



Jake's House of Animal Rescue (JHAR) Adoption Application

Prospective Adopter

Date: _____ Animal of Interest: _____ Foster Parent: _____ ID#: _____

Event _____ Breed Description/Color _____ Age _____ Male/Female _____

ABOUT YOU

1. YOUR Name _____ DOB _____

Please print legibly

2. Home Address: _____

City _____ TX, ZIP _____

Mailing Address if applicable _____

How long have you lived at your current address? _____

If less than 2 years list previous address:

Street: _____ City _____ Zip _____

3. Email addresses _____

4. Telephone Home: _____ Cell: _____ Other _____

5. Occupation 6. Employer _____

7. Driver license or other permanent ID number # _____ STATE: _____

8. Please list two personal references that we may contact:

Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone _____

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ABOUT YOUR HOME

9. How many TOTAL OTHER PEOPLE (**not** including you) live in your household? _____ Adults _____ Children _____

Please list their names, ages and relationship to you: _____

9a. Is everyone in the household in favor of adopting or fostering a dog? YES NO

9b. Does anyone in the household have pet allergies? NO YES Who _____

10. Describe your home House Condo Apartment Other _____

Owner Renter Sub-let HOA member Co-op member Other _____

Front door opens to street Front door opens into courtyard or entryway

No Yard Unfenced Yard Partly Fenced Yard Completely fenced yard

FOR CONDO: Do HOA rules allow pets? _____ Any breed/size restrictions? _____

FOR RENTALS: Please attach Landlord's written permission or applicable rental agreement page(s).

11. Describe your yard Size _____ feet by _____ feet Small Medium Large _____ Acre(s)

Surface (grass, stone, etc.) _____

Height of fence _____ feet - Made of? Wood Chain Link Brick other _____

Number of gates _____ Gates have locks? YES NO Gates open on streetside? YES NO

12. Who has access to your yard, besides you (for example, gardener, pool cleaner, children, utility, roommates, people in other units, other dogs, other pets?) _____

ABOUT YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH DOGS

If you currently have a dog(s):

- 13. How did you come to have the dog? _____
- 14. How old was the dog when you first met? _____ How old is the dog now? _____
- 15. How many TOTAL OTHER PETS live in your household? _____

For OTHER PETS, please answer the following for each pet:

Name	Gender	Breed-description	Age	Weight	Neutered Y/N

- 16. How would you describe your level of experience with dogs? Never had a dog Childhood pet
- Had one or more dogs as an adult
- Experience with dogs less than 30 lbs. 30-60 lbs. 60+ lbs.
- Experience with specific breeds _____
- Dog-related business or profession _____
- Foster or rescue experience: Name of organization. _____

GENERAL QUESTIONS (please answer all)

- 17. How long have you been thinking about adopting or fostering a dog? _____
- 18. What are your primary reasons for wanting to adopt or foster a dog? Security Companionship
- For the children As a gift for someone Friend for current pet Other _____
- 19. If you do not have a dog now, when was the last time you had a dog? _____
- 20. What breed was your dog? _____ Was s/he spayed or neutered? YES NO
- 21. What happened to the dog? _____
- 22. Have you ever had an animal that required a major surgery for an injury or illness? YES NO
- If yes, please explain: _____
- 23. Do you have a regular Veterinarian? YES NO Name: _____
- 24. What will you use for flea control? _____
- 25. What would happen to this dog if you had to move? _____
- 26. What is the longest this dog would be left alone each day? _____
- 27. Where will this dog spend its days? Inside Outside Explain: _____
- 28. Where will this dog sleep? _____
- 29. Who will be ultimately responsible for this dog? _____
- 30. Will you plan to obedience train the dog? YES NO
- Obedience class 1-to-1 Training Videos/Books Seek help if problem arises Other _____

ADOPTED DOGS – WONDERFUL BUT LESS THAN PERFECT

31. WHAT WOULD CAUSE YOU TO REACH YOUR LIMIT OR WANT TO RETURN THIS DOG?

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

- Hair on your furniture/Shedding Stains on rugs Animal on the bed Illness Humping
- Aggression towards other dogs Barkiness Shy with people Biting Escaping
- Other pets don't like the dog Jumping up Poor watchdog Worms Digging
- Housetraining challenges Growling at guests Needs grooming Chewing Vet bills
- Not a good dog park dog Shy with dogs Food allergies Fleas Ticks
- Aggressive on leash Carsickness Allergies Marriage Divorce
- Doggie destruction OF WHAT _____ Moving New Child
- Spouse/partner does not like dog My financial problems **None of these LISTED THINGS**
- OTHER** _____
- NOTHING. I will FOSTER the dog until re-homed.**

- 32. How did you find out about **JHAR**? (Check all that apply) Website Facebook Craigslist NextDoor
- Instagram Twitter Event _____ Friend: Who? _____
- Other Please Describe _____

FOR ADOPTION: Dogs require investment of time and money.

33. Can you afford to provide medical care, proper grooming, diet, shelter and exercise for the dog? YES NO
LIMITS: _____

34. Are you able to make a long-term commitment to care for this dog? YES NO
LIMITS: _____

35. Will you consult and pay for a trainer we recommend if challenges develop? YES NO

PLEASE CHECK ALL THAT APPLY. YOU ARE WELCOME TO ASK QUESTIONS!

- I understand that **JHAR** is an all-volunteer non-profit TEXAS 501c3 charitable organization.
- I understand that **JHAR** ensures the medical needs, spaying or neutering, microchip identification systems for all JHAR Dog's and that these are required components before a JHAR Dog can be adopted.
- I understand that a minimum **ADOPTION DONATION** of **\$150** is necessary to help offset costs incurred to rescue and care for each JHAR.
- I understand that any **IMMEDIATE POST-ADOPTION** costs, medical or otherwise, must be borne by the adopters.
- I agree to donate an amount that represents my ability to support the rescue work necessary for this and every other dog to be rescued by **JHAR**. Because most animals cost more than the minimal donation to care for, **Jake's House of Animal Rescue** welcomes you to make a larger donation if you are able.
- Yes I agree to donate an amount of \$150 Other: _____**
- No, I cannot make any donation at this time, because _____**
- My company has a matching gifts program, and I would like to match my donation.**
- I would like to find out more about donating on an ongoing basis.**

NOW COMES THE FUN PART! Please describe your dream dog.

Please include any preferences regarding gender, personality type, energy level, fur, age, expectations of dog behavior, and anything else you think will help us match you with your dream dog.

Thank you for your interest in Jake's House of Animal Rescue

Learn more at our website

www.Jakeshouseofanimalrescue.org

Questions? Email us at **info@jakeshouseofanimalrescue.org**

FOR JHAR DOG RESCUE USE Review date _____

Reviewed by (print name) _____

REVIEWER'S email / telephone (cell/text?) _____

OUTCOME / COMMENTS / RECOMMENDATIONS