

Dog Adoption Application

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Procedure: Must be 21 or older * Completely fill out & sign application. You will hear back within 2 days. * For applications selected a vet-check will be done. * If the adoption is approved, an adoption contract will be completed, donation accepted, and then you take your new canine friend home.

Today's Date: _____

Name of Dog(s) Applying for _____ Breed/Type _____

Please print identification information clearly:

Applicant(s) Name: _____ Age: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Place of Employment or income _____ Since (mo/yr) _____

E-mail _____ Home Phone(____) _____ Cell Phone(____) _____

1. Why do you want to adopt a dog? _____

2. Are there any children in the household? ___yes ___no

If yes, what are their ages? _____

3. Describe those pets you currently own:

If you have more animals than space provided, please use an additional sheet of paper and attach to this form.

a. Name _____ Type _____ Age _____ Sex _____

Is the pet Spayed or Neutered? ___yes ___no

Primarily Indoor or Outdoor? Explain: _____

b. Name _____ Type _____ Age _____ Sex _____

Is the pet Spayed or Neutered? ___yes ___no

Primarily Indoor or Outdoor? Explain: _____

4. Name & Number of your veterinarian or new vet: _____

5. What type of home do you live in? _house _townhouse _duplex _condo _apt _mobile

6. Do you own or rent your residence? ___own ___rent

If you rent: Landlord name _____ Landlord phone #(____) _____

7. Will the dog be kept as an indoor pet or outdoor? _____

If outdoor, where will the dog be kept? _____

8. Have you ever brought an animal to the SCHS? _____ If so, why? _____

9. If you move, what will you do with the dog? _____

10. Are you aware of the adoption fee (at least \$40 nonrefundable donation)? ___yes ___no

11. Are you familiar with your local animal control laws? ___yes ___no

12. Have **all adult** family members met with and agreed upon the dog? _____

I have read the above information carefully and have filled out this application honestly. I understand that omission of information and/or failure to answer all questions and sign the application can result in this application being declined. Also, if an omission or untruth is discovered after an adoption takes place, I understand that the Steuben County Humane Society, Inc. (SCHS) reserves the right to annul the adoption and reclaim the animal. I give the Partnership permission to fully investigate the information provided as well as contact veterinarians and related officials. If the application passes this review, I agree to a home and yard visit on a mutually agreed date by a Partnership volunteer before an adoption decision is made if asked upon.

In addition, I understand the adoption decision is dependent on many factors, including but not limited to the compatibility of the family and home to the individual animal, and other applications received on this animal. I understand it is the Partnership's prerogative to decide which home is most appropriate and that their decision is final, and therefore I will not argue with the decision.

Signature(s) _____ Date _____

Printed Full Name(s) _____