CARETAKING - SAFETY - EXERCISE - FOOD - ETC. * Who will be the primary caretaker of your new pet? ______ * What steps will you take to keep your pet safe? _____ * How much quality time can you offer your dog and what type? _____ * What type of exercise and social time with other dogs can you offer your new dog? _____ Are you aware that dogs need a lot of exercise and play to stay balanced, happy and healthy? Are you prepared to make sure your dog is balanced? * How will you show your dog when they do something right? * How will you show your dog if he has done something wrong? ______ * Where will your new pet sleep? * Where will your new pet be when no one is home? * How many hours at a time will he be home alone? If your dog will be alone for more than 6 hours, who will come to let your dog out for a pee or a walk?_____ * Does everyone in the household want a new pet? _____ If no, who and why not? _____ * If you relocate, are you prepared to restrict your housing options only to places that allow ALL your pets? If no, why not? * Where will your new pet stay when you go on vacation? * Are you aware that the life expectancy for dogs is 12-18 years? ______ Are you prepared to adopt for life? If no, explain: * Are you aware that there are different qualities of dog/ cat food and that you can ask your vet for recommendations that will suit your new pet? _____ How often do you plan to feed your new pet? _____ Are you aware that dogs are HIGHLY allergic to the following things: Grapes, raisins, onions, chocolate, caffeine, and xylitol (found in gum)? _____ Please be sure to find out what other foods your dog can NOT eat. * Dogs need preparation training for life changes such as moving, a new baby, divorce, etc. Are you committed to working through these changes with your new dog? If no, why not? * Are there any bad habit that you will not tolerate in a dog or cat? ______ * Why did you decide to adopt a dog, instead of purchase one? I, Undersigned, agree to the following statements: * The information I provide will be verified before I am approved for adoption. * Falsification or omission of any of the above information will result in automatic refusal of adoption or

 $\ensuremath{^*}$ We have the right to refuse the adoption of any pet to any person.

* The adoption fee is non-refundable.

confiscation of the adopted animal.