

KENTUCKY FOOTHILLS THERAPEUTIC HORSEMANSHIP CENTER
REHOMING/ADOPTION POLICIES AND CONTRACT

TO ENSURE THAT THE OWNERSHIP OF ANY EQUINES NOT DEEMED SUITABLE FOR KFTHC'S EAAT PROGRAMMING ARE TRANSFERRED TO APPROPRIATE PERSONS, KFTHC FOLLOWS THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES AND POLICIES:

- All potential adopters/purchasers of the equine named:
_____ hereafter referred to as "the equine" will complete this written contract which constitutes the adoption or rehoming agreement between KFTHC and the new owner.
- Transfer of ownership will occur one year after one year.
- Prior to re-homing an equine, KFTHC requires the prospective owner provide to KFTHC references from the following:
 - Veterinarian
 - Farrier
 - Personal/Other
- KFTHC will NOT re-home an equine to first time equine owners.
- KFTHC will only re-home an equine to a location where another equine resides.
- Potential adopters/purchasers must visit KFTHC and be observed with the equine on site.
- The distance of a potential adopter/purchaser's home from KFTHC is a consideration for when re-homing an equine.
- KFTHC staff will conduct a site visit of the adopter/purchaser's facility before the transfer of the equine to the adopter/purchaser's facility.
- KFTHC reserves the right to make unannounced visit
- Potential adopters/purchasers are encouraged to do a short-term, on-site foster with the equine.
- ADDITIONALLY:

- Any individual or organization in possession of the equine as of the date of the agreement and any time thereafter is bound to not sell the equine at auction for slaughter or allow the equine to be sold, transferred, released, or otherwise placed into possession of any person or organization that will cause or allow the equine to be sold at auction for slaughter.
- The re-homed equine CANNOT be sold, adopted, transferred, auctioned, released, given away, or otherwise placed into the possession of another individual or organization under any circumstances and must be returned to KFTHC should the adopter decide that he/she is no longer able, or no longer wishes, to care for the equine.
- Adopters/purchasers can return an equine to KFTHC free of charge.
- KFTHC will accept financial responsibility for equines in the current care of KFTHC that need to be retired or are no longer able to contribute to the mission of the organization.

I understand and will comply with KFTHC'S POLICIES AND PROCEDURES AS STATED IN
THE REHOMING/ADOPTION POLICIES AND CONTRACT:

IF THERE IS ANY BREACH OF CONTRACT THE EQUINE MUST IMMEDIATELY BE RETURNED TO
KFTHC.

Signature of prospective owner: _____ Date: _____

Signature of KFTHC Equine Manager: _____ Date: _____

