



Adoption Application

Animal Interested in: _____

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Numbers: Home _____ Cell _____ Work _____

Email Address: _____

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

- Be 21 years of age or older
- Have current shot records on any current animal in household
- Pay adoption fees
- Be willing and able to provide training, medical care and loving attention
- Recommend bringing current dogs to meet our shelter dogs
- Recommend bringing household members

What are your reasons for wanting a pet?

- Watchdog Companion Hunter Breeder House pet Mouser Companion for other pets
- For children Gift for _____ other _____

- Own house Own condo Rent a house Rent apartment/mobile home/etc.
 Government housing Boarding Other: _____

If you rent what is the name and phone number of your landlord, condo association, apartment complex: _____

How long have you lived at current address? _____

Are you planning on moving within the next 6 months? YES NO

If you move, what will you do with your pets? _____

Does your HOA or Development have any breed or weight restrictions? _____

Who will be responsible for the care of the pet? _____

Length of time during the day pet will be left alone? _____

Where will pet be kept during day? _____ Night? _____

Does anyone in household have animal allergies? _____

Have you ever adopted from this shelter before? YES NO when? _____

Have you ever brought an animal to an animal shelter under any circumstances? YES NO

what was the reason? _____

Including yourself, please list the NAMES and AGES of all members of your household:

Name	Age	Name	Age

Name of your Veterinarian or Veterinary Hospital _____

PET HISTORY: In the past 5 years. what pets have you owned (include those pets that have passed)? What pets do you have currently in your home? Please include all animals at the residence whether you own them or not. Also, include any small caged pets & barnyard animals.

Name	Breed or type	Age	Sex	Spayed or neutered?	Kept where?	If no longer owned, what happened to the pet?
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Do you object to the Humane Society inspecting your premises? YES I DO NO I DO NOT

Please check ALL the following topics you would like to discuss with the Adoption Counselor:

- Cost
- Digging
- Introducing other pets
- Jumping
- Barking
- Vaccinations
- Indoors vs. Outdoors
- Crate Training
- Housebreaking
- Obedience Training
- Declawing
- Feeding
- Exercising
- Introducing Children
- Litter training
- Scratching Objects
- Other _____

THERE ARE SOME DAYS THAT THE ADOPTION PROCESS CAN TAKE 1-2 HOURS: You will be talking to our staff or volunteers, meeting and socializing with the pet you are interested in, reviewing the responsibilities that you will assume, and learning about inoculations, training, food, etc. All of this can take time, but it is time well invested, considering that a well-cared for dog or cat may live 10-18 years! Therefore, we ask for your patience and cooperation in this joyful process of bringing people and animals together.

I HEREBY RELEASE TO THE GULF COAST HUMANE SOCIETY, INC. ALL VETERINARY RECORDS OF ANY AND ALL ANIMALS I OWN OR HAVE OWNED. I CERTIFY THAT I AM 21 YEARS OF AGE OR OVER AND THAT ALL THE INFORMATION IN THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE AND I UNDERSTAND THAT FALSE INFORMATION OR UNANSWERED QUESTIONS MAY VOID THE APPLICATION. I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT THE GULF COAST HUMANE SOCIETY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO DENY ANY ADOPTION APPLICATION.

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

STAFF USE ONLY:

VET CHECKED LANDLORD CHECK ADOPTER CHECK Counselor Initials _____

APPROVED DENIED (specify reason) PENDING PLACED ON HOLD until _____

ANIMAL ID # _____ ANIMAL NAME _____

Comments: _____