

Dog Adoption Application

Dog of Interest

Dog Name: _____

Interested in: Adoption Foster

Applicant Information

Full Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Preferred Contact (circle one): Phone Email Text

Household & Property

Own or Rent (circle one): Own Rent

Type of Home (circle one): House Apartment Condo Townhouse

Do you have a fenced yard? (circle one): Yes No

If yes, please describe fence type and height:

Children in home (circle one): Yes No

Children visiting (circle one): Yes No

Home Environment (circle one): Calm Moderate Busy

Exercise & Enrichment Plans

What type of daily exercise do you plan to provide? (check all that apply)

- Leash walks
- Fenced backyard play
- Supervised free play
- Hiking / outdoor adventures
- Training sessions
- Mental enrichment (puzzles, sniffing, games)

Please describe frequency and duration:

Lifestyle

Work Status (circle one): Work from home Retired Outside home

Hours dog alone per day: _____

Pets & Experience

Current pets (species, breed, age, temperament):

Have you ever surrendered or rehomed an animal? (circle one): Yes No

If yes, please explain:

Relevant Experience

Please indicate any experience you have with the following (check all that apply):

- Separation anxiety
- Strong or powerful dogs
- Leash walking or leash pulling
- Senior dogs
- Puppies
- Excessive barking or vocalization
- Reactivity (dogs, people, or environments)
- Resource guarding

Why This Dog

Why are you considering fostering or adopting this specific dog?

References (Not Living in Your Home)

Please list two personal references who do NOT live in your household.

Reference #1

Name: _____

Relationship: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Reference #2

Name: _____

Relationship: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Veterinary Reference

Clinic Name: _____

Phone: _____

Behavior & Training Acknowledgment

Please check each item to acknowledge understanding:

I understand dogs may experience behavioral concerns that require additional training, management, or treatment.

I acknowledge that I will reach out to the trainer or adoption/foster coordinator for guidance if concerns arise.

I understand these concerns may include, but are not limited to:

Separation anxiety

Crate or confinement distress

Potty training challenges or accidents during the first few weeks

Resource guarding

Dog-to-dog reactivity

Leash reactivity or leash pulling

Need for slow introductions to new people, environments, or resident animals

Understanding that management tools, separation, and extended decompression may be necessary

Adoption Support & Rehoming Policy

I understand that all training, behavior, or rehoming concerns must be discussed with the adoption coordinator.

I agree the dog will not be returned to or surrendered to a shelter.

Initials: _____

Signature

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____