

**ANIMAL ADOPTION CENTER'S CANINE APPLICATION**

**( ) ADOPTION ( ) FOSTER**

*(Please check one or both boxes)*

DOG (S) NAME \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_ TAG# \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED QUALIFIED FOR ADOPTING FROM THIS ORGANIZATION, YOU MUST PROVIDE PROOF OF CURRENT ADDRESS BY YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE OR STATE CERTIFIED PHOTO ID. YOU MUST BE 18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER TO ADOPT. THE ADOPTION MANAGER MUST APPROVE YOUR APPLICATION. YOU MUST BE 21 YEARS OF AGE TO BE CONSIDERED FOR ANY POWER BREED.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Drivers License #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Hours: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of spouse/partner: \_\_\_\_\_

Partner's employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Hours: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you live in:(Check one) **House**( ) **Apartment**( ) **Mobile Home**( ) **Condo**( ) **Dorm**( ) **Trailer**( ) **Other**( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you: **Own**( ) **Rent**( ) **Live with parents**( ) **Other**( ) *(Please explain)* \_\_\_\_\_

If live with parents, regardless of age, we must have parental approval.

How long have you lived at this address? \_\_\_\_\_

If less than 6 months, previous address: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you intend on moving in the next 6 months? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **Unknown**( )

Would you permit an onsite premise check? **Yes**( ) **No**( )

Landlord/Homeowner's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Are dogs permitted on property? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **Unknown**( )

Are there any size, weight, breed, or quantity restrictions on the property? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **Unknown**( )

If you move in the future, what will you do with your dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Is everyone in the household aware of and in favor of this adoption? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **Don't know**( )

How many adults in the home? \_\_\_\_ How many children in the home? \_\_\_\_ What are their ages? \_\_\_\_\_

Are your children used to dogs? **Yes**( ) **No**( )

Do children or grandchildren, etc. visit your home? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) How often? \_\_\_\_\_

Does anyone in the household have allergies? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **Don't Know**( )

Are you 18 years of age or older? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) Are you at least 21 years of age for a power breed? **Yes**( ) **No**( )

Who will be responsible for the dog during the day? **Self**( ) **Spouse**( ) **Child**( ) **Other**( )

How many hours a day will the dog be left without adult supervision? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will your dog spend its time? **Indoors**( ) **Outdoors**( ) **Both**( )

When the dog is outside, what type of shelter will you provide? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a fenced yard? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) If yes, how high is it on each side? \_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_

Any gaps, holes, missing or broken boards? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **Don't Know**( )

Do you have an area where the new dog can be isolated for housebreaking purposes? **Yes**( ) **No**( )

Where \_\_\_\_\_

Do you approve of crate training? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **Undecided**( )

How will your dog get exercise? *(Check all that apply)* **Walks**( ) **Runner**( ) **Stationary tie up (chain)**( )

**Fenced yard**( ) **Enclosed Kennel**( ) **Invisible Fence**( ) **Other**( ) *(Please explain)* \_\_\_\_\_

What will you do with your dog when you are away for extended periods of time? *(Vacations, business trips, etc)*

How many pets are presently in your home? **Dogs** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cats** \_\_\_\_\_ **Other** \_\_\_\_\_

Animal(s) names: \_\_\_\_\_

Are they all spayed/neutered (S/N)? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **Some**( )

Are they all current on their shots? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **Some**( )

If no or some, on shots or S/N, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Will this be your first pet? **Yes**( ) **No**( )

How many pets have you had in the past five years? \_\_\_\_\_

What were their name(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

What happened to them? *(Check all that apply)* **Put to sleep**( ) **Sold**( ) **Hit by car**( ) **Lost**( ) **Still have**( ) **Given away**( ) **Died Accidental**( ) **Died Natural**( ) **Turned into shelter**( ) **Other**( ) *(If given away, died, turned in, or other checked, please explain)* \_\_\_\_\_

Have you adopted from a shelter or animal organization before? **Yes**( ) **No**( )

If yes, **What** \_\_\_\_\_ **Where** \_\_\_\_\_ **When** \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever turned an animal into a shelter or organization? **Yes**( ) **No**( )

If yes, please check: **Your own**( ) **Stray**( ) **What shelter** \_\_\_\_\_

**References** (Friends and neighbors preferred)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**What are your reasons for adopting a dog?** (Check all that apply)

In house companion( ) Guard dog/inside( ) Guard dog/outside( ) Dog for business( ) Farm dog( ) Outside dog( ) Hunting( ) For children( ) Want to save( ) For family member( ) (for whom) \_\_\_\_\_ Gift( ) (for whom) \_\_\_\_\_ Other( ) (Please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Preference** (Check all that apply)

**Size of Dog I'd Like:** Mini(5 to 10 lbs)( ) Small(10 to 20 lbs)( ) Med (20-50 lbs)( ) Large(50-100 lbs)( ) Giant(over 100 lbs)( )  
**Prefer:** Adult( ) Senior( ) Puppy( ) Special needs( ) Any( ) Male( ) Female( ) Either( )  
**Breed/ Mix:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Color:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**I'd like these Personality/Temperament Traits in My Dog:** Quiet( ) Vocal( ) Mellow( ) Active( ) Lap Dog( ) High energy( ) Protective( ) Affectionate( ) Herder( ) Retriever( ) Loves Water( ) Other( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a veterinarian? **Yes**( ) **No**( )

Veterinarian's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Town: \_\_\_\_\_  
State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Use this space for any additional comments you wish to make relating to this adoption.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Foster Information** (Only fill out this section, additionally, if you have checked foster box on front of application)

Why are you interested in fostering a dog? \_\_\_\_\_  
What would you like to foster? **Dog**( ) **Puppies**( ) **Mother dog w/pups**( ) **Bottle feeding underage puppies**( )  
**Special needs**( ) **Senior**( ) **Injured**( ) **Sick**( ) **Pregnant dog**( ) **Abused, or Neglected**( ) **Other**( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you have any experience with the above choices? **Yes**( ) **No**( ) **What?** \_\_\_\_\_  
What is your level of experience? **Beginner**( ) **Some Experience**( ) **Experienced**( ) (Please explain) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
How many hours in a day are you willing to devote to your foster animal? \_\_\_\_\_  
Are you able to give: **Pills**( ) **Liquid Medications**( ) **Injections**( )  
Do you have a separate room or area to keep your foster animal(s) away from your animals? **Yes**( ) **No**( )  
If an emergency arose with your foster animal(s), would you be able to take it to a vet? **Yes**( ) **No**( )  
Would you be able to take your foster animal for routine vet visits? **Yes**( ) **No**( )  
How long are you willing to keep a foster animal? **Short term** (1 to 3 weeks)( ) **Long term** (1 to 3 months)( )  
Shelter animals have sometimes been in neglectful and/or abusive situations and, therefore, may experience difficulty making the transition to a new foster home. Are you willing to be patient while the animal adjusts to the new foster home? **Yes**( ) **No**( )

I certify that the information given by me in this application is true and complete. I further understand that any falsified information that I give will terminate action on the adoption process. I understand and agree to Animal Adoption Center, at their discretion, performing a home check relating to this adoption. I hereby authorize release/ disclosure of records and/ or other information concerning all of the above inquiries, including but not limited to tenancy information and veterinary records.

**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Must be 18 years of age or 21 for power breed)

**Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SHELTER USE ONLY:**

**SHELTER SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Adoption Fee: (cash / check #)** \_\_\_\_\_

**MANAGER'S INITIALS:**

**ACCEPTED**( ) **REJECTED**( ) **PENDING**( ) **PETSMART OR OUTSIDE ADOPTION**( ) **FOSTER**( )

**SHELTER COMMENTS:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**ESCORT NAME:** (Please print) \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone # :** \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMENTS:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_