# Applicant Information – D O G A D O P T I O N A P P L I C A T I O N

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

Full Name including middle name (the adopter/person that will be in charge of the dog)

Date of Birth (Applicants must be 21 years of age or older)

Address, City/State, Zip Code

Driver's License Number and State Issued

Cell Phone Number Alternate Phone Number

Email Address

# Employment Information

Employer Job Title

Work Address Work Phone Number

# Household Information

How many people live in your home other than yourself and co-applicant?

 Please list names and ages of people living in your home other than yourself and co-applicant:

Does anyone in your home have allergies to dogs?

Does everyone in the home agree with the adoption?

Do you live in a/an: House Apartment Condo Duplex Townhome Trailer Home

Is your yard: Completely fenced Partially fenced Not fenced No yard

Do you own your home or rent?

If renting/leasing, are there pet restrictions?

If you rent, please provide landlord's Name and Phone Number

*If renting, we will contact your landlord to ask if animals in your home are acceptable. You will not be able to adopt until we receive positive confirmation.*

 How long have you lived at this address? Do you plan on moving any time soon?

# Other Pets and Vet Info

Do you currently have any pets? Number of dogs Number of cats

Other kinds of pets? (Birds, reptiles, ferrets, rabbits, etc)

Are your pets spayed or neutered? If not, please explain why.

 Are your current pets up to date on vaccinations? Are your current pets on heartworm preventives?

Are your current pets on flea and tick preventives? Do your current pets live indoors or outdoors?

Veterinarian Name, Office Name, and Phone Number

Will you be using the same veterinarian for your adopted dog? If not, please write the name and phone number of the veterinarian you will use for your adopted dog .

Have you ever surrendered the dog to the kill shelter or euthanized the dog? Explain.

# Potential Pet Adoption Info

Will this dog ever be tied outside or will this dog ever be in an outside kennel?

Where will this dog be kept during the day?

Where will the dog sleep at night?

If necessary, will you go through training with your dog?

Who will care for this dog when you are on vacation?

If you move, what will you do with this dog?

What do you consider a good and valid reason for giving up a dog?

What do you consider a good and valid reason for putting a dog to sleep?

Are you willing to take responsibility for this dog for the next 10 years or more?

How much do you think the total cost will be to care for this dog each year?

Will you take your dog to the vet for yearly vaccinations?

Over-the-counter flea and tick preventatives (Hartz, Adams, etc.) can be extremely dangerous to cats and dogs. Reactions can cause problems such as skin inflammation, seizures, and death. Do you agree to only use veterinarian-approved products such as Revolution, Frontline, Advantage, Capstar, and Program?

Are you able to spend $500-$1,000 on emergency vet care?

Will the adopted dog have a collar and an ID tag?

Do you understand that a dog adopted from a rescue may take more time to form a bond, may display fearful behavior initially, and may take time to gain trust and adjust to its new surroundings and family?

Do you also understand that rescued dogs may also need more time and attention initially to help overcome trauma it may have endured in its past?

Are you willing to work with any behavioral issues the dog may develop over time?

Please explain what actions you will take if this dog ever bites you:

Do you understand the importance of slow and proper introduction of your new dog to other pets and family members/friends?

Do you understand that your adopted dog may have accidents inside the house and it is up to you to teach them not to through positive reinforcement?

Will you commit to this pet for its lifetime despite changes in your life?

Do you understand and permit Miami Animal Rescue to perform a home visit on an approved adoption application to ensure that the home environment is the best fit for the dog?

Do you certify that all of the above information is true and complete and is subject to verification by Miami Animal Rescue?

Applicant signature and date

Co-applicant signature and date