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**ADOPTION APPLICATION**

**THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL !**

**PLEASE NOTE:**

- Applicants **MUST BE** over the age of 21 in order to Adopt a dog from RLDR
- Wrought Iron Fencing and Gates will not be approved without Rabbit/Snake or Plexiglas Fencing at 42" +
- Applicants with Pools will be approved on an individual basis
- Do NOT apply if you plan on your dog(s) living outside or left unattended for any period of time that is;
  - 1. longer than an hour without interaction with you or family.
  - 2. While you are at work or at night.
  - 3. Live in a coyote or other prey driven danger area.

**NAME OF DOG(S):** \_\_\_\_\_ **BREED OF DOG(S):** \_\_\_\_\_ **AGE OF DOG(S):** \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF ADOPTER(S)/APPLICANT(S)** \_\_\_\_\_

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

Mobile phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Reference name and phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and phone # of closest relative: \_\_\_\_\_

Ages of ALL members in the household: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the status of your employment: Work from Home Y / N?    Full time    Part time    Unemployed    Retired

Indicate occupation & place of employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you smoke? Or are there others who smoke inside your home? Y / N

If you plan to have children, will the dog(s) remain a member of your family and live indoors after childbirth ? Y / N

What type of home is your residence?    House    Condo    Apartment    Other \_\_\_\_\_

If you had to move, what will you do with the dog(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you own or rent your current residence? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you have stairs or live upstairs? Y / N

If renting, do you have permission from your landlord to have a dog(s) or dog(s) on the property? Y / N

Are you willing to provide PROOF that your landlord approves? Y / N (ie: Lease/Rental Agreement)

Do you have a FULLY fenced yard? Y/ N    What type of fencing/gates? \_\_\_\_\_

If you do not have a yard with secure fencing, how will you keep the dog(s) secured while outdoors? Please explain:

\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a swimming pool? Y / N    Is the pool fenced? Y / N    What type of fencing? \_\_\_\_\_

Where will the dog(s) be kept during the day? \_\_\_\_\_ Where will the dog(s) sleep? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours per day will the dog(s) be left alone? \_\_\_\_\_ How many hours per day will the dog(s) be crated? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you concerned about shedding in your home? Y / N    Does anyone in your home have allergies? Y / N

Have you ever parented a dog(s) before? Y / N    If yes, what happened to the dog(s)

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\_\_\_\_\_

If the dog(s) passed away, please explain the circumstances for each dog(s), (for more space use the back of this page)

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Do you currently parent any other pets in your home now? Y / N If yes, please list ALL animal types/breeds and ages\_\_\_\_\_

If you own other dog(s), are they dog and human social and friendly? Y / N If no, please explain:\_\_\_\_\_

Are ALL of your pets currently up to date on vaccines? Y / N Are they spayed or neutered? Y / N

If you have a dog(s), what brand of dog food are you feeding your dog(s)?\_\_\_\_\_

What types/brands of dog treats and chews do you offer your pup?\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever given away, sold, surrendered, turned into a shelter or euthanized a previously owned pet? Y / N - If yes, Please explain:\_\_\_\_\_

Who is, or will be, your Veterinarian?\_\_\_\_\_

What is their Clinic name and Location?\_\_\_\_\_

Will you exercise the dog(s) regularly, depending on the dog(s) needs? Y/N – Please Explain your exercise regimen

What types of challenges and/or behaviors have you worked through with your prior pets?\_\_\_\_\_

How do you or would you train your dog(s)? Do you have a system or technique?\_\_\_\_\_

If necessary, are you willing to take training classes with your new dog(s) or hire a trainer to work with you and your dog(s) to work out any challenges you are having that you cannot seem to fix on your own? Y/ N

Whom will care for your dog(s) shall they outlive you? Name:\_\_\_\_\_

Address and Phone#:\_\_\_\_\_

If you do not have anyone to care for your dog(s) in this situation, are you willing and able to leave instructions for your dog(s) with your friend, family member or attorney to contact Recycled LoVe DoG Rescue, Inc., to return the dog(s)? Y / N

Do you agree to a home safety inspection and interview process with your family present prior to adopting? Y/N

If approved, do you agree to follow up calls or visits periodically Y / N

Are you willing to allow your new family member an adjustment period of 1 to 3 weeks to acclimate to their new environment? Y / N

{ We are always available to help with advice }

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During these unprecedented and difficult times, we are compliant with COVID-19 guidelines for Social Distancing.

- o Are you or anyone living in your home suffering with COVID-19? Y/ N
- o Are you or anyone in your home recovered from COVID-19? If so, How long has the person been cleared by their doctor to have visitors?\_\_\_\_\_
- o Have you or anyone in your home traveled outside the USA and returned home in the last month? Y / N
- o Are you currently working from home due to COVID-19? Y / N If so, what are your intentions for the dog(s) once you return to work?\_\_\_\_\_

Recycled LoVe DoG Rescue, Inc. Inc. appreciates your interest in our dog(s)!! Our ultimate goal is to find a perfect match in a family and a home for our dog(s) and for you and your family dynamic. A PERFECT MATCH is placing our dog(s) in a Happy, Positive, Loving forever home. Where you, the adopter and your family will discover the unconditional love of dog(s) and at the same time provide a healthy, safe, secure and most of all, loving environment where all the dog(s) needs will be met for the lifetime of the dog(s). Which means, NOT until you go on vacation, or back to work, or till you have a baby or have to move, or you don't want to pay a trainer or take the dog(s) to the vet. Our dog(s) will become a part of your family and will live out the remaining years of its life with your family, a better half than the first half they had. Therefore, Transfer of ownership of our dog(s) is NOT permitted, YOU MUST contact RLDR for resolution or return of the dog(s) to us. BONDED PAIRS STAY TOGETHER!

Our dog(s) are ONLY placed in homes where their primary life is lived indoors, we do not place dog(s) in homes to live outside. These creatures are a part of your family. We require that they are either exercised or walked regularly and permitted safe outside access to a secure yard for play, sun and potty. NEVER to be left unattended for long periods of time as they are family! Our dog(s) should never be left outdoors at night, during fireworks, or bad weather. You must be able to fully care for the dog(s) and their needs, financially, physically, mentally, and/or medically whenever and where ever you may be or may be deemed necessary.

MOST dog(s) require additional potty training when they change environments, you must be willing to work through the adjustment phase and work with the dog(s) in a positive manner and if necessary get advice from a trainer or watch training videos if you are struggling. We work with several wonderful trainers, many at a discount, who are available for you to call.

NOTE: Neglect and Abuse are punishable by law and a Federal Offense.

PLEASE INITIAL HERE THAT YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND ALL OF THE CONTENTS ABOVE: \_\_\_\_\_

**IF THERE IS ANY QUESTION or DOUBT IN YOUR MIND REGARDING ANY OF THE ABOVE, WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO - STOP HERE NOW -**

***SHALL THIS BE A PERFECT MATCH, THIS COMPLETED ADOPTION APPLICATION IS PART 1 OF THE ADOPTION AGREEMENT CONTRACT. THEREFORE, ALL PROVIDED INFORMATION IN THIS APPLICATION MUST BE ANSWERED TRUTHFULLY AND CORRECTLY. ALL CONTENTS OF THIS ADOPTION APPLICATION SHALL REMAIN STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL AND PARTY TO ONLY THE SIGNER AND RECYCLED LOVE DOG RESCUE, INC. AND ITS BOARD OF DIRECTORS***

I/WE certify that I/We are the age of 21 years or older, that all of the information that I/WE have stated in this application is true, correct and complete. I/WE understand that any false information stated herein will result in the nullification of potential adoption. 'IF' approved to adopt a dog(s) from Recycled LoVe DoG Rescue, Inc., I/WE, agree to abide by the Adoption Agreement and contents thereof.

Recycled LoVe DoG Rescue, Inc., Inc. reserves the right to refuse adoption to any person, for any reason. This Adoption Application is pending approval and does not guarantee Adoption of any dog(s) from Recycled LoVe DoG Rescue, Inc.

**INDEMNITY CLAUSE**

The undersigned person(s) hereby expressly agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend Recycled LoVe DoG Rescue, Inc. ("Company"), and its directors, officers, employees and agents, from and against any suits, actions, claims, losses, liabilities, damages, or costs the Company incurs or may incur for any reason arising out of or related to, directly or indirectly, the adoption or release of any animal to the undersigned by the Company or the surrender and release of any animal by the undersigned to the Company.

**PLEASE INITIAL THE BOX BELOW, AND BY SIGNING BELOW YOU ARE STATING THAT YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD ALL TERMS OF THIS APPLICATION AS LISTED.**

**{Initial} \_\_\_\_\_ I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING THIS APPLICATION THERE IS NO AGREEMENT, NOR COMMITMENT TO PLACE OR ADOPT, NOR IS IT A GUARANTEE OF ADOPTION OF SAID DOG(S)(S) NAMED ABOVE ON PAGE ONE OF THIS APPLICATION. THIS APPLICATION IS PENDING APPROVAL**

**PRINTED NAME(S)** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT(S)** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_