

Shelter Survivors Application

*Please complete this application and email it back to

sheltersurvivors@live.com

*Please be sure every part of your application is completed, this will help expedite our process. Thank you!

● **Dog's Name:** _____

● **Date that you will be ready for your new dog:** _____

● **Your First and Last Name:** _____

● **Your FULL Address (Street Address, City, State, and Zip Code):**

● **Best Phone Number To Reach You:** _____

● **Your Email Address:** _____

● **Please List The People Living In Your Home And Their Ages:**

● **Is Everyone In Agreement On Adopting A New Dog? If not, Please Explain Below:**

● **Do You Rent Or Own Your Home?**

Rent

Own

● **If you rent, please provide your landlord's name and phone number:**

● **Are pets permitted?**

Yes

No

● **How long have you resided at your present address? _____**

● **Do you have a yard?**

No

Yes ~ Fenced In

Yes ~ Not Fenced In

● **How will your dog be exercised?**

● **How long will your dog be left alone?**

- **Where will your dog be kept when left alone?**

- **Training: (please check all that apply)**

- I will be crate training my new dog.**
- I have crate trained a dog in the past.**
- I have taken a dog to obedience training in the past.**
- I will take my new dog to obedience training.**
- I understand that my dog may develop issues as it adjusts to my new home.**
- I will tolerate barking.**
- I will tolerate chewing.**
- I will tolerate housebreaking accidents.**

- **If your new dog develops issues that do not get resolved in a reasonable amount of time, what will you do?**

- **What do you consider a reasonable amount of time for your new dog to adjust?**

- **How long have you been searching for a new dog?**

- **Why did you choose this dog?**

- **Household information: (please check all that apply)**

- Is there anyone in your home that is allergic to animals?**
- Is there anyone in your home that is fearful of animals?**
- Do you have pets now?**
- I do not have any other pets in my home right now.**

- **Pet History: Please list animals you have now. Include breed, age, and sex.**

- **Are they spayed or neutered?**

- Yes**
- No**
- I do not have any other pets.**

- **If your pet is not spayed or neutered, please explain why.**

- **Have your animals been around other dogs?**

- Yes**
- No**
- Not Applicable**

- **How did your animals react around other dogs?**

- **List any animals you have had in the past. Please include name, breed, and sex.**

- **Reason for no longer owning the pets:**

- **Have any of your pets ever been lost or hit by a car?**

- Yes**
- No**
- Not Applicable**

- **If you answered yes, please explain:**

- **Veterinarian information (Name, address, phone number):**

- **Reference #1 (Name, address, phone number, email address):**

- **Reference #2 (Name, address, phone number, email address):**

Contract Information:

In adopting this dog you agree to:

- Permit Shelter Survivors volunteers to conduct a home visit upon placing the dog and follow up calls for the purpose of assuring the proper care and adjustment of the dog.**
- NEVER put the dog in a pound or shelter. In the event you cannot keep the dog, you must contact Shelter Survivors at (908) 208-7418 or via e-mail at sheltersurvivors@live.com.**
- You may not re-home your adopted dog without the guidance and/or permission from Shelter Survivors; even after the adoption is considered finalized.**
- Purchase an identification tag for your new dog within the first 24 hours of possession. Notify us if the animal becomes missing or lost so we may assist in finding it.**
- Accept possession, title and responsibility of the animal described above at your own risk, and hereby release and waive any right against Shelter Survivors which you may have now, or in the future, for any damages to person or property caused by said animal. Recognize that animals, like humans, differ in their responses to different situations and that we cannot make any claims or representations as to previous or future behavior and actions of the animal.**

f. Have the animal checked by your veterinarian within 7 days. Provide medical care at your own expense of any conditions previously unknown to Shelter Survivors as well as routine yearly exams for as long as you own the dog.

g. You understand Shelter Survivors will take the dog back IMMEDIATELY within 7 days of adoption. After this 7 day period the adoption is considered finalized. Once finalized, you understand that if Shelter Survivors agrees to take the dog back, a foster home may not be available immediately. In this event you agree to keep the dog in your possession until a foster home becomes available or board him/her at your own expense.

IN SIGNING BELOW YOU AGREE TO ALL OF THE TERMS ABOVE AND UNDERSTAND THAT IF YOU HAVE GIVEN FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION OR DO NOT FOLLOW THE TERMS OF THIS CONTRACT, ANY OF THE ABOVE AS INDIVIDUALS OR AS AN ORGANIZATION MAY RECLAIM THIS ANIMAL AND START LEGAL PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, AT YOUR EXPENSE, AND MAY ASSESS DAMAGES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1000.00 AGAINST YOU. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT MEANS THAT THE ANIMAL WILL REVERT TO ANY OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVES. Shelter Survivors reserves the right to reclaim the adopted animal if the animal is not being treated humanely or is abused. This would include but is not limited to inadequate food, water, shelter, socialization, and exercise.

I HAVE READ, UNDERSTAND, AND WILL COMPLY WITH ABOVE STATED CONDITIONS.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____