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ADOPTION APPLICATION

Welcome to Soul Dog Rescue. We are excited that you are interested in saving a life and adopting from us! We do our best to find a pet that works for you and your lifestyle. Let's get started!

ADOPTION REQUIREMENTS: REVIEW PRIOR TO APPLYING

- We require an application, references, a copy of a driver's license or other state issued ID, a home visit (on occasion), as well as an adoption contract.
- All of your current pets must be spayed or neutered, unless it is a service dog, show animal or if your animal has a medical condition which would not allow it to be sterilized (you'll need a letter from your vet).
- If you rent or are living with a family member, we'll need confirmation from your landlord/property owner stating you're allowed to adopt the animal(s). We have a form for this purpose. We expect that you will pay your pet deposit and pet rent if applicable.
- If you own your home, we may verify this with the county. If your name is not on the county's records as the owner, we will need a letter from the property owner stating you're allowed to keep the animal(s) in the home. We have a form for this purpose.
- When we schedule a home inspection with you, we expect you to be ready to adopt the animal. We expect that the entire family has agreed to adopt and is ready to bring the animal into the family.
- We do not ship our animals. You must be within reasonable distance to the Englewood CO area.
- The applicant must be over the age of age of eighteen.
- We may ask to see your driver's license at the time of the home visit. We expect the address on your license to match the address where we're doing the home visit. If it's different, we'll need to see utility bills or other such documentation proving you live at the address where the home visit is done.
- You will provide proper introduction to other animals in the household or animals met outside the household.
- If the adoption is not working out, you will contact SDR to return the animal and you will not take it anywhere else.
- If you rent, it is your responsibility to verify any size or breed restrictions with your landlord and to notify SDR of such.
- You are responsible for verifying city, county or state laws regarding the keeping of cats and dogs, including the legal number of cats/dogs allowed, licensing requirements and

whether certain breeds of dog are banned or restricted in your community and to notify SDR of these requirements or restrictions.

- We reserve the right to deny any foster application without providing a reason.

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Zip Code: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Have you ever applied to foster or adopt a pet from Soul Dog Rescue before? Yes No

Where did you hear about us? _____

For the safety of our rescue pets, may we complete a background check? Yes No

Are you willing to let us do a home check prior to agreeing to adopt a pet to you? Yes No

What kind of pet are you looking to adopt? (check all that apply):

Small adult dog (over 8 months and under 25 pounds) Medium adult dog (over 8 months 25-50 pounds)

Large adult dog (over 8 months and over 50 pounds) Teen dog (four to 8 months)

Adult cat (over 8 months) Teen cat (four to 8 months)

Senior Behavioral/Socialization Issues Medical Needs

Other _____

Do you currently have other pets in your home? Yes No

If yes, list the type, breed and age of each pet:

Are your pets spayed or neutered? Yes No

Are your pets current on their vaccinations? Yes No

Do any of your current pets have any behavioral issues? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

Do any of your current pets have any illnesses? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

Has your home ever been exposed to Parvovirus? Yes No

If yes, when and what was done to clean the home?

If you do not have any current pets in your home, have you had pets in the past? Yes No

If yes, please explain why they are no longer in your home

Are there children living in your home? Yes No

If yes, what are their ages? _____

Does any member of your household have an allergy to dogs/cats? Yes No

If yes, to which species and how are allergies managed? _____

Do you Own Rent House Apartment

**If renting, it is your responsibility to verify authorization and breed/size restrictions with your landlord prior to adopting. In addition, you should understand and agree to adhere to all relevant zoning and animal control codes and ordinances, whether local, county or state, so it is your responsibility to verify the same prior to adopting a pet.*

Describe the activities participated in by those in your household and describe which activities the pet will participate in with you (e.g. lifestyle, hobbies, sports, traveling)

How often are you away from home overnight? What arrangements will you make to take care of your pet when you will be away?

Please understand that if adopting a cat, you must agree not to let the cat outside unless on a

harness/leash held by an adult and/or in a fully enclosed area (i.e. "cattio"). Do you currently have any cats that go outside? Yes No

If adopting a dog, and the dog will be let outside:

Do you have a completely fenced yard? Yes No

What kind of fence? _____

Height of the fence: _____

Is there any wildlife in your area that could pose a risk to a pet outside? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

Do you have a dog/cat door leading outside? Yes No

If yes, is there a way to shut the door to keep pets from going inside/outside? Yes No

Where will the pet be kept during the day? _____

For how long? _____

At night? _____

Where will the animal sleep? _____

Will the pet spend any time in the garage? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

How long will the pet be left alone? _____

Where will you keep the pet when you are not home? _____

What type of exercise will you provide for the pet? _____

Are you able to accommodate animals with special nutritional needs? Yes No

If no, please explain:

Who is your veterinarian? _____

City/state _____

Phone _____

Do you give us permission to speak to your veterinarian about this application? Yes No

If no, please explain:

Do you work with other animal professionals? (Trainer, pet-sitter, behaviorist) Yes No

Do you give us permission to speak to these professionals about this application? Yes No

If no, please explain:

Professional #1:

Name: _____

Occupation _____

City/state _____

Phone _____

Professional #2:

Name: _____

Occupation _____

City/state _____

Phone _____

Please provide two personal references:

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone () - _____ - _____ Cell Phone () - _____ - _____

Work Phone () - _____ - _____

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone () - _____ - _____ Cell Phone () - _____ - _____

Work Phone () - _____ - _____

Special Concerns: _____

Do you think we should know anything else about you or the home you can provide for a pet?

I affirm that the information provided is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I understand that any misrepresentation may be a material breach of any adoption agreement if this application is accepted and any animal adopted pursuant to this application must be

immediately returned to the Rescue. I understand that my application may be denied for any reason or no reason.

If completing this agreement online, I understand that by typing my name below, my typed name will serve as my electronic signature:

Applicant: (print name and sign): _____ Date: _____

Home check completed, Adoption Application approved, Adoption Agreement signed:

Rescue: (print name and sign): _____ Date: _____



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ADOPTION HOME INSPECTION FORM

Date of Inspection: _____
Name of Applicant: _____
Address: _____
Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____
Work phone: _____ Email: _____

Number and species of pet animals that permanently reside in home: canine _____ feline _____
Number of pet animals allowed per local ordinance: canine _____ feline _____ combo _____

House and Yard

Type of residence: _____ Rent or own: _____
If renting, name of landlord: _____ Phone number: _____
Type of heating and cooling: _____
Overall cleanliness of home: _____
Condition of yard: _____
Type and height of fence: _____
Is the fence sturdy and secure: _____
Is the yard adequate size for dogs: _____
If no yard or inadequate size, does the family agree to walk the dog daily: Yes No

Family and Pets

Are all family members in agreement to adopt: Yes No
Children residing in home? Yes No
Is there adequate supervision of children around pets: Yes No
Are the pets in the home good with other pets: Yes No
Are the resident pets spayed/neutered and current on their vaccinations (Cats: Rabies, distemper
combo, Dogs: Rabies, Dhpp and Bordatella): Yes No
Do the pets in the home have any health conditions: Yes No
Do the pets appear clean and well taken care of: Yes No
Condition of food and water bowls: _____
General Comments: _____
Inspection Completed By (print name and sign) _____
Applicant (print name and sign): _____



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Landlord/Property Owner Letter of Consent to Adopt/Foster

I, _____, am the property owner of record for the property listed below.

Property Address

I understand that my tenant / family member (circle one), _____, has submitted an application with Soul Dog Rescue to adopt or foster cat/kitten or dog/puppy (circle one)

If approved, my Tenant /Family Member (circle one) has my permission to own/foster, house, and keep the animal(s) at the property listed above.

Landlord/Property Owner Signature

Date