the additional 14 pre paid days with no pick up, the kitten will be rehomed and your purchase price forfeited as liquidated damages.

**Be Prepared to Drive or Pay for Nanny Courier Service above.** When airlines are not available. Picking up your kitten is YOUR obligation, not the Breeder's.

**Travel is stressful on your kitten. You should select the fastest way to get your kitten to your house to minimize stress.**

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