

**Ketchikan Humane Society**  
12034 North Tongass Hwy Ketchikan, Alaska 99901  
225-3647 or 225-5372

**PRE-ADOPTION QUESTIONNAIRE – DOG/PUPPY**

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

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different) \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Employment \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Partner Employment/Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Your E-Mail address \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about the Humane Society?

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**To ensure this adoption is in the best interest of both you and the pet you select, we ask that you answer the following questions. Though it may take time to complete, please bear in mind that you are considering making a commitment to feed, shelter, protect, and love an animal for the rest of his/her life, and we want to be sure that this is the pet that best suits you.**

1. Briefly describe why you would like to adopt a puppy/dog  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Do you live in: House Condo Mobile Home Apt. Complex Name: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Do you: Rent Own Lease to buy
4. If you rent bring a letter from your landlord confirming that you may have a dog
5. Will you allow a representative to visit your home? Yes No Best time for a visit? \_\_\_\_\_
6. Please list the names of all your ADULT household members  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Number of children under the age of 18: \_\_\_\_\_ Their ages? \_\_\_\_\_
8. For whom are you adopting this pet? Self Children Family Gift Other pet  
Other reason \_\_\_\_\_
9. Who will be primarily responsible for the care and supervision of this pet?  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Do any household members have known allergies to cats/dogs? \_\_\_\_\_

**Long Term Pet Care:**

11. How much do you expect to spend annually for medical care, grooming, food, proper shelter, toys, leases, collars, licenses, and other expenses?  
\$50-\$100\_\_\_ \$101-\$200\_\_\_ \$201-\$500\_\_\_ \$501-\$1,000\_\_\_ Over \$1,000\_\_\_
12. How long are you prepared to care for this dog? \_\_\_\_\_
13. What will happen to this dog you if you move? \_\_\_\_\_

14. Are you prepared to seek veterinary care when this dog is sick or injured? \_\_\_\_\_

15. Under what circumstances would you give up this dog/puppy? \_\_\_\_\_

16. As an adult have you owned a dog? \_\_\_\_ Was it spayed or neutered? \_\_\_\_\_

17. What type of dog do you prefer? Active/Lively Calm/Less Active Breed(s) \_\_\_\_\_

18. What forms of exercise will you provide for this dog? \_\_\_\_\_

19. How many hours each day will this dog be WITHOUT human companionship? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Have you ever housebroken a dog before? \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever crate trained a dog before? \_\_\_\_\_

22. Are there other pets in the house? \_\_\_\_\_

List the pets you have had in the past 5 years - both current pets and those you no longer own:

Breed/Type	Age	Spayed/Neutered	How Long Owned	What happened to it
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23. As a puppy, where will this dog be kept when: You are home? \_\_\_\_\_  
At night? \_\_\_\_\_ Home alone? \_\_\_\_\_

24. As an adult, where will this dog be kept when: You are home? \_\_\_\_\_  
When alone? \_\_\_\_\_

25. Do you have confinement outdoors for this dog? \_\_\_\_\_ What Type? \_\_\_\_\_

### References:

25. Who is your vet? \_\_\_\_\_ Phone : \_\_\_\_\_

26. Please provide 2 references (no relatives) from whom we can learn more about you

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

27. If you rent, what is the first and last name of your landlord or property manager?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### Adoption Agreement:

I understand that pets adopted from the Ketchikan Humane Society MUST be offered back to us if I can no longer care for them. Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND UNDERSTAND FALSE INFORMATION MAY RESULT IN NULLIFYING THIS ADOPTION. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS QUESTIONNIRE REMAINS THE PROPERTY OF THE KETCHIKAN HUMANE SOCIETY.  
SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_ (over 21 years) DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

All dogs are spayed/neutered before adoption. Thank you for completing this questionnaire.