This questionnaire is to ensure you understand the extra responsibilities that come with owning a pet. It will assist both the owner in determining what you are looking for and whether the pet they are rehoming is right for you.

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| Full Name |  | | | | | | |
| Address  Street & No. |  | | | | | | |
| Suburb |  | | | City |  | Postcode |  |
| Owned/Rented |  | | | | | | |
| Telephone: | Mobile |  | | Business |  | | |
| Residency Status |  | | | | | | |
| Email |  | | | | | | |
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| 1. Number of people living at premises: | | |  | | | | |
| 1. Ages if under 25: | | |  | | | | |
| 1. Will the dog have regular contact with children 5 years or under (own children, grandchildren, visiting children) or elderly people? | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Why do you want to adopt a dog, eg companion for yourself /other pet / for children / watchdog? | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Some dog will require training. | | | | | | | |
| I am a first time dog owner Y/N  I need a dog that is already trained Y/N Comments:  I have obedience trained before Y/N Comments:  I have lots of experience and could handle a difficult dog Y/N Comments: | | | | | | | |

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| 1. Do you currently have any pets? Please give details as below. |

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| **Name** | **Breed** | **Sex** | **Age** | **Desexed?** | **Current Vaccinations?** | **Registered?** |
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| 1. If you answered NO to any of the items in question 6, please provide further information |
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| 1. Where do your current pets sleep? Where will your new dog sleep? Please be specific eg kennel, verandah, laundry. If inside, which room? |
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| 1. Which areas of the house/yard will the dog have access to, eg backyard only, backyard and laundry/kitchen/non-carpeted/other areas? |
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| 1. Will the dog be allowed inside? How often, eg never, in evening, when somebody home, all the time? What areas will be off limits, eg kitchen, bedrooms, furniture, carpeted areas? |
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| 1. Have you had any pets in the past? What happened to them? Have you ever taken an animal to a shelter or released it to another party? |
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| 1. Is your yard securely fenced? Describe type of fencing (wooden, wire etc) and height at the lowest point. If you have a swimming pool is it separately fenced? |
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| 1. If no-one is at home, where will the dog stay? Inside or Outside? If the dog is outside, what type of shelter will the dog have? |
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| 1. How many hours will the dog be without human company for each day? |
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| 1. How often will you have time to walk the dog? How long for? On lead or off lead? |
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| 1. Under what circumstance would you give up this pet, e.g. family illness, barking, digging, shedding, allergic to new dog, destructive chewing, biting, growling, moving house, reactivity on lead, lack of housetraining, high cost vet bills? | | | | |
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| 1. If you are renting, please provide us with your landlord’s written verification that a dog is permitted: | | | | |
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| 1. How many dogs are you allowed by your Council? | | 1. Employment/Financial Status | | |
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| 1. Emergency Contact (required for adoption agreement should the application proceed) | | | | |
| Name: |  | | | |
| Phone Number |  | | Email: |  |
| 1. Do you currently have a vet? If so, please provide us their name and phone number so we can contact them for a reference, together with one personal referee. If you do not have a vet please provide two personal references (must not be living with you). We reserve the right to contact these referees should the application proceed. | | | | |
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| 1. Please tell us about you, your family, hobbies or your interest in adopting a dog? The more information you provide, the better we will be able to determine suitability. |
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