



## Canine Adoption Application

Thank you for your interest in adopting a dog from Peace Ridge Sanctuary. We are happy that you have chosen to be a home to pups who had no chance of surviving the shelter system without us.

Before filling out this application please review the adoption information on our website and make sure to carefully read through our **adoption contract**. The contract stipulations are non-negotiable and are meant to be agreed to prior to engaging in the application process.

We are very careful who we place animals with because these dogs, like all animals, deserve their chance to live long, happy and healthy lives with individuals who are open and willing to commit to a dog forever- no matter what. We are looking for *that kind* of home - the *\*no matter what\** kind.

In the contract that you will sign once approved, you will see that we are very specific about the type of care we are agreeing to release the dog into, and we also insist that if you are no longer able to keep the dog, you must return him or her promptly to us here at Peace Ridge Sanctuary, without exception. If you are a family who will take serious consideration for the well-being of a dog each and every day, and you embrace the details of our adoption contract, please proceed with this basic application. **The adoption fee is \$300.00. This covers only part of the medical costs involved in readying the adoptee for this adoption.**

Please complete send this application an attachment to: [daniella@peaceridgesanctuary.org](mailto:daniella@peaceridgesanctuary.org)

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Please list ages\* of any/all other people living in your home: \_\_\_\_\_

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(\*please note, we generally do not adopt dogs to families with children in the home who are under seven or to homes where children under seven are expected to have access to the dog)

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Please provide a summary of all other animal(s) living in your home or on your property:

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Please confirm you have read (and wholeheartedly agree to) our adoption contract: Y / N

Reason(s) for wanting to adopt:

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Please detail any prior experience with canines:

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Please provide a veterinary references: *(please let your vet know we will be calling to confirm)*

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Can you afford annual veterinary expenses and emergency medical care? Do you save money each month for potential pet expenses, or have pet insurance?

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Do you own your own home? Y / N If not you must give us your landlord's contact info:

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What training framework do you use? How much time will you be spending outside with your dog? Are you willing to use an on-going positive training/communication method with your new dog throughout its lifespan? How do you look at problem solving with your pets? What would you do if the dog had pee/poop accidents in the house? Is chewing an issue for you?

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How many hours during the day are you home? How will you accommodate your pup/dog during the day and night?

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Does anyone in your household smoke? Y / N  
(please note, PRS only adopts to non-smoking homes)

Have you ever had a dog get hit by a car, or one who went missing?: Y / N (if yes, explain)

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Have you ever surrendered an animal to a shelter before? If so, why?:

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How do you plan on accommodating your dog's needs while you are away? (please note, PRS does not allow our adopted dogs to be placed in boarding kennels while adopters are on vacation)

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Will you be willing to give us periodic (at minimum, once per year) updates? Y / N

How do you feel about euthanasia?

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Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

If there are two adopters, please both fill out.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_