**CARPATHIA PAWS CAT ADOPTION APPLICATION**

***Adopting a pet is a lifetime commitment! Don’t adopt if you can’t commit!!***

**You are interested in adopting \_\_\_cat \_\_\_kitten Name of animal:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone Number(s):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_City:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_State:\_\_\_\_\_\_Zip:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Drivers License Number:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_State:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_D.O.B.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Email address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Facebook Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Employer:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone Number:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Residence:** House \_\_ Apartment\_\_ Condo\_\_ Mobile Home\_\_ Base Housing\_\_ Other\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Own\_\_\_ Rent\_\_\_ How Long\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Landlords name & number:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(or copy of lease showing approval to have animals at the above listed address)

**Veterinarian Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone Number:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Name of pets cared for:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**General Questions:**

Is everyone in the household in agreement to adopt a new pet? Yes\_\_ No\_\_ Explain \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Who will care for the new pet?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ How many hours will the pet be alone daily:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\*Cats are adopted out as inside only pets. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(please initial) Where will pet sleep?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are there children in the household? Yes\_\_ No\_\_\_ if yes, ages of children:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If a new baby joins the household, what will you do with the pet?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Is anyone in the household allergic? Yes\_\_ No\_\_\_ if yes, explain:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If someone becomes allergic to the pet, are you willing to spend the additional money on allergy medication? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If you have to relocate, change residence or deploy (military), what will you do with the pet?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If you plan to leave your pets with a family member who is not your spouse please list them as a reference.

Are you a frequent traveler? Yes \_\_ No \_\_ Is your roommate/spouse? Yes\_\_ No \_\_

What are your plans for exercising your new pet?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

What changes in your home/daily routine will you need to make to care for your new pet?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How much do you expect to spend in a year on the pet? (Example: vaccinations, preventative maintenance, food, boarding, grooming, etc.) Please understand that pet responsibility is not always cheap! $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are you prepared financially for emergency medical and/or major medical care for the pet?

Yes\_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Are you willing to allow a Carpathia Paws representative visit your home? Yes\_\_ No\_\_ If no, explain**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Personal reference – Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone Number\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Check characteristics that are important to you in your new pet:**

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| \_\_\_\_\_House broken / litter box trained | \_\_\_\_\_Good with children |  |
| \_\_\_\_\_Indoor only |  |  |
| \_\_\_\_\_Friendly to everyone | \_\_\_\_\_Active, playful, energetic | \_\_\_\_\_Mellow, less active |
| \_\_\_\_\_Knows some commands | \_\_\_\_\_Can be left alone | \_\_\_\_\_Good with other pets |
| \_\_\_\_\_Sleeps in your bed, snuggly |  | \_\_\_\_\_Likes to ride in vehicle |
| \_\_\_\_\_Likes water, swimming | \_\_\_\_\_Doesn’t shed | \_\_\_\_\_Declawed (cats only) |
| \_\_\_\_\_Low maintenance (grooming) | \_\_\_\_\_Walks well on leash | \_\_\_\_\_Is a “lap” dog/cat, a companion |

Have your pets been introduced to other cats? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If so, how did they react? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**How many pets have you owned within the last 5 years: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Describe those pets you currently own:**

*If you have more animals than space provided, please use an additional sheet of paper and attach to this form****.***

a. Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sex

Is the pet Spayed or Neutered? \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

Primarily Indoor or Outdoor? Explain:

What year did you get the animal? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How did you acquire the animal?

Comments:

b. Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sex

Is the pet Spayed or Neutered? \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

Primarily Indoor or Outdoor? Explain:

What year did you get the animal?

How did you acquire the animal?

Comments:

c. Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sex

Is the pet Spayed or Neutered? \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

Primarily Indoor or Outdoor? Explain:

What year did you get the animal? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How did you acquire the animal?

Comments:

d. Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sex

Is the pet Spayed or Neutered? \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

Primarily Indoor or Outdoor? Explain:

What year did you get the animal?

How did you acquire the animal?

Comments:

**If necessary, please use back of page for any additional information you wish to share.**

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| I have read the above information carefully and filled out this application honestly. I understand that omission of this information and/or failure to answer all questions including failure to sign the application can result in this application being declined. If an omission or untruth is discovered after an adoption takes place, I understand that Carpathia Paws reserves the right to annul the adoption and reclaim the animal. I give Carpathia Paws permission to fully investigate the information provided as well as contact my references, veterinarians, and related officials. If the application passes this review, I agree to a home and yard visit by a Carpathia Paws Volunteer on a mutually agreed upon date before an adoption decision is made. (May not be  Necessary for a cat adoption, right is reserved by Carpathia Paws) | In addition, I understand the adoption decision is dependent on many factors, including but not limited to the compatibility of the family and home to the individual animal and other applications received on this animal. I understand it is Carpathia Paws’ prerogative to decide which home is most appropriate and that their decision is final and will not contend nor argue this decision. Unless otherwise indicated by Carpathia Paws, I am free to apply and undergo the application process in the future.  Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Co-Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Print full names \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

Thank you for filling out our adoption application! We will call you within 48 hours to let you know if you are approved or not. Please be aware cats are only kept at Petsense for 4 days at a time in most cases. If your potential adoption is no longer there it may have been taken back to foster care in an effort to lessen the stress level to the animal. You will be notified if your application was denied.