**Adoption Application**

Name:

Address: City

Phone Number: Email:

1. Name of the dog you are applying to adopt:
2. Why do you want to adopt a rescue dog/puppy?\*
3. For what reasons would you like to adopt a dog

Companion Guard Sport Hunting Obedience Service

1. What do you believe are the most important responsibilities in owning a dog?
2. Please list Names and ages of all residents of your home (adults/children)
3. Please list any pets currently living in your home, breed, age, sex and if

 spayed/neutered)

1. Are you planning to move in the near future? Yes No Unsure
2. What will you do with this pet if you need to move?
3. Is anyone in your home allergic to dogs?

 Yes No Yes, but is tolerable and they are OK with it

1. When will you be ready to adopt this dog?

This weekend Within a week Within a month Not ready yet, just researching

1. Some dogs may require fostering first to ensure a good fit. Do you agree to foster the dog prior to adoption?

Yes No Undecided

1. Are you familiar with the breed?

Yes No

 *If you answered no to the question above, please visit Google and do a bit of research so you can be prepared for your new family member!*

1. What type of home do you currently reside in?

House Condo/Apt Townhouse Mobile Home Other

1. Do you rent or own this property?

 Rent Own

*If you rent, you must have permission to own a dog from your landlord, or a copy of the section of your lease stating that you are allowed to have this type of animal and showing any limitations.*

*If you live in a condo or townhome, you must inform SMILES & CRIES RESCUE SOCIETY, that you are allowed to have this type of animal there and show any restrictions on size if there are any.*

1. Do you have a yard?

Yes, with vertical fence Yes, fenced with invisible fencing

Yes, with partial fence No Yard (apt/condo) Other

1. What behavioral problem are you willing to tolerate and or work on?

Barking Chewing Counter Surfing

Housebreaking Shedding Digging Mouthing Leash Pulling Fear of Strangers

Fear of men/women Separation Anxiety Chewing

None

1. Where will the dog be kept when you are not home? (ie: run of the house, in a crate, kitchen etc…)

1. Where will the dog be kept at night? (ie: run of the house, in a crate, kitchen etc…)
2. Have you discussed this adoption with all members of your household?

Yes No Yes, adults have discussed Kids don’t know

1. Under what circumstance(s) would you find it necessary to re-home your pet?\*

Divorce Current pets do not like rescue dog Allergies

Moving Behavioral Issues Illness

Other

1. Are you aware of the financial responsibilities in owning a dog?

Yes No

1. Accidents and illnesses can happen at any time and depending on the needs of the dog, vet care can range from a few hundred to a few thousand dollars per year. Are you able and willing to take on this financial obligation?

Yes No

1. Have you ever been denied to adopt an animal from any other organization or rescue? Please explain
2. Are there any comments you would like to make in support of your application?

Please be aware that SMILES & CRIES RESCUE SOCIETY will NOT adopt any dog out if you are looking to get it as a gift for someone, 99% of those dogs are returned to shelters or sold. With this in mind, please make sure that any animal you are adopting will be a permanent resident and have a forever home.

By checking the box below, you understand the terms of this form and SMILES & CRIES RESCUE SOCIETY, or cruelty purposes. You will love and care for this animal for the rest of its life, and you are ready to commit to that. You also agree, that if for any circumstances you can no longer provide love and care for this animal, you will contact SMILES & CRIES RESCUE SOCIETY and explain your situation before surrendering the dog back.

You will NOT be refunded the adoption fee. \*

I understand the above, and have tried to the best of my knowledge to make sure all information is correct.

Signature of Applicant Date