



ADOPTION APPLICATION

TODAY'S DATE: _____

WHAT ANIMAL ARE YOU APPLYING FOR:

Welcome to the ANNA Shelter. We are glad you have come to adopt a new pet from our shelter. In order to be considered as an adopter today, you must: • **Be 21 years of age or older;** • **Have identification showing your present address;** • **Have the consent of your landlord (if applicable);** • **Be able and willing to spend the time, money and provide the necessary training, medical treatment, and proper care for a pet.** The adoption of a lifelong animal friend should not be impulsive, but a carefully thought out decision, which will ensure a loving, lasting, FOREVER relationship. This process may take over an hour or if information needs to be verified several days. **We do require a meet and greet if you have a current dog in the home.**

You are applying for a minimum commitment of 10-15 years.

Are you willing to make the investment in time, finances and training (average \$1000 annually) to care for and properly manage your new pet?

YES NO

Basic Information

NAME: _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK/CELL PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

BIRTHDATE: _____ Are you a student: Yes No

Housing Information

Do you own your home? Yes No (Home Ownership will be verified) How Long? _____

Type of home: Single Family Trailer Apt./Townhome/Condo Other _____

If you rent, please provide your landlord's contact information below (Your landlord will be contacted.)

Name/ Phone Number: _____

Does your lease require a pet deposit: Yes No

If yes, have you paid that deposit (proof may be necessary) Yes No

Household information:

of adults _____ Do all adults know that you plan to adopt a pet? Yes No

#Children _____ Children's ages: _____

Is the primary applicant employed?

Yes Name of Employer _____ Length of Employment: _____

No Explain the primary source of income: _____

PLEASE CONTINUE TO THE BACK OF THE APPLICATION

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OWNERSHIP VERIFIED? YES NO DATE: LL Contacted? YES NO DATE

PET DEPOSIT? YES NO DATE

MEET AND GREET REQUIRED? YES NO DATE

STAFF/VOLUNTEER NOTES:

Animal Information

Is this your first experience owning/caring for an animal? Yes No

Why do you want to adopt a pet? (check all that apply) %

Companion Companion for other pet Family pet Watchdog Barn cat/mouser Breeding

Hunting Guard dog for business Other: _____

Please list **ALL** current pets residing or that visit often at your home:

Type	Breed	Name	*Spayed/Neutered	**Current on Vaccines	Licensed

***We may need proof from your veterinarian.**

**** We ask because of the risk associated with bringing a new animal into your home if your pets are not vaccinated against common communicable diseases. Illness and even death can result for your current pets in some situations. Please ask a staff member to explain.**

A current rabies vaccine is a State Law.

Have you ever relinquished, surrendered, given away, or sold any pets/animals before? Yes No

If yes, please explain the circumstances involved, i.e. to whom, why and when:

Veterinarian Name/Practice and Phone Number: *(If you do not have a current vet we recommend one of our wellness centers)* _____

May we phone your veterinarian for a reference? Yes No If no please explain:

Can your veterinarian verify vaccination/medical history? Yes No If no, please explain:

What training methods will you be using? ___ Crate Training ___ Professional Training ___ Other

How do you plan to contain your pet inside/out? ___ Leash/Tie Out ___ Fenced Yard
___ Invisible Fence ___ Confined to specific area ___ Other _____

By signing below, you are confirming the information on this application is accurate and true. Failure to disclose information, providing false or inaccurate information will slow down and possibly halt an adoption. We want the best possible match for our animals. Animals require basic needs and some require special needs and circumstances and we take that VERY seriously.

- **We reserve the right to deny an application for ANY or NO reason.**
- **Completing an application does NOT guarantee adoption.**

Signature: _____ Date: _____