**Wellington Ranch Aussies**

Bill of Sale & Puppy Contract

**On this day\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the below listed puppy has been sold to the person or persons listed as “buyer” below. This agreement is for the purchase of the purebred mini Australian Shepherd listed below and sets forth the terms and conditions agreed upon between buyer \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and seller Alicia Tremblay of Wellington Ranch Aussies.**

**Buyer’s Information:**

Buyer’s Name:

Home Address:

City, State:

Phone #:

Email Address:

**Puppy Informaton**:

Litter or Registration # :

Breed: ASDR (Miniature/Toy) Australian Shepherd

Whelped:

Sex:

Color:

Eye Color:

Price of Puppy:

Shipping Price paid:

Sire:

Dam:

**Breeding Rights?**

Should buyer decide to break any portion of this agreement, the remainder of the contract will be considered void. Buyer and seller agree that this contract will be governed by the laws of the State of Texas and may not be altered, modified, or rescinded unless agreed in writing by both the buyer and seller.

Deposits: Deposits received BEFORE a litter s born may be refundable/transferable if the specific desired sex and/or color is unavailable. Buyer may choose a full refund of deposit or use the deposit towards the next available litter. Order of received deposits determines order of a buyer’s choice. First come, first serve. Otherwise ALL depsoits are NON-REFUNDABLE (including a litter pick deposit that has been completed and placed on a specific puppy). Deposits are applied towards the final purchase price.

Shipping: If a puppy is to be shipped, buyer is responsible for all related expenses including airfare or ground transportation, health certificate and travel crate. Shipping is only available within the United States.

**The Breeder Agrees:**

That this puppy is in good health and free of any serious medical conditions or diseases. The buyer will have 3 business days in which to have the puppy examined by their own veterinarian (Due to the closures resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic we are extending this to 5 business days). If vet visit is not conducted during this time the seller has the right to nullify this contract and all conditions stated within. The seller attests to the fact that the puppy has been given at least one set of vaccinations and has been given at least four rounds of dewormer administered every 2-3 weeks beginning at 2 weeks of age. Seller has provided this information to buyer at the time of sale.

If the puppy is found to be ill by a licensed veterinarian and is to be returned due to illness, a letter from the veterinarian is required. This includes death or illness from any serious health condition deemed to be present prior to the puppy leaving the seller’s premises. Buyer shall assume any expenses associated with returning the puppy to the seller. The seller will, at the seller's discretion, refund the purchase price, return the dog to the buyer in healthy condition, OR exchange the dog for another dog of equal value. At no time and under no circumstances will the breeder be responsible for any veterinary expenses incurred by the buyer.

**This puppy is warranted against FATAL GENETIC defects for 2 years from the date of purchase.** Should the puppy be determined to be suffering from a fatal defect deemed to be hereditary (within 2 years from the date of purchase), Wellington Ranch Aussies will replace the puppy with one of the same value when one is available after notification and written verification has been furnished to the breeder by TWO independent veterinarians. The breeder WILL NOT be responsible for any veterinary costs at ANYTIME.  
We cannot guarantee that your puppy will never develop any health problems, just as a pediatrician cannot guarantee that a child will never develop any health problems in the future. Some things are just not able to be predicted. However, all puppies are vet checked at birth or before going to new homes and come from healthy parents who are free of diseases, disorders, and health problems and have been genetically health tested by Paw Print Genetics (or equal testing facility) and found unaffected by diseases that are known to be carried by this breed type. That means our puppies are less likely to develop problems. If anything does occur, you are required to inform us so we can evaluate the parents and the other puppies from the same litter in an attempt to determine the cause of the ailment and to eliminate the issue from our breeding program.

**Breeder does NOT GUARANTEE against coccidia or giardia (typically dormant single celled parasites common in puppies). Breeder does NOT GURANTEE for final adult weight, color, breeding ability, show potential or against overbites, underbites, patella issues, hernias, trachea issues or for undescended testicles. Breeder does NOT GUARANTEE against hookworms, roundworms, tapeworms or whipworms. Worms are extremely common in puppies and many times puppies are in fact born with them. We do guarantee that your puppy has been dewormed every 2 weeks starting at birth and recommend that you continue to deworm them at regular intervals determined by your veterinarian. Puppy has also been preventatively treated against coccidia. Seller agrees to notify buyer if they or the vet discover any of the above problems prior to sale.**

**By initialing, you agree that you have read and understand what BREEDER does and does not guarantee for. X\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (initial)**

Puppy will need a total of 3 puppy boosters (at least one has been given while puppy was in the care of the breeder) and a rabies vaccination will be needed at 16 weeks old and then yearly boosters. Please see your puppy’s health record for details on the health care your puppy has received while with the breeder. Each puppy has been evaluated by a licensed veterinarian and has been deemed “structurally sound” and in good health prior to going to their new home.

**The Buyer Agrees:**

That this puppy will be given adequate and proper shelter and housed securely indoors. This dog shall not be neglected, allowed to roam free, or be mistreated in any manner. The puppy shall receive proper veterinary care throughout its life, receiving annual inoculations and placed on a heartworm preventative. The puppy shall receive proper nutrition and care shall be taken to maintain its proper weight. Buyer agrees to give the dog proper training and socialization. Buyer agrees to never sell or surrender this dog into a dog fighting institution, testing center or shelter.

The Buyer agrees to finish all puppy vaccines before taking their puppy out in public, letting their puppy on public sidewalks and grasses, or letting their puppy be touched by people outside of the family. This reduces the chance of your puppy picking up a communicable disease such as parvo.

\_\_\_\_\_Buyer agrees to return the dog to the Breeder if for any reason the Buyer no longer wants to or is unable to keep the dog. Breeder agrees to either assist Buyer in finding another suitable home where the dog will receive proper care or to accept the dog back at any time with no refund to be given to the Buyer as Breeder would accept responsibility for the dog and will be responsible for the future cost of care including vet care and training. The Buyer will notify the Breeder of any changes of address and will maintain contact with the seller throughout the life of this dog. The Buyer will register the puppy with the ASDR prior to 1 year of age.

\_\_\_\_\_\_Buyer agrees not to breed this dog. This puppy will be registered with limited registration and spaying/neutering is required by 1 year of age. If prior to the dog’s first birthday, the Buyer feels that this puppy is indeed show or breeding quality and wishes to show or breed this puppy, and the Breeder agrees, the limited registration can be lifted by the breeder for an additional fee to be determined at a later date by the breeder. Limited registration in no way prevents this puppy from participating in any ASDR event except for the conformation ring.

By signing below, both parties, Breeder and Buyer, agree to abide by the contents of this contract.

Buyer Signature: Date:

Breeder Signature: Date: