



## DOG ADOPTION/FOSTER APPLICATION

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Who will be responsible for cleaning, feeding, and exercising this dog? \_\_\_\_\_

- Reason(s) for wanting a dog?  Family pet  Guard dog  Breeding  Gift for friend, partner, or family  To train/use for hunting  
 To train/use for agility  To train/use as therapy dog  Jogging/hiking partner  Companion for my dog  Companion for my cat  
 To interact with lots of friends/family members

If employed please list employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of people in household: \_\_\_\_\_ List ages of all living in household: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you discussed this potential adoption with all members of your household?  Yes  No

I live in a:  House  Condo  Apartment  RV/Mobile Home  Manufactured Home

Do you rent or own your home?  Rent  Own  Live in Relative/Friend's Home

\*If you rent you must notify your landlord that you have provided us with their contact information & that we may contact them to verify you are allowed to own a dog (*unfortunately, we must do this due to past experience*).

Do you have a yard?  No yard  Yard with vertical fence  Yard with invisible fencing  Yard with no fence

My adopted dog will... (*select all that apply*)  Be kept outside  Be kept inside  Be outside when I am not home  Be inside when I am not home  Be crated when I am not home  Have free reign of the house when I am not home  Be taken to formal obedience classes  Be trained by me  Be taken on frequent car rides  Be kept on a lead line/cable in the yard  Be outside with a dog house in a fenced area  Be outside chained/tethered to a dog house  Be free roaming on the farm/property (unfenced)  Be mostly interacting with adults  Be interacting frequently with children under 8  Be housebroken prior to adoption  Will be housetrained by me  Will be walked a mile or more per day everyday  Will be walked occasionally  Be boarded when I go on vacation  Stay with family/friend when I go on vacation  Go camping with me  Go boating with me  Be given away to someone else if I feel it's not a good match for me  Be turned into a shelter if I can't keep it

What activity/energy level do you prefer?  Wild & crazy  Daily jogging partner  Plays a bit then hangs out with me  Walks slowly on leash & a total couch potato  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Under what circumstances would you return a dog?  Not housebroken  Chewing  Jumping  Pulling on leash during walks  Needs obedience training  Fear of men  Fear of women  Fear of children  Growling  Barking  Rough play with other dog(s)  High energy  Food/toy aggression/not willing to share with other dogs  Food/toy aggression with people  Whining/crying

- Blindness  Limited sight  Deafness  Separation anxiety  Diabetes  Special diet  Long term medication  Incontinence/leaking urine  Gets stressed/ car sick in vehicle  Doesn't know how to climb stairs  Can't climb stairs due to age/arthritis/health issues  Heart condition  Skin allergies  Food allergies  Heartworm preventative  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 I will do whatever it takes to help this dog adjust and work with a trainer to help resolve any training needs.

**Please list any pets you have owned in the last 5 years (include breed, sex, age, spayed/neutered & number of years owned):**

BREED:	SEX:	AGE:	SPAYED or NEUTERED:	# YEARS OWNED:

**Vet reference** (please call your vet and give permission to release information to us):

Veterinarian

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Two Personal References** (People who know you, but are not related to you. Can be friend, dog walker, dog groomer, etc.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Relation to you: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Relation to you: \_\_\_\_\_

*Our goal is to place all pets into homes that will best suit their individual needs. Please ask for clarification if you have any questions.*

**I understand that many factors determine which applicant will be matched with a particular pet. I also understand that if I am not chosen to adopt a pet, it does not mean that I am not considered a good pet owner or that my home is not acceptable. I understand I may be accepted in the future if I match with another pets needs/characteristics.**

Please sign here: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_