



# Waggin' Tails Rescue

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Adopt from your local animal shelter or rescue group!  
Please spay and neuter your pets!

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

- Be 18 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.

Waggin' Tails Rescue reserves the right to deny any applications that we deem unfit or unsuitable for the animal. Please be aware that our animal adoptions are NOT on a first come- first serve basis. Our sole purpose is to find the best possible homes for the animals that fall under our care. If the representative determines that your home is not the BEST fit for the dog you have applied for, you may be contacted regarding other dogs that more closely match your interests, life style, and family environment, or referred to a different adoption agency. Our goal is to find the right home for the right dog; people who are willing to provide permanent loving homes. We want every match to be the perfect match not the quickest match. Please make sure you have considered carefully the time and money required to own a pet before you make the decision to adopt. Owning a pet is a lifetime commitment.

Completion of this application does not guarantee adoption of a Waggin' Tails Rescue dog.

## Adoption Application

Name of dog applying for: \_\_\_\_\_  
Breed of dog applying for: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*-Note if dog is a pit bull or pit mix you may be asked to consent to a criminal background check.*

Where did you hear about Waggin' Tails Rescue? \_\_\_\_\_

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

Spouse or other adult name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Drivers License #: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Adult Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_



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Type of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_ Do you: Rent \_\_\_\_\_ Own \_\_\_\_\_  
If other describe: \_\_\_\_\_

How long at present address \_\_\_\_\_  
If renting, does your lease allow pets? \_\_\_\_\_

Is there a size or breed limitation? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
Management Company or Landlord Name & phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Does your residence have a completely fenced yard? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes specify height & type: \_\_\_\_\_

List all animals currently in your household, please include sex and age and breed/type of each animal.

\_\_\_\_\_

Are all animals listed above spayed/neutered? \_\_\_\_\_

Are all animals listed above current on vaccinations? \_\_\_\_\_

Does any household member have allergies to animals? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you gone for long periods of the day when the dog would be left alone? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the animal be housed at that time: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you submitted an application with another organization for a dog at this time? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had an application declined for adoption of an animal from an animal welfare group/animal control facility?  
If yes specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you want to adopt this dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you understand that this dog may not be housebroken? Are you willing to housebreak a dog, and do you understand that changing a dog's environment may cause the dog to have accidents?

If a behavioral problem arises, what steps will you take to work on it? Will you take obedience training?

Describe the kinds of personal situations where you might have to return your adopted dog:

For whom are you adopting the dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you considered the extra expenses that will come with having a dog including vet care, food, supplies and equipment, toys, training and boarding?



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Please list two personal references

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

Organization - Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Organization - Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you currently have a veterinarian? If yes please list name and phone number:

\_\_\_\_\_

***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 Waggin' Tails Rescue (WTR) reserves the right to annul the adoption and reclaim the animal. I give WTR permission to fully investigate the information provided as well as contact veterinarians and supplied references. If the application passes this review, I agree to a home and yard visit on a mutually agreed date by a WTR volunteer before an adoption decision is made.***

***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 WTR's prerogative to decide which home is most appropriate and that their decision is final, and therefore I will not argue with the decision. Unless otherwise indicated by WTR, I am free to apply and undergo the application process in the future.***

***I understand that unless the dog was an owner-surrender, age and breed are unknown and are only estimated by the rescue group.***

***If I am selected to adopt the dog listed above I will have to complete a Waggin' Tails Rescue adoption contract and will have to pay an adoption fee.***

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_