



Shelter Saviors and Rescued Friends  
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## 501c3-Non-Profit www.sheltersaviors.org

### Pet Adoption Application

Thank you for your interest in our dogs. Please fill all fields in completely so that we can best help select the right pet for you. All information is treated as confidential. Submission of this application does not guarantee that you will receive a dog. Applications without addresses and phone numbers will be discarded. Applications could take up to one week or more to process. Approved applicants will be contacted by a rescue volunteer.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell/Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you hear about Shelter Saviors Rescue? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you own or rent? \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been at current address? Years \_\_\_\_\_ Months \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have plans of moving within the year? \_\_\_\_\_

Type of home: (Single-family house) (Duplex) (Apartment) (Mobile Home) \_\_\_\_\_

Does your lease permit dogs? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any breed or size restrictions? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Landlord: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you welcome a Rescue Volunteer to conduct a short home visit? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

You are: (Single) \_\_\_\_\_ (Married) \_\_\_\_\_ (Divorced) \_\_\_\_\_

Age(s) of all members of household. Please include genders of children in the home.

Adults: \_\_\_\_\_

Children: \_\_\_\_\_

List others in the home who may have contact with the dog and their relationship to you:

\_\_\_\_\_

Occupation of Head of Household and Partner: \_\_\_\_\_

What are the hours you are typically out of the home? \_\_\_\_\_

Does anyone in the household work from home? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_



Why are you interested in obtaining one of our pets and what do you hope your new dog will provide for you/your family?

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What is your plan for house training your dog/puppy?

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What do you NOT want in the pet that you get? \_\_\_\_\_

If your dog exhibits behavioral or adjustment issues, will you seek advice from the Rescue? \_\_\_\_\_

Current AND Past dogs, cats and other pets:

Name	Breed	Sex	Age	Neutered / Spayed	How long have you had your pet?	Current Health or Cause of Death

You would like a pet that is: (Male) \_\_\_\_\_ (Female) \_\_\_\_\_ (Either) \_\_\_\_\_

What size range (as adult) would you like? \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred age range: Youngest \_\_\_\_\_ Oldest: \_\_\_\_\_

Can you commit to caring for a pet for its lifetime? \_\_\_\_\_

In an emergency who will care for your dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will your dog stay during the day? Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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Where will your dog stay during the night? Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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Type of fence: \_\_\_\_\_ Fully Enclosed: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Fence height: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe a typical day for your dog. How long will your dog be home alone? Consider hours of work, when you leave/return: \_\_\_\_\_

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What will you do with the dog when you go on vacation? \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you ever had a pet for a short period of time where it didn't work out? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If you have to move, what would you do with your pets? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to pay for emergency veterinary care (if needed) which can result in an expense of \$200 to \$1,000 or more? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Not Sure \_\_\_\_\_

Are you prepared to pay for pet expenses such as routine and other veterinary care, supplies, toys, pet sitting, grooming, chews, monthly heart guard, flea and tick, etc. ? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Not Sure \_\_\_\_\_

Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever taken a puppy through puppy class? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever taken a dog through obedience class? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_

What books have you read on Pet Care or Pet Training? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you done any breed specific research? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If obedience training or puppy classes are recommended for the dog, will you attend? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If no, please explain? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you will to pay for obedience or behavioral training? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Your Current Veterinarian: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Your Past Veterinarian: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**We do a Vet reference check for your current and/or past pets.**  
**Please notify your veterinary practice to expect our call.**

Please provide 3 non-family personal references with name and phone number

	Name	Relationship	Phone Number
1.			
2.			
3.			

If someone outside the home will be assisting with the puppy care, please provide:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please add any information, facts or comments, which might aid in picking the right pet for you:

\_\_\_\_\_  
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Please return to: Volunteer email address found in adoptable listing description of the pet you are inquiring after or [sheltersaviors@comcast.net](mailto:sheltersaviors@comcast.net)

***Filling out an application in no way guarantees you will be able to adopt the dog or puppy of your choice. There are only a few volunteers, so it is impossible for us to answer each and every application. If you are approved you will either receive a phone call or email or both to set up time for you to meet. An approved application is required to meet our adoptable dogs.***