

**SOFT COATED WHEATEN TERRIER CLUB
OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA RESCUE PROGRAM
Adoption Contract and Ownership Agreement**

This Adoption Contract and Ownership Agreement is made between the Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier Club of Southern California (SCWTCSC) and _____.

I acknowledge receipt of this Wheaten Terrier and agree to the following conditions:

I agree to adopt the Wheaten Terrier known as _____ and donate \$ _____ to SCWTCSC Rescue. I understand and agree that the SCWTCSC reserves the right to reclaim this Wheaten Terrier if any of the conditions described below are not met. SCWTCSC Wheaten Rescue may also repossess this pet if it has reason to believe the pet is being mistreated, abused (verbally or physically), or is in unhealthy conditions. I further understand that a SCWTCSC Wheaten Rescue Representative may make a follow-up visit at a mutually convenient time, to ascertain that all conditions continue to be satisfied.

1. This Wheaten Terrier will be housed at my home as a family pet in a safe and loving environment, sleeping indoors at night and with access to the residence. She/He is not to be restricted to the yard nor tied outside. SCWTCSC POLICY IS TO PLACE WHEATEN TERRIERS AS FAMILY PETS ONLY.

2. I agree to make every effort to maintain this Wheaten Terrier in proper weight, provide regular veterinary care including annual vaccinations, parasite checks, and dental care at my expense. Grooming will be properly maintained and exercise will be on a regular basis. I will enroll in a basic dog obedience class very soon.

3. A personalized identification tag with two phone numbers must be kept on this Wheaten Terrier at all times. When on public streets, parks, etc., this pet will always be leashed. An appropriate city license will be obtained.

4. IF FOR ANY REASON I AM UNABLE TO KEEP OR PROVIDE ADEQUATE CARE FOR THIS WHEATEN TERRIER, I MUST RETURN IT TO WHEATEN RESCUE. I agree to advise SCWTCSC of any major health problems, injuries, or the death of this pet. I will not sell or give this Wheaten Terrier to any other person, friend, relative, organization, medical laboratory, pound, or animal shelter.

5. If I move to a new location, I will notify SCWTCSC Rescue Program of my new address and phone number. I will also provide updated e-mail addresses.

6. I understand that this is a binding contract and enforceable by civil law. If any of the above agreements are breached, all rights, including possession of this Wheaten Terrier, immediately revert to the SCWTCSC. In this case, any and all costs to repossess this pet will be paid by me, including reasonable attorney's fees, repossession, transportation, and delivery of the Wheaten Terrier.

7. No warranties or agreements, express or implied, other than those contained herein are part of this agreement. A separate Liability and Indemnification Release is incorporated by reference.

From this day forward I hereby release the SCWTCSC and its Rescue Program Representative from any liability for injury or property damage arising from my ownership of this Wheaten Terrier. I understand the terms of the Contract and I sign it freely.

Adopting Person(s) Date

Address City State Zip

Name, Address & Phone number of Nearest Relative _____

SCWTCSC Representative

