## **Rehoming Agreement**

### **Hooves of Hope Equestrian Center**

#### **Horse Information**

| Horse's Barn Name:    |                            | Birth Da             | te: Height: _ |  |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|---------------|--|
| Color:                | Markings:                  | Sex:                 | Microchip #:  |  |
| Veterinarian Approv   | ed Activities and Uses:    |                      |               |  |
| Excluded Activities a | nd Uses:                   |                      |               |  |
|                       | <u>Adopte</u>              | r Information        |               |  |
| Name:                 |                            |                      |               |  |
| Address:              |                            | City, State, and Zip | code:         |  |
| Phone: Home           | Cell                       | Wor                  | k             |  |
| Email address:        |                            |                      |               |  |
| Location of the horse | e if different than above: |                      |               |  |

#### **Terms of Rehoming Agreement**

- 1. False statements can result in legal action and a voided application
- 2. Owner Qualifications
  - a. At least 21 years old
  - b. Owned at least one other equine within their life
  - c. Ability to keep equine with at least one other equine
  - d. Agree to an on-site visit from the Hooves of Hope staff before they acquire the equine.
  - e. Agree to scheduled visits of the equine during the duration of the equine's life.
  - f. Provide vet, farrier, and dentist they plan to use and allow Hooves of Hope to call them
- 3. Track for Life Program: Hooves of Hope requires that the owner provide yearly updates of the equine.
  - a. Every year by May 31st the owner must email photos of the equine to <a href="mailto:equinemanager@hoovesofhopeky.org">equinemanager@hoovesofhopeky.org</a> as well as a description of how the equine is doing. They must include up to date photos of each side of the horse without any obstruction. Failure to do so will result in Hooves of Hope acquiring ownership of the equine.
  - b. Under no circumstance can the horse be sold to an auction or slaughterhouse, or surrendered to a rescue.
- 4. This equine will not be used for any work that has not first been cleared by a veterinarian. Examples include: Driving, Jumping, Plowing, etc.
- 5. 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
- 6. The equine will not be used for breeding purposes.

- 7. This is the retirement home for the equine. To the best of applicant's ability, the equine will live out their life with applicant. In the event that the equine does need to be rehomed:
  - a. Hooves of Hope has first right of refusal: If the owner decides to re-home the equine via sale, donation, or any other form at any time, Hooves of Hope must be notified. Hooves of Hope will be allowed two weeks to decide if Hooves of Hope will gain ownership of the horse free of charge. In the event that Hooves of Hope chooses not to gain ownership of the horse, the owner must provide contact information for the new owner and the new owner must agree to all the terms within this agreement. Additionally, Hooves of Hope will assess the new owner by the standards above and has the right to deny sale or donation of the horse.
  - b. The equine may, at any time, be returned to Hooves of Hope free of charge
  - c. This agreement shall remain in effect until the death of the equine. The terms of the agreement are binding on any future adopter or any third-party person or entity taking possession of the equine. Any future adopter or any third-party person or entity taking possession of the equine must re-sign an agreement with the organization prior to the equine being placed into the possession of any future adopter or any third-party person or entity.
- 8. If any part of this agreement is breached the horse will immediately be surrendered back to Hooves of Hope.

| Please sign below if applicant agrees to the rules of the Adoption Agreement |       |
|--|-------|
| Applicant Signature:   | Date: |
| Representative of Hooves of Hope Signature:                                  | Date: |

# **Adoption Application**

# **Hooves of Hope Equestrian Center**

## **General Information**

| Name: Email address:                            |   |  |
|---|---|--|
| Phone:  |   |  |
| Home address:                                   |   |  |
| Occupation:                                     | Employer:   |  |
| <u>Ba</u>                                       | ckground Information  |  |
| Have you ever sold a horse to an auction? If so | o, why:   |  |
|   |   |  |
|   | y:  |  |
|   |   |  |
| Have you ever been issued a warning or citati   | ion or been convicted for a violation against animals? Yes No |  |
| If yes, please explain:                         |   |  |
| How much have you budgeted for the horse p      | er year:  |  |
| What would you do with the horse if you have    | e to  |  |
| move:   |   |  |
| Who will take care of the horse while you're o  | out of town:  |  |
| How long do you intend to keep the horse:       |   |  |
| Are you currently working with an instructor    |   |  |
| Name:   |   |  |
| Phone:  |   |  |
| Email:  |   |  |
| Is Hooves of Hope allowed to contact            | your trainer? Yes No  |  |
| Type of riding <b>Western English Other</b>     | <b>:</b>  |  |
| Riding goals:                                   |   |  |
| Level of riding experience <b>Beginner Inte</b> | ermediate Advanced  |  |
|   |   |  |

**Advanced** 

Riding and handling level of primary caretaker **Beginner Intermediate** 

### **Horse Information**

| Have you ever owned a horse before? Yes No If yes, how long:                                     |
|--|
| Do you currently own any horses? Yes No  |
| If yes, please provide breeds and ages:  |
| Please answer the following about the horse you are looking for:                                 |
| Age: Height:   |
| Personality:   |
| Intended use:  |
| Are you willing to invest in corrective shoeing? Yes No  |
| Are you willing to maintain any supplements or medication the horse is given? Yes No             |
| Are you able to accommodate a horse with dietary restrictions such as needing a dry lot? If yes, |
| explain:   |
| What vaccinations do you plan to give?:  |
| Name and contact of the veterinarian do you plan to use:   |
| Name and contact of the farrier do you plan to use:  |
| Name and contact of the equine dentist do you plan to use:                                       |
| Property/Facility Information  |
| Facility name and address where you will keep the horse :  |
| Is this property and facility owned by applicant? Yes No   |
| If not, who owns this property and facility?   |
| Phone:Email:   |
| Type of gates/fencing:   |
| Automatic waterers: Yes No   |

Run in shed: Yes No
Grass Pasture: Yes No

Dry Lot: Yes No

Option for either grass pasture or dry lot depending on the horse's needs: Yes No

Barn with stalls: Yes No

Is the facility open for a site visit by Hooves of Hope staff: Yes No

Please provide pictures of the facilities including all structures and pastures that the horse will be kept in.

Pictures can be sent to <a href="mailto:equinemanager@hoovesofhopeky.org">equinemanager@hoovesofhopeky.org</a>

### **References**

### Personal/Character Reference (Non-familial) (equine related preferred)

| Name:   |                  |          |
|---------|------------------|----------|
|         |                  | _ Email: |
|         |                  |          |
| Veterii | narian Reference |          |
| Name:   |                  |          |
|         |                  | _ Email: |
|         |                  |          |
| Farrie  | r                |          |
| Name:   |                  |          |
|         | Phone Number:    | _ Email: |
|         |                  |          |
| Equine  | e Dentist        |          |
| Name:   |                  |          |
|         | Phone Number:    | Email:   |