

## **CONTRACT & HEALTH WARRANTY**

Below is our Health Guarantee and Contract. Please review. When putting down a deposit for one of our puppies, we will send you a form with the information below for you to sign.

## **Health Guarantee & Contract**

Seller guarantees that at the time of delivery, the puppy is in excellent health. All puppies are vet-checked, de-wormed, vaccinated and taken exceptional care of. Upon arriving, should the puppy be found to have poor health of a serious nature, Seller will provide Buyer with a full refund of the purchase price (including sales tax) of the puppy only. Shipping fees will not be refunded.

The following conditions apply to the sale of the aforementioned puppy:

- The Buyer has three (3) business days from the time of receipt of dog to have dog examined by a Veterinarian. Any request to return the puppy to the Seller for a full refund must be made within this time period and may only be requested should the puppy prove to be sick upon arrival. Proof of examination (complete documentation) must be provided. Refunds will be provided upon return of the puppy in question -at Buyer's expense -and confirmation of diagnosis by Seller's vet.
- A warranty against all serious life -altering genetic disease is provided until dog is two years of age. Should a genetic disease be discovered during this time that will greatly shorten the life or greatly alter the quality of life of the puppy, Seller will provide Buyer with a 75% refund of purchase price. Minor health ailments including, but not limited to, fleas, worms/parasites, tooth misalignment or stress induced diarrhea due to the puppy's transition from the Sellers home are not reason for dog to be returned to Seller. Proof of examination and diagnosis must be provided to Seller and Seller's vet, should Buyer wish to request returning dog for a refund. We do not guarantee size, color, type of coat (non-shedding hypoallergenic) or appearance. This warranty will be terminated if dog is not examined within the allotted time.
- A warranty for Hip Dysplasia is provided for two years, allowing for a 75% of the purchase price. This
  warranty will be terminated should dog be allowed to become overweight or developing joints be
  overstressed at any point during the first two years. Should dog be found to have Hip Dysplasia within its
  first two years, Buyer must provide Seller with proof in the form of documentation from PennHIP or OFA.
   Veterinary medical records will be required showing the weight of dog and veterinarian's assessment of the

weight. We reserve the right to confirm the results before a refund is provided. Should results from OFA/PennHIP indicate that an injury may have occurred that caused or contributed to the issue, no reimbursement will be provided.

- All puppies are sold on a non-breeding contract (unless otherwise arranged with Seller for an additional fee). Buyer agrees to spay this female puppy by nine (9) months of age or neuter this male puppy by twelve (12) months of age. Buyer must send proof to Seller via e-mail. Failure to follow through with the spay/neuter contract as outlined above will terminate the entire Health Warranty unless a Breeder's Addendum is signed before purchase. Any legal fees incurred by the Seller to enforce this non-breeding contract are the sole responsibility of the Buyer.
- Under no circumstances shall the Seller be liable to the Buyer or to any third party for any consequential, incidental or special damages resulting from or in a manner related to the puppy.
- Upon execution of this contract all veterinary care and its associated costs are the sole and exclusive responsibility of the buyer.

## 2. Maintenance:

- 1. Buyer agrees to maintain this puppy/dog in good health and provide routine preventative health care. Veterinary records must be provided to breeder if requesting refund or replacement. If reasonable preventative/maintenance care has not been provided, health warranty will be void.
- 2. Buyer agrees to provide adequate housing away from the elements. Dog will NEVER be left on a chain. The Buyer will groom, train, and care for this dog in the manner consistent with high quality animal husbandry. Failure to do so will void this health warranty.
- 3. Buyer agrees to feed the puppy/dog a premium dog food and not a lower- quality food such as Alpo, Pedigree, etc. (the first two ingredients should be a MEAT 'MEAL' and not a grain.) The food should have a 5 star rating on The Dog Food Advisor website. Feeding the dog anything other than a premium quality dog food will result in a termination of the health warranty.

Seller (South Paw Doodles):
Date:
Buyer (Dog Owner):
Date: