



## Post Adoption Tips

1. Please register your cat's microchip with your contact information as soon as possible. Often times when cats go missing they are recovered because they are chipped. Please remember to keep your contact information updated as needed.
2. Do not ever declaw a Cats by the Tracks cat. They need claws for personal comfort and hygiene as well as for protection.
3. Cats by the Tracks will assist you in rehoming your cat should your life circumstances change in the future. Please contact 559-824-6332 or [info@catsbythetracks.com](mailto:info@catsbythetracks.com)
4. Please make sure the cat has enough food and water replenished frequently to ensure a healthy weight and lifestyle.
5. Provide adequate shelter. We suggest keeping the cat indoors exclusively however, if your cat should desire to be outdoors please make sure they have been with you indoors for at least 3 weeks prior to their first outdoor adventure. Cats need time to recalculate their GPS systems.
6. Please monitor your cat carefully. A lack of appetite or thirst is one sign of poor health, perhaps an infection or irritation. Runny feces can occur with diet change but if it continues it could lead to dehydration. Many of these minor cat illnesses can be treated with simple antibiotics.
7. Do not ever physically abuse, neglect, starve or harm the cat in anyway. If you need to relinquish your cat for any reason, we are here to help.
8. Please monitor VERY carefully when small children are handling the cat. Excessive mauling, over exuberant hugging and holding or tail pulling can lead to the cat scratching or biting the child.
9. Last but not least, please remember that your cat is a member of your family, they are reliant on you for their wellbeing and care and that is no small task. We at Cats by the Tracks would like to thank you for making your home their home. We are here if you need us, feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns you may have.

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