

Adoption Application

Date: _____ Animal's Name: _____ Cat or Dog: _____

Your Name: _____

Home Address : _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Are you 18 or older? Yes No Do you(circle) Own or Rent?

Name of landlord & Phone Number: _____

Home Type (circle) House Apartment Mobile Home Park Other: _____

How long have you lived at this address? _____ How many adults live in the home? _____

How many children live in the home? _____ Ages of children: _____

Are you currently employed?(circle) No Yes, where? _____

How many of each are currently in your home? _____ Dogs _____ Cats _____ Small Animals

Please list all of your current pets:

Pet's Name	Cat, Dog, Other	Sex	Age	Breed(s)	Altered (Y or N)	Up to date on vaccinations	Had how long

How many pets have you owned as an adult? _____ When was the last time you owned a pet? _____

What happened to your last pet? _____

Have you ever given up a pet? (Please Explain): _____

For dogs:

Do you have a fenced yard? (circle) No Yes, type/height: _____

If there is no fence, how will you confine your dog to your property? _____

What type of daily exercise have you/will you provide to a dog? _____

What type of dog training experience do you have? _____

Do you plan to crate train? (circle) Yes No Unsure

For cats:

Will your cat be: **Inside** **Outside** **Both**

How many hours will the pet be alone per day? _____

Where will the pet be kept when no one is home? _____

Where will your pet sleep? _____

If your adopted pet exhibits unwanted behaviors, what will you do? _____

If your adopted animal is not housetrained, what methods will you use to train? _____

Can you afford food, toys, & routine and/or emergency vet care for your new pet? (circle) **Yes** **No**

If you have to move/relocate, what is your plan with your new pet? _____

What provisions will you make for the pet should you become unable to care for him/her? _____

Why are you interested in adopting & what is it about this animal you're interested in? _____

Please provide 1 personal reference

1. **Reference Name/Relation to you:** _____ / _____

Reference Phone #: _____

What veterinary clinic do you use/plan to use? _____

Can we contact your vet if needed? (circle) **No** **Yes**

Is there anything else you would like for Stray Haven to know about you in considering you for the adoption of a pet? _____

When you adopt an animal from Stray Haven, you must have the pet spayed or neutered within thirty days from the adoption date, or in the case of a dog or cat which has not yet reached sexual maturity, within thirty days of the dog or cat reaching six months of age, if it isn't already altered at the time of adoption. Failure to do so will result in the animal being reclaimed into Stray Haven possession. The person intending to adopt the dog or cat shall deposit with the animal shelter an amount of thirty-five dollars, which will be refunded when the adopter shows proof of spay or neuter to the shelter within the time specified above. Adoption fees are non-refundable donations.

Stray Haven makes no claim or representation as to the temperament or health of animals available for adoption. We can only make an educated guess by our limited interaction with them as to how they may behave. Unfortunately, many of our animals are strays without a history and for those with previous owners, we relay the information given to us by their former owners.

Stray Haven welcomes your calls for advice to help you and your pet adjust. Please remember many of the shelter animals have been here for an extended period of time, and will need time to adapt to a home environment and become acclimated to their new family and surroundings. Please give them time to settle down and don't expect a perfectly calm, well behaved animal overnight.

We will keep your personal information as provided on their adoption application confidential.

By signing below, I certify that all the information provided on this application is true.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____