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Application for Adoption

Big Dog Rescue

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www.homelesshounds.petfinder.org

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Phone: (H): _____ (W): _____ E-mail: _____

Name of dog(s) you are interested in: _____

Why do you want to adopt a dog? _____

What do you think are the most important responsibilities in having a dog? _____

Does everyone in your household know you are applying to adopt a dog? Yes () No ()

Does every member in your household want a dog? Yes () No ()

Does anyone in the household have allergies to pets? Yes () No ()

How many people reside in you household? Please list name and age of each: _____

Please describe ALL pets currently with you (species, age, gender, spayed/neutered).

a) _____ b) _____

c) _____ d) _____

Please describe any pets no longer with you. (species, age, gender, spayed/neutered)

- a) _____ b) _____
- c) _____ d) _____

Why are these pets no longer with you? Please be specific. _____

Please provide the **name, address, and phone number** of the veterinarian for your current pets.

- a) If you had pets in the past, please supply contact information for the vet you used.
- b) If you do not currently have a pet, please provide contact information for the vet you intend to use.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip _____

Who will be responsible for feeding, housetraining, obedience training, bathing, and walking this pet?
_____.

You agree to take your new K9 to obedience training class. **Signature** _____

Do you own or rent you residence? Own () Rent ()

If you rent, please provide the name, address & phone number of your landlord:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip _____

What type of home do you live in? Condo () Single family dwelling () Apt () Manufactured house ()

Other () Are there rules regarding pets? What are the restrictions? Please list. _____

Is your yard fenced? Yes () No ()

- a) If yes, please state the approximate size: _____
- b) Of what kind of building material is the fence made? _____
- c) What portion of the yard is fenced, how high is the fence? _____

If you have no fence, how do you plan to keep the dog contained and safe? _____

Where will the dog stay during the day? (please check all that apply)

Indoors () Crated indoors () Basement () Balcony () Fenced yard () Outdoors () Kennel/run ()

Other _____

How much time will the dog spend alone each day? _____ hours

How much time are you prepared to devote to your dog's daily needs? _____ hours

Playtime: How do you plan to play with your dog? Dog Park () Walk/run () TV/couch ()

Will that time be supervised? Yes () No () By whom? _____

Will anyone be home during the day? Yes () No () Who? _____

How frequently will the adults be gone away from home on business/vacation trips? _____

When you are on vacation, where will the dog be kept? Home, someone comes over to feed ()

Pet sitting serviced () Will board at kennel () Other _____

Where will the dog sleep every night? Outdoors () Garage () Kennel () Inside ()

What do you intend to feed the dog? Dry kibble () Canned () Raw () Home cooked ()

Name of brand(s) you use or will use: _____

What would cause you to abandon this dog? Behavior () Housetraining () Other () Illness ()

If, for any reason, something were to happen to you, that would render you unable to care for the dog, do you agree to return the dog to BDR Yes () **signed** _____ OR

If you have a family member or friend you would like to care for the dog in such an event, please list their contact information here, so that they may be qualified by BDR.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail _____

Is the nominated party aware of your wishes? Yes () No () The nominated party will need to fill in an application and be willing to abide by the adoption contract.

Do you give your permission for us to contact your vet? Yes () No () **signed** _____

I represent the information I have provided on this form is the truth to the best of my knowledge and belief, and hereby give my permission for Big Dog Rescue to use any of the above information.

Signed _____ date _____

Signed _____ date _____

Big Dog Rescue retains the right to refuse to adopt to anyone for any reason, we also retain the right to check on this adopted dog at anytime. We request copies of all medical records, including all vaccines and dog license renewals. We would like the occasional photo for our wall.

home check : _____

Required repairs: _____

rechecked _____

approved _____

<p>Special Conditions:</p> <p>Initial Here: _____</p>
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