

•PO Box 262, Box Springs, GA 31801 • 1-762-207-9048 • <u>airsongsangels@gmail.com</u>
Like us on <u>Facebook</u>

Donate via <u>PayPal</u>

ADOPTION/FOSTER APPLICATION

Only fill out an application knowing that the Adoption Contract is binding and no changes will be allowed under any circumstances as it is there to protect the animal.

If you are interested in adopting provide its name:	g a specific dog,	
If this dog is no longer avenued you like your applicant considered for other dogsescue?		\square Yes, with no restrictions
	• •	□No
	20g3 III 0di	□ Maybe
Are you interested in:		☐ Adoption
		☐ Foster-to-Adopt
		Our foster-to-adopt allows families to foster the dog for 30 days, with the intention of adopting the dog after the 30-day period. If after the 30-day period you decide not to adopt the dog, Airsong's Angels, Inc. will look to place the dog in another home. You will be expected to continue fostering the dog for up to 30 days (for a total of 60 days) so that another home can be found. Note: All puppies and young dogs remain in foster care until Airsong's Angels Inc, confirms receipt of a spay/neuter certificate.
		☐ Temporary Foster
		Our traditional foster program is a short-term, temporary foster that is typically 90 days or less. During this time, Airsong's Angels, Inc. will be actively looking to place the dog with an adoptive family.
	this information to	ght column of this table. Please complete assist us in finding the right home for the ot be reviewed.
Date:		
Applicant Name(s):		
Street Address:		

City/State/Zip:	
County:	
Daytime Phone: (include area code)	
Evening Phone: (include area code)	
Mobile Phone: (include area code)	
E-mail address(s):	
How frequently do you check email?	☐ daily ☐ weekly ☐ less frequently than once per week
What is the best way to reach you?	□ email □ text □ phone call
What type of home do you live in?	☐ single family home ☐ apartment ☐ condo/townhome ☐ farm
What type of neighborhood do you live in?	□ urban □ suburban □ rural
Does your home have a fenced yard?	□ Yes □ No
If yes, please describe fence (height, materials, location, size of fenced area, etc.).	
Can children, or strangers, open the gate to the fence?	□ Yes □ No
Do you own or rent your home?	□ Own □ Rent
If you rent, does your rental agreement allow you to have a dog?	□ Yes □ No
Note: A letter from your landlord may be	

	required prior to adoption.			
What	is your occupation?			
What hours	are your typical work ?			
Do yo	u work at home?	☐ Yes ☐ No		
Do yo	u work outside home?	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	be a typical work day ule at your house.			
living	children and adults in your home, their age	Name	Age	Relationship to
and tr	eir relationship to you:			Applicant
	are you interested in ing a dog?			

famil	t concerns do your y members have about ng a dog?				
	anyone in your home allergies to pets?	☐ Yes ☐ No			
	If yes, please explain.				
you e mont retire	t lifestyle changes do expect within the next 12 chs? Children, moving, ement, a major job ge, etc.				
you e years retire	t lifestyle changes do expect in the next 5 ? Children, moving, ement, a major job ge, etc.				
-	ou planning to adopt inimal for yourself?	☐ Yes ☐ No			
	If No, please explain.				
Do yo	ou have any pets?	☐ Yes ☐ No			
	Complete the table for all current pets	Name	Age	Type of Animal (dog, cat, rabbit etc.)	Breed

	If you currently have a dog, describe its behavior towards humans and other animals?	
	If you currently have a dog, how did you obtain the animal? Breeder, rescue, shelter, friend, etc.	
Have dog?	you previously owned a	□ Yes □ No
	If yes, what breed, and what happened to the dog?	
	traits/characteristics ou looking for in a dog?	
_	are you interested in ting a vizsla?	
	Are you interested in adopting a vizsla mix?	
	t other breeds are you dering and why?	
What	sex of dog you prefer	☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ No preference

	If you selected Male or Female, is this sex a requirement or a preference?	☐ Requirement ☐ Preference
	If this is a requirement, please explain why.	
What age of dog do you prefer?		☐ Puppy ☐ 1-5 years ☐ 5-8 years ☐ 9+ years ☐ No preference
	If you have an age preference, please explain why.	
adop	d you be willing to t a "special needs" ical or behavioral).	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Maybe
	If yes or maybe, please discuss any limitations.	
purch breed	you considered nasing a puppy from a der as well as, or in ion to, adoption?	□ Yes □ No
	re will the dog stay while are working or gone from e?	
Whei	re will the dog sleep?	
	t will you do with the when you go on tion?	
you c exerc classe	much time per week will levote to training and ising a dog? (Obedience es, walks, training at e, etc.)	
	will you will you lize your dog?	

Describe any previous obedience classes and training methods you have learned.	
Describe the steps you take when disciplining a dog?	
What arrangements will you have for your dog if you are unable to provide care (i.e. medical or travel emergency)?	
Are you committed to owning a dog for its entire life (possibly 15+ years)?	□ Yes □ No
Who is your veterinarian? Name, address, phone number	
References: Please provide the names, email address and phone numbers of two references (not relative) that we may contact: Please describe your relationship to the reference and length of time you have known the reference.	
Airsong's Angels is based in Georgia. Dogs may be fostered in neighboring states. Are you willing to travel to Georgia or a neighboring state to meet an adoptable dog?	□ Yes □ No

If there are no dogs available in our area, would you consider adopting and absorbing transportation costs for dogs in other states?	□ Yes □ No
May we share your application with other rescue groups is surrounding states?	□ Yes □ No
How did you learn about Airsong's Angels?	
Are you interested in volunteering with Airsong's Angels? Fundraising? Fostering? Administrative support? Transportation?	 ☐ Fostering ☐ Fundraising ☐ Administrative Support ☐ Graphic Design ☐ Legal services ☐ Application Screening ☐ Interviewer ☐ Other (list below):
Please provide any additional information you would like us to know when considering your application.	

Please save this document on your computer (File, Save As) or device and email a copy to: airsongsangels@gmail.com

Please enter: "ADOPTION APPLICATION" or "FOSTER APPLICATION" in the subject line

Or, print a copy and send it to the address on the top of this form.

About Airsong's Angels, Inc.:

Airsong's Angels is an all-volunteer run 501 (c)3 non-profit organization and Georgia State Licensed Animal Rescue dedicated to improving the lives of vizslas who have been surrendered into our care. We bring the dogs current on vaccinations, have their medical needs attended to, spay/neuter (as needed) and carefully rehome the dogs to loving, forever families.

Help us help more dogs!

Thank you for caring! We depend on your donations! Adoption fees only cover a small portion of rescue expenses. Additional funds are raised through donations. Airsong's Angels does not

operate for profit, and is an all-volunteer organization. We gratefully accept donations of any amount to cover gas, food, supplies, and the extraordinary medical bills.

Every penny goes to help our wonderful rescued friends.

You can make a difference!

Make a \$ contribution via PayPal.
Make a \$ contribution via check/mail (send to our address at the top of this form).
Support Airsong's Angels every time you shop on Amazon.com through the
AmazonSmile program. It costs you \$0 and every time you shop, Amazon makes a
donation to Airsong's Angels. Remember to start your shopping from
smile.amazon.com and enter Airsong's Angels as the organization you are supporting.
Click here for more info.

□ Contribute supplies from those on our <u>Amazon Wish List</u>

All donations are tax-deductible.

Adoption fees are not a donation and are not tax-deductible.

FAQ's for Potential Adopters/Fosters:

- How long will it take to hear from Airsong's Angels once I submit my application?
 - Airsong's Angels, Inc. is a volunteer run rescue. Typically, it can take 2-4 weeks for qualified applicants to be contacted by rescue. During busy times, there may be additional delays in responding to applications
 - To allow our volunteers time to rest and rejuvenate, we do not process applications (except for urgent placements) from mid-November through mid-January.
 - We prioritize application review based on the needs of the dogs that we currently have in rescue.
 - Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.
- Why is the application form so long?
 - We are dedicated to the best interests of the animals in our care and are focused on finding the best family for that dog. This application and the other stages of our applicant vetting process are designed to help us match our dogs to families in which they will thrive.
- What happens after I submit my application?
 - Your application will be reviewed by one of our volunteers. If the reviewer determines that your application would be a good match for a dog in our care you may be contacted for a phone/Skype interview. All adult members of your household must participate in the phone/Skype interview.
 - If the phone interview goes well, you may be contacted for a home visit. During the home visit, a volunteer will come to your home to meet with your family and inspect your home/yard – specifically looking for items that may be a safety hazard for a dog.

- o If the home visit goes well, you may be invited to meet a dog.
- Please note: Airsong's Angels does not make any commitments to find a dog for you, no matter how far you advance through the application process.
- What are the adoption fees?
 - o As of January 2018, Airsong's Angels <u>non-refundable</u> adoption fees are:
 - \$500 for a puppy
 - \$375 for an adult dog
 - ***Adoption fees are not a tax-deductible donation ***
- Can I breed a dog that I adopt through Airsong's Angels?
 - No. All animals placed will be neutered or spayed before placement OR if the animal is too young to be safely neutered/spayed at the time of adoption, the adopter must sign a spay-neuter agreement and will be required to provide a certificate from their veterinarian certifying that the procedure has been performed.
- If I adopt a dog from Airsong's Angels, Inc. and I'm unable to keep care of it, can I sell the dog, bring it to a shelter or give it away?
 - No. You may not sell or give away any animal you adopt through Airsong's
 Angels. If you are unable to keep the animal, the adoption contract requires that
 you return the animal to Airsong's Angels Inc. currently located in Box Springs,
 GA. You will be accountable for transporting the dog to Airsong's Angels Inc.

FAQ's for Potential Fosters:

- What are our obligations as a foster family?
 - When you foster a dog through Airsong's Angels, Inc. you are making a commitment to love and care for the dog as if the dog was your own. This includes:
 - Providing a safe home and yard for the dog
 - Providing fresh water
 - Routine feeding (typically twice a day, could be more or less frequently depending on the age and specific needs of the dog in your care)
 - Taking the dog to the vet for well visits and anytime the dog shows signs of injury, distress or illness. This may include spay/neuter procedures.
 - Bringing the dog to meet with potential adopters at a mutually agreeable location
 - Training the dog (crate training, potty training, basic commands, etc.)
 - Providing love and cuddles
- What is the cost of fostering?
 - During the foster period, Airsong's Angels, Inc. will reimburse foster families for veterinary care. Receipts for veterinary care must be submitted to Airsong's Angels Inc., within 30 days of services being rendered.

- Even when families opt not to seek reimbursement for veterinary costs, Airsong's Angels Inc. must receive a copy of all vet records for services performed during the foster period.
- Note: Except in the case of an emergency, all vet care plans must be discussed with and agreed to by Airsong's Angels, Inc. prior to the administration of any veterinary services.
- o Foster families are expected to supply water, food, toys and other supplies to keep the dog healthy, safe, and physically and mentally stimulated. Foster families will not be reimbursed for water, food, toys and supplies but they may submit their receipts to Airsong's Angels Inc., for a tax-deductible receipt as an "in-kind" donation.