DOG ADOPTER QUESTIONNAIRE

Preferences

What drew you to this particular dog? _____

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_____

What are your reasons for adopting a dog? (check all that apply)

☐ watchdog ☐ breeding ☐ hunting dog ☐ child's pet

☐ guard dog for business ☐ companion for other pet

☐ companion for self or family ☐ guard dog for home

☐ gift Notes:_____

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How many hours a day will the dog be kept outside?

____ Notes:_____

_____

Where will the dog sleep? _____

When outside, how do you intend to keep your dog confined to your property? ☐ fenced pen ☐ leash

☐ fenced yard ☐ chain/tie out ☐ other _____

Do you have or are you planning for: ☐ fenced yard

☐ a run ☐ a stationary tie-out ☐ dog house ☐ crate

About the Household

How many adults _____ and children_____are in your home? Ages of children_____

How many _____ dog(s) _____indoor cat(s),

_____ indoor/outdoor cats, and other pets/animals?

_____

How many dogs _____ and/or cats_____ have you had as an adult? How long did you have these pets and where are they now?

_____

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_____

Finish this sentence: I need a dog that will tolerate being alone _____ hours a day.

How will you exercise the dog?

☐ backyard ☐ walk/jog daily with the dog

☐ dog park ☐ other_____

Dog Behavior

What difficult dog behaviors have you dealt with before?_____

_____

For what behaviors would you like more information?

☐ chewing ☐ barking ☐ digging ☐ play biting

☐ housetraining ☐ rough play

☐ other_____

_____

Other Possible Questions

Have you ever owned this type of dog before?

Have you ever owned a puppy before?

How do you feel about crate training?

How busy is your household?

How would you describe your approach to relating to dogs or your style of training?

Notes:

CAT ADOPTER QUESTIONNAIRE

About the Household

How many adults _____ and children _____ are in your home? Ages of children:_____

What pets do you have in your household: dog(s) ____, indoor cat (s)____, indoor/outdoor cats _____ and other pets _____

How many dogs _____and/or cats ____have you had as an adult? Where are they now? _____

_____

How long did you have them? _____

If you have a dog: what experience has the dog had with cats? _____

This cat will…

- ☐ live strictly indoors
- ☐ live indoors/outdoors
- ☐ live outdoors only
- ☐ be outside with supervision
- ☐ come and go independently
- ☐ live in our barn

Cat Behavior

For what behaviors would you like more information?

☐ litter box problems ☐ scratching furniture ☐ play biting ☐ other _____

Other Possible Questions

Have you ever had a cat with litter box usage problems? _____

If yes, how did you resolve the problem? _____

_____

Have you ever owned a kitten? _____

How much time do you think it will take for the cat to adjust to his or her new environment? _____

What about this cat drew you to him or her? _____

_____

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Notes:

ADOPTER INFORMATION

Name _____

Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Employer _____

Occupation _____

Spouse's Employer _____

Spouse's Work Phone _____

My current living arrangement is:

☐ I own my own home.

☐ I live with my parents. Do they know you are getting a pet? Yes ___ No ___

☐ I rent. Describe your landlord's pet policy: _____

_____

Veterinarian's name _____

Phone number _____

How much annually are you planning on spending on your pet for vet care? _____

Name of emergency/alternate contact _____ Relationship _____

Phone _____

- **I certify the above information to be true and correct.**

Signature _____ Date _____

REHOMING AGREEMENT

This agreement documents the transfer of ownership of the pet named _____

PREVIOUS OWNER

Name _____

Address _____

_____

Phone _____

NEW OWNER

Name _____

Address _____

_____

Phone_____

PET DETAILS (provided by previous owner)

Pet's name:	Type: dog | cat
Description/color:	Sex: Spayed or neutered?
Known health conditions:	Veterinarian name: Phone:
Microchip # (if applicable):	Microchip Company: Phone:
Other information:	

Previous Owner

To the best of my knowledge, all information about this animal given by me to the new owner is true. I understand and hereby certify that (i) **I am the true and rightful owner of this animal**, (ii) **no other person has any right of property in this animal,** (iii) **I surrender all property rights in this animal,** and (iv) **I am conveying full and complete right, title and interest in and to this animal to the new owner documented here.**

_____

Signature of previous owner

_____

Date

New Owner

I acknowledge taking custody of this animal and assuming full and complete right, title and interest in this animal as of this date. I promise to provide this animal with regular professional veterinary care. I understand that the previous owner makes no guarantees or warranties regarding the health or temperament of this animal.

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Signature of new owner

_____

Date