

Waggin' Tails Dog Rescue, Inc. Pre-Adoption Application

Failure to complete the application or providing false information will result in an automatic DENIAL!!

Dog Name		Dog Description	
Applicant Name		Co-Applicant Name	
Address		City/State/Zip	
Home Phone		Cell Phone	Best Time to Call
Email Address			

Living Situation: Own Home Rent Home Apartment Condo Other Years Lived: _____

◆ If you checked Rent Home or Apartment, please provide written proof with your application from you landlord which indicates that you are allowed to have a pet. If you have an association, please include written documentation on what restrictions, if any, they may have on breed, size, etc.

How many people currently living in household? Adults _____ Ages _____ Children _____ Ages _____

Who will be the primary caretaker? _____

Provide history of pets (cats/dogs) that you have owned in the last 10 years but who are no longer with you:

Name of Pet	Type/Breed	Pet's Age	How long did you own?	Why is the pet no longer with you? If deceased, please provide cause of death.

Please provide the information below on all pets currently in your home:

Name of Pet	Type/Breed	Age	Sterilized?	Heartworm Preventative?	Current w/Vaccines?	Inside/ Outside
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
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Do we have your permission to contact your vet(s) to obtain pet history? Yes No:

Please provide the following info on vets you use or have used in the past:

Vet Name:	Vet Phone Number:
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Where will this dog be living? Inside Outside Other

Do you have a physically fenced yard? Yes No Complete? Yes No

If no, would you be willing to install a physical or electric fence (please specify which)? _____

If no, how will the dog be contained in your yard? _____

Approximately, how many hours would the dog be left alone during the day? _____

Where will the dog stay when you are not at home (be specific)? _____

MORE QUESTIONS ON BACK – PLEASE FLIP OVER AND COMPLETE APPLICATION

Where will the dog sleep (be specific)?

How will you handle housebreaking (some dogs may need re-training)?

How will you handle destructive behavior?

Do you plan on attending obedience classes?

Once you adopted the dog, if the dog were to exhibit unwanted behaviors (barking, nipping, digging, etc.) would you consult a trainer or behaviorist? Yes No If no, what would you do?

For what reason would you consider giving up the dog?

What will you do with the dog if you move?

Considering the activity level of your family, what energy level is a good fit for your family??

- Highly Active** (jogging, hiking, agility - a go-go-go dog)
 Somewhat Active (long walks – likes to play but settles down nicely)
 Couch Potato (short walks, getting rubs, - low energy cuddler)

Please describe your ideal dog.

Why have you chosen to adopt a dog?

What are your feelings on spaying or neutering dogs?

Are you aware that a dog requires the yearly vaccines/tests & the costs can cost a minimum of \$200? Yes No

How long have you been looking for a dog? Have you applied elsewhere? If yes, where?

Why do you want a dog? (*Check all that apply*) Companion Child's Pet Companion to another pet
 Guard Hunting Gift Other

Are you aware that rescue dogs may have unknown medical and behavior history? Yes No

Would you object to a Waggin' Tails rep visiting/calling your home to inquire about the dog? Yes No

How did you come across Waggin' Tails Dog Rescue, Inc?

Waggin' Tails Website Petfinder.com Adoption Event Friends/Family Other

By signing this application, I agree that I understand the following:

- Dogs will require yearly check up's and vaccines. *The costs for these vaccines/tests can be \$200+/year or more, per dog.*
- Waggin' Tails Dog Rescue dogs, unless otherwise stated, come with age appropriate vaccines, sterilization and have been deemed healthy by a licensed veterinarian. However, we cannot guarantee the future health of any of our dogs.
- Adoption Fee for dogs that are sterilized is \$175. Adoption fee for pups that are not sterilized will be \$200 + a \$50 spay/neuter deposit which will be refunded to adopter upon proof of spay/neuter.
- Submitting an application does not obligate you to adopt nor does it guarantee the dog will be adopted to you.
- Waggin' Tails Dog Rescue does not work on a first come first serve basis. We collect applications on the dog in question and make a determination on where we think the dog will do best.
- Waggin' Tails Dog Rescue reserves the right to deny any application without explanation.
- While Waggin' Tails makes every effort to process new applications as soon as possible, it may take up to 5 days to fully process your application. The volunteers at Waggin' Tails all work full time jobs and we do our volunteer work in on our lunch hours, evenings and weekends. We cannot always reply ASAP to an application that has been placed.
- The Waggin' Tails Dog Rescue Board makes all adoption decisions and their decision is FINAL.

I understand that completion of this application will in no way guarantee the adoption of this dog and I understand that electronic signatures are valid when the application is returned electronically.

Signature of Applicant

Date