



ADOPTION CONTRACT

Northern California Sled Dog Rescue (NorSled)
P.O. Box 30877, Walnut Creek, CA 94598
rescue@norsled.org www.norsled.org

Name _____
New Name _____
NS Tag # _____

Adopter 1 _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone 1 *Mob Hm Wk* _____ Phone 2 *Mob Hm Wk* _____

email _____ Employer _____

Signature & Date _____

Adopter 2 _____

Phone 1 *Mob Hm Wk* _____ Phone 2 *Mob Hm Wk* _____

email _____ Employer _____

Signature & Date _____

****If Adoption Contract includes 2 Adopters, both Adopters must sign this Adoption Contract.***

Dog Sex M F Breed _____ Date of Birth _____ Age _____

Coat Color _____ Eye Color _____ Rescue Date _____

Origin _____ Spay/Neuter Date _____

Microchip Vendor _____ Microchip # _____

NorSled will register the microchip in your name and address.

DHLPP Date _____ Bordatella Date _____

HWT _____ Date _____ Rabies 1 year 3 year Date _____

Preventatives/Schedule _____ Date Last Given _____

Special Instructions _____

Payment Adoption Fee _____ ****Please keep your Adoption Contract as your receipt.***

Payment Received (date/amount) Cash _____ Check # _____

Credit Card _____ PayPal _____ Other _____

NorSled Rep _____ Signature & Date _____

email _____ Phone *Mob Hm Wk* _____

Terms of the Contract: This is a binding contract for the adoption of the dog named above ("said dog") between the adopting family
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and Northern California Sled Dog Rescue (NorSled). By initialing each subject line and signing the contract and in consideration of NorSled providing the dog adopted hereunder, the adopting family agree to all the terms of the contract.

#	Subject	Terms of the Contract	Initials
1	Humane treatment of dog	<p>I/we hereby agree to care for this dog humanely. I/we have never been charged with or convicted of abusing an animal, animal neglect or animal cruelty.</p> <p>Humane treatment of the dog includes, but is not limited to the following: provision of basic care including adequate and sufficient food, water, shelter and veterinary care, including prompt veterinary care when ill or injured. Licensing of the dog in accordance with the local laws and complying with all state and local animal laws and regulations.</p> <p>Exercising the dog regularly in a fenced yard or on leash and providing lifelong companionship and attention. Not allow the dog to roam freely when out of the yard, otherwise be out of my/our control, or pose any danger to any persons or animals. Failure to keep the dog safe could result in NorSled taking the dog back.</p>	
2	Lost or stolen Dog(s)	If said dog is lost or stolen, I/we will immediately notify NorSled.	
3	Contact with NorSled	I/we will keep our phone number, email and street address current with NorSled. If I/we move or change phone numbers, we will notify NorSled of our new contact information within 30 days.	
4	Illness of dog(s)	I/we understand and agree that NorSled is not liable for any latent illness/medical condition of the dog not actually known to NorSled at the time of adoption.	
5	No Representation	<p>I/we understand that this dog was previously unwanted, a stray or lost and may have been rescued by from a dangerous, unhealthy and/or cruel situation. This could have long-lasting effects on the dog.</p> <p>I/we agree that NorSled is not providing any representations or warranties about the condition, personality, or temperament of the dog. The dog was evaluated by a representative of NorSled rescue but that not does guarantee its temperament or compatibility with you or any members of your household or any other humans or animals.</p>	
6	Consent to the Terms of the Contract	I/we am/are over the age of 18 years and am/are legally competent to enter into this Agreement. I/we am/are freely entering into this Agreement without coercion, duress or fraud.	



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7	Personal injury/ damages by adopted dog and related matters	<p>I/we understand and agree that NorSled makes no express or implied warranty, representation or promise to the age, health, breed, habits, disposition or safety of the animal.</p> <p>I/we hereby accept the animal as is, assume all risks and responsibilities associated with the ownership of the animal, including bites.</p> <p>I/we will indemnify and hold harmless NorSled and its officers, directors, volunteers and staff for any losses, claims or damages of any kind caused by said dog.</p> <p>I/we agree that NorSled, its officers, directors, volunteers and staff are not liable, and disclaim any liability for any personal injuries, death, property damage and/or other losses, damages and costs of any kind suffered by me/us, members of our household, guests and all other parties and/or animals.</p> <p>I/we, individually and behalf of my heirs, assigns and successors in interest, waive, release and discharge any and all rights, claims and causes of action of any kind, and assume all risk(s).</p> <p>I/we am fully aware that Nordic Breed dogs are not good around small animals including small dogs.</p>	
8	Custody of dog(s) Re-homing	<p>Should I/we return said dog within 10 days from the date of the adoption, NorSled will refund all but \$50.00 of the adoption fee. Refunds are not otherwise available under any circumstances.</p> <p>I/we agree to never give, sell or cause this dog to any agency without first notifying NorSled and allowing NorSled no less than 2 weeks to possibly arrange alternative shelter for the dog. If NorSled makes such arrangements, the dog will be promptly delivered to NorSled and become NorSled property. If you return the dog to NorSled at any time for any reason, the dog becomes the property of NorSled regardless of who signed the adoption contract and surrender form.</p> <p>If the dog ends up in a shelter and you do not claim the dog within the shelters time frame, the dog will become the property of NorSled. “Transfer of ownership of this animal is strictly prohibited without prior written authorization of NorSled. If for any reason adopter is unable to keep this animal, adopter will notify NorSled immediately.</p> <p>Appropriateness of a new home is to be determined exclusively by NorSled.</p>	
9	Terms of the Contract	<p>By signing and initialing this contract, I /we acknowledge that I/we have read and fully understand and accept the terms and conditions of this legally binding Adoption Contract. I/we accept this document as a contractual agreement, which I/we will comply with. A failure to abide by the terms of this contract constitutes a breach of contract.</p>	