

Branford Compassion Club, Inc. (BCC) Feline Adoption Application/Contract



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IMPORTANT: This form must be completed in Adobe Acrobat only.
Please do not attempt to edit the form in another program (such as Preview on the Mac), as it may not save your information correctly. Applicant must show proof they are at least 18 years of age or have parental consent. Adoption application is not valid if all questions are not answered.

(203) 483-MEOW
contact_us@branfordcompassionclub.org
www.branfordcompassionclub.org

Date:

Name:

Address:

Town:

Zip Code:

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email:

May we add you to our online mailing list?

Description of a felines(s) you would be interested in (ex. male/female, long/short haired, cat or kitten, color, etc.)

Please describe the temperament and activity level you are looking for in a feline (ex. lap cat. independent, talkative, etc.)

How did you hear about BCC?

Household Information

Where do you live? Condo House Apartment Mobile Home Do you... Own Rent

How long have you lived here?

Are you allowed to have pets? Yes No

What would you do with your pets if you had to move?

Please provide contact information for landlord if you rent (Lease with pet provision must be presented or rental permission form to be completed by landlord.)

Do you give BCC permission to contact your landlord? Yes No If no, why not?

Vet History

Name of Veterinarian Veterinarian Phone #

Number of years affiliated with vet:

Do you give BCC permission to contact your vet? Yes No If no, why not?

Names of pets living and deceased for reference:

Are you prepared to take your new pet for updated vaccinations/medical treatment for its lifetime? Yes No

Other

Are there children in your home? Yes No If yes, how many and what are their ages?

Are all members of your household aware of your plans to adopt an animal? Yes No

Are any members of your household allergic to animals? Yes No

Where will your companion animal sleep?

How many hours a day will your companion animal be alone?

Are you (please check all that apply): Working Attending School Retired

Other

Who will be responsible for your companion animal?

If the animal's caretaker becomes physically or otherwise unable to care for the animal, what is the contingency plan in place for the animal's care?

Reference (not a family member)

Name:

Address:

Town:

Home Phone:

Email address:

Companion Animal History

Do you currently have cats? Yes No If yes, how many? Are they spayed/neutered?

How long have you had your cat(s)?

Have you had cats in the past? Yes No *If yes, please answer the questions below:*

Were they spayed/neutered?

Have you had a previous cat die? Yes No

If yes, how?

Have you ever lost a cat? Yes No

If yes, please explain.

Did the cats live strictly indoors? Yes No

Were your cats declawed? Yes No

Would your new pet live strictly indoors? Yes No Unsure

Would you get your new cat declawed? Yes No Unsure

Do you have a dog(s)? Yes No If yes, how many? Do your dogs live indoors? Yes No

Do you have other pets? Yes No

If yes, please list type and how many.

When complete, email the form to contact_us@branfordcompassionclub.org.

Important! Please view the following [Terms of the Contract](#) document before submitting your application.

(The contract must be completed with a BCC member present.)

Branford Compassion Club, Inc. (BCC)

Terms of the Contract (To be completed with a BCC member present.)

Between Branford Compassion Club, Inc. and:

Name(s), current address, and telephone number(s) of adopter(s)

For:

(BCC ID number, description, and age or date of birth of feline adopted - vet records must be attached to this contract.)

- BCC agrees to:
- Prior to adoption provide the following veterinary services--spay/neuter, FeLV/FIV test, age appropriate vaccinations, deworming, and flea/tick treatment.
 - Within a two week window from the date of adoption, accept back any feline that is behaviorally unmanageable or terminally ill.
 - On a case by case basis, within a two week window from the date of adoption, assist with pre-approved veterinary care required due to an illness existent prior to adoption.
- You agree to:
- Provide ongoing veterinary care including, at a minimum annual Distemper Series and Rabies vaccinations for each feline(s) that may have contact with other felines that may be infected.
 - Refrain from having the feline(s) declawed. Felines that are declawed often show behavioral changes and arthritis in later life (www.declawing.com/htmls/declawing.htm).
 - To provide an indoor home. Felines should remain indoors to avoid predators, busy streets, fleas/ticks, and cat fighting.
 - To be proactive in retrieving your feline should it become lost, and to contact BCC for advice/assistance.
 - To release BCC and every one of its representatives from any liability arising from the care or maintenance of the adopted feline(s) or arising from any personal injury or property damage attributable to the adopted feline(s).
 - To return adopted feline(s) to BCC should the adoption prove unsatisfactory. No adopted cat shall be given away or "rehomed" at the adopter's discretion.

Branford Compassion Club, Inc. strongly supports the above policies. If it is determined you have not met the standards of our policies, we reserve the right to annul this contract and reclaim the feline. We also reserve the right to annul this contract and reclaim the feline if determined facts leading to the adoption contract have been misrepresented.

Every feline placed in a permanent home has received routine veterinary care, generally costing BCC \$200.00+. Some BCC foster felines have needed ongoing medical attention, treatments, and follow-up appointments to ensure their well-being prior to adoption.

At the time the adoption contract is signed, in an effort to defray veterinary costs, we required a non-refundable reimbursement of \$95.00 (adult) \$150.00 (kitten) for every feline adopted. Any additional monies received above this amount would be a tax-deductable donation.

By signing this Adoption Contract, you explicitly state your agreement to its terms and the adoption procedures of BCC. We congratulate you on your new addition and look forward to hearing from you with updates on how your feline(s) is/are doing.

Adoptive Parent's Signature: _____ **Operator's License #:** _____

Branford Compassion Club, Inc. Representative's Signature: _____ **Date** _____

This original contract will be retained within Branford Compassion Club, Inc. records and a copy will be provided to the adoptive parent.

BCC Members Only:

BCC Representative: _____ Spoke with Applicant: Yes ___ No ___ Date _____

Contribution Amount: _____ Method of Payment: _____

Comments: _____