



**Belleville Area Humane Society
Pet Adoption Application**

Belleville Area Humane Society is dedicated to finding the very best homes for our pets. To meet this goal, we carefully scrutinize all applications. If you are serious about adopting one of our pets, please complete the application in full. Please note that this application will help us in determining if the adoption is in the best interest of the inquired pet and adopter. All applications are subject to approval and the Belleville Area Humane Society reserves the right to refuse and application.

Please note ALL adoption fees are NON refundable. Adopting an animal is a serious commitment. Be sure you are ready for this commitment.

Date: _____ Dog Applying For: _____

How many & to which rescues/animal shelters have you applied in the last year? _____

Why do you want to adopt a dog? _____

Name: _____ Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone(H) _____ (W) _____ (C) _____

E-Mail: _____ Drivers License#: _____

Applicants Date of Birth: _____ Occupation: _____

Emergency Contact not living in the same House: _____ Ph#: _____

Children/Ages: _____

Do you own or Rent?: _____

Type of Residence (House,apt,condo,mobile home): _____ How long at your current

residence? _____ If you rent, Do you have permission to keep a dog? _____

Landlord's name and phone #: _____

If you move where pets are not allowed, what will you do with the dog? _____

Is this dog for you and your family? _____ Is the Dog a gift? _____ If yes, for whom? _____

Does the entire family want a new dog? _____ If not, who doesn't? _____

Who will be responsible for the dogs care? _____

If there are any drastic changes in your lifestyle, will your dog still be part of the adjustment?

(Married, divorced, moving, etc) _____

Please list ALL of the animals you have owned in the past 5 years:

Pet's Name							
Breed							
Age							
Sex							
Spayed/neutered							
Do you still own?							
Where's the pet housed?							
If you no longer have this pet, where is it now?							

Name & Address of Veterinarian: _____

Phone: _____ If no vet, Why? _____

What type of heartworm preventative will you use? _____

Do you have a fenced yard? _____ Height/Style: _____

If no fenced yard, how will you handle the dog's exercise & toilet needs? _____

Will you crate train? _____ Do you have a suitable crate? _____

Are you planning or willing to attend dog obedience classes? _____ Remember shelter dogs often need training.

This pet will primarily be housed where? Please circle all that apply

House Garage Basement Outdoors Tied-out Outdoor kennel Fenced yard Yard with electric fence

How many hours on a normal day will the dog be left alone? _____

Do you have time, patience, love and physical ability to exercise a dog? _____

Are you willing to commit to owning & caring for a dog for the next 10-12 years? _____

Are you prepared for chewing, digging, scratching, housetraining, & mischievous behavior? _____

How will you reprimand your dog? _____

It may take several months for your new dog to adjust to its new home & family. How will you handle this? _____

What behaviors would cause you to return the dog to the Belleville Area Humane Society? _____

Please provide us with a NON-Family Reference:

Name _____ Address _____

Phone _____ Relationship _____

Do you agree to abide by all applicable state, county & municipal laws applicable to animals & their care? _____

Are your pets at home currently up to date on their vaccinations? _____

Do you agree to keep your dog up to date on all necessary vaccinations for the lifetime of the pet? _____

Would you allow an in-home inspection, if needed, before we make our final decision about the adoption? _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Vet Check: _____ **Date:** _____ **Notes:** _____

Landlord Check: _____ **Date:** _____ **Notes:** _____

Reference Check: _____ **Date:** _____ **Notes:** _____