



# ANIMAL RESCUE OF THE ROCKIES (A.R.R.)

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## DOG ADOPTION APPLICATION

Welcome to Animal Rescue of the Rockies' Adoption Program. The following information is requested so we can ensure the best possible home for our dogs and to help you find the dog most compatible with your lifestyle! Please mail or email this form to the addresses listed above. *Completion of this application does not guarantee adoption of an Animal Rescue of the Rockies dog. Please print information. Thank you!*

In order to be considered as an adopter, you must:

- Be 21 years of age or older.
- Have identification showing your present address.
- Have the knowledge and consent of your landlord.
- Be able and willing to spend the time and money necessary to provide training, medical treatment, and proper care for a pet.

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Describe in detail the type of dog you're looking for: \_\_\_\_\_

Who will be the primary caregiver for this dog?: \_\_\_\_\_

Would this be your first dog? \_\_\_\_\_

What kind of pets have you had in the past? \_\_\_\_\_

Which of these do you still have? (Include age, sex, and breed) \_\_\_\_\_

Have they been spayed or neutered?  Yes  No  Don't know

Are they current on vaccinations?  Yes  No  Don't know

What happened to the ones you no longer have? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever turned your dog in to a shelter?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you had a pet euthanized?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have pets, will they (or it) adjust to a new dog in the house? \_\_\_\_\_

Was your last dog obedience trained?  Yes  No  Doesn't apply

Why do you want this dog?  Companion  Companion for other pet  House pet  Gift  
 Watch dog  Guard dog  Hunting  Personal protection  Breeding  For Children  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

How many adults are there in your family? \_\_\_\_\_ Roommates?: \_\_\_\_\_

How many children? \_\_\_\_\_ Children's ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Does any member of your household have an allergy to dogs? \_\_\_\_\_

Is someone home during the day? \_\_\_\_\_ Who? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours each day will the dog be without human companionship?

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Which do you live in?  House  Apartment  Condo  Mobile Home  Other

If other, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you own or rent your home?  Own  Rent

If you rent, may we contact the owner to obtain permission for this animal to live in your home?

Yes  No

Owner's name and phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a fenced yard?  Yes  No  Planning on installing one

If yes,  Fully Fenced  Partially Fenced  Chain Link  Wood  Electric  Other \_\_\_\_\_

If no, how do you plan to confine this pet to your property?: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a dog door?  Yes  No

Are there times when the dog will be tied up?  Yes  No If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there stairs that lead to your home?  Yes  No If yes, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

Will the dog spend any time in the garage?  Yes  No If yes, explain \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a pool?  Yes  No If yes, is there a fence around the pool?  Yes  No

If your new dog/puppy is not housebroken, what method will you use to train it? \_\_\_\_\_

What plans do you have for training your dog?  Self train  Training class  Professional trainer

No plans to train  Other

Will you keep the dog up to date on vaccinations? \_\_\_\_\_

Who is your veterinarian? \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Veterinarian's phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be able and willing to exercise the dog on a daily basis?  Yes  No

Method \_\_\_\_\_

What activities do you plan to share with your dog?: \_\_\_\_\_

Where will this dog be kept during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will this dog sleep at night? \_\_\_\_\_

If you drive a pickup truck, would you allow the dog to ride in the back?  Yes  No

Do you plan to move or go on vacation soon? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, when & where \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

If you go away for a few days, or on a vacation, who will take care of the dog? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

If you move, will you take the dog with you?  Yes  No Explain: \_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

How much are you willing to spend on medical bills for your dog?  up to \$100  up to \$500  
 up to \$1,000  up to \$5,000  whatever it takes. What would you do if the vet bills go over this amount?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever applied to adopt a dog or cat from Animal Rescue of the Rockies before?  Yes  No  
If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Did anyone refer you to Animal Rescue of the Rockies?  Yes  No If yes, please explain:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to have a representative of Animal Rescue of the Rockies come to see where the dog will be living? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to take the responsibility for this dog for the next ten to fifteen years? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What provisions will you make for the dog should you become unable to care for it? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Additional comments by applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
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*I have completed this application truthfully, and I understand the adoption process:*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature