# Application for Adoption

White Oak Animal Safe Haven

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www.whiteoakanimalsafehaven.com

We are happy that you are considering adopting a new pet from our shelter. **Please read the information below and then fill out the adopter information.**

* To be considered as an adopter, you must:
	+ Be at least 18 years old.
	+ Have photo identification showing your present address.
	+ Have the knowledge and consent of all adults living in your household to adopt the animal.
	+ Have the consent of your landlord or property owner, if applicable.
	+ Understand that
		- all fees are non-refundable
		- the adopter is responsible for all veterinary care and medical bills of the adopted pet once adopted.
		- White Oak Animal Safe Haven has full authority to approve or deny your adoption application.
		- White Oak Animal Safe Haven reserves the right to verify all information on this application.
* Included in adoption are as follows:
	+ Spay/neuter
	+ Rabies (3 months and older while in the shelter)
	+ Deworming and flea treatment
	+ DLHPP for dogs
	+ FVRCP vaccination and FELV-FIV testing for cats
	+ Microchip

# Adopter Information

Today’s Date: Type of animal: ⬜ Dog ⬜ Cat Name of animal:

Your name: Occupation:

Email:

Primary phone: Alternate phone:

Street number and name:

City: State: Zip:

How long have you lived here? Do you rent or own? ⬜ Rent ⬜ Own

Is your residence a: ⬜ house ⬜ apartment ⬜ condo/townhouse ⬜ other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If you rent, do you have permission from your landlord to have this animal? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No

 Landlord’s name, address, and phone number:

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 Do you have a homeowner’s association? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No

 If yes, what restrictions do they have in place regarding pets (breed, size, number, etc.)? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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If you adopt, the pet will be living with: ⬜Adults ⬜Seniors ⬜Children (Ages: )

Do you currently have any other pets? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No Please list current and past pets, including

gender, breed, and age. What happened to your past animals?

Have you ever adopted from us? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No If yes, when and which animal(s)?

 Have you ever surrendered a pet to a shelter? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No

 If yes, what was the reason? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are you financially capable of taking care of a pet, particularly if it becomes ill? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No

Are you aware of any laws/ordinances in your state, county, and local community regarding leash laws, licensing, vaccine requirements, and number of pets in a residence? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No

Who will be the primary caregiver for this pet?

Who will take care of this pet if you travel?

What is your plan if you can no longer care for your pet?

Does anyone in your home have allergies to cats or dogs? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No

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

What is your plan if you experience behavioral problems with your pet?

Are you open to a home visit before or after adoption? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No

 If you are planning to adopt a dog, do you have a fenced in yard? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No If so, what kind of fence?

(A fence is not a requirement for all dogs.)

 If you are planning to adopt a cat, do you intend to have the cat declawed? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No

If yes, for what reason? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Do you have, or have you had, any of your cats declawed? ⬜ Yes ⬜ No

 Will your cat be ⬜indoor only ⬜ outdoor only ⬜ indoor/outdoor

Please share any additional information that you feel would be beneficial for us in processing your application.

**References**

We require three references, including a veterinarian, if you have one. If you do not have a veterinarian, please include a third reference. If you have a groomer, please add him/her as a reference.

1. Veterinarian/Other

Relationship Phone number(s)

1. Name

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Relationship Phone number(s)

1. Groomer/Other

Relationship Phone number(s)

I have read and answered the questions for the application for a pet from White Oak Animal Safe Haven as listed above with truthfulness. If any of the information changes, I will advise you immediately. I understand that I may not hear back from White Oak Animal Safe Haven if I am not selected to adopt this pet.

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Potential Adopter Name (printed)

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Potential Adopter Signature Date

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Shelter Staff Signature Date

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