

## ADOPTION APPLICATION

### WELCOME TO THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS ANIMAL CONTROL SHELTER AND ADOPTION CENTER

We are glad you have come to adopt a new pet from our shelter!

The following information is requested so that Animal Control employees can assist you in the selection of a new pet. The animal's welfare is our foremost concern. The application process is designed to help us determine if the adoption is in the animal's best interest and to assist you in finding an animal most compatible in your lifestyle.

The animals available for adoption came here from a variety of sources. All animals that are adopted get an exam, along with the first series of vaccinations, and are spayed or neutered for a reasonable fee. All animals are monitored routinely while their stay at the shelter, but there is always a chance that an animal is incubating a disease without showing any clinical signs.

After the seventh day health guarantee, any adopted animals are sole responsibility of the adopter.

Our adoption fee includes: spay/neuter, first series of vaccinations and an exam to make sure that the animal is in good condition.

#### IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED AS AN ADOPTER TODAY YOU MUST:

- ❖ Be 18 years of age or older:
- ❖ Have identification showing your present address:
- ❖ If you are renting, have written consent from your landlord;
- ❖ Be able and willing to spend the time and money necessary to provide trained medical treatment and proper care for a pet.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

The City of Las Vegas Animal Control Shelter and Adoption Center reserves the right to refuse adoption to anyone. No animal will be adopted to persons having extreme history of losing, giving away, selling, or being responsible for abusive, negligent, or inhumane treatment of animals. No animal will be adopted to prospective owners who mislead or fail to provide accurate information on the adoption application.

**PLEASE FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONNAIRE. UPON COMPLETION IT WILL BE REVIEWED BY ANIMAL CONTROL.**

1. What kind of pet are you here to adopt?

Dog  Puppy  Cat  Kitten

2. Why do you want a pet?

3. How many pets have you owned over the last five years?

4. How many pets do you currently own?

5. Do you currently live in a

House  Apartment  Mobile Home  Duplex  Condo

6. Do you  Own  Rent

7. If you rent, does your lease allow pets?  Yes  No

8. If you rent, what is your land lords name?

9. How long have you lived at the above address?

10. How many people live in your household?

11. Are there any children in the household?

What are the ages of the children in the household?

12. Do you or anyone in your household have any known allergies to animals?

13. Who is your veterinarian?

What is his phone number?

14. Do you plan on vaccinating this pet?

Do you plan on spaying or neutering this pet?

15. Do you have a fenced yard?

16. How will you keep your pet confined in your yard?

In House    Kennel    Fenced Yard    On Chain

17. Are you familiar with any of the city animal ordinances?

18. What would you do with your pet if it turned out that your pet is destructive and you cannot control it?

19. Are you familiar with the leash and licensing laws here in Las Vegas, New Mexico?

20. Have you ever received any citations for any animal violations?

21. How did you hear about our adoption service?

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Approved

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Date

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Denied

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Date