

**RESCUE DOG VILLAGE, LLC**  
**THREE MONTH ADOPTION FOLLOW-UP**

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- 1) Dog's Rescue Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 2) Dog's Adopted Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
3) Date of Adoption: \_\_\_\_\_ 4) Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
5) Adopter's First: \_\_\_\_\_ 6) Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
7) Address: \_\_\_\_\_ 8) City: \_\_\_\_\_  
9) State: \_\_\_\_\_ 10) Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
11) Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ 12) Cell: \_\_\_\_\_  
13) E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_
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14) How is (dog's name) adjusting to his/her new home?

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15) Have you had any specific problems with (dog's name)

**TIPS FOR VOLUNTEER** - some dog behavior is labeled as bad behavior when it can sometimes be a sign that a dog is not getting enough exercise. Some examples are:

- pacing
- chewing up furniture
- digging up the yard
- non-stop barking
- jumping on everyone

**NOTE: *Pause And Wait For The Adopters Response, Then Ask:***

- Is he/she house trained
  - Does he/she chew?
  - Any excessive barking
  - Any anxiety issues
  - If so, can we provide you with any assistance?
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16) Have the other pets in your household had any problems adjusting to (dog's name)?

- Which one is Alpha?

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17) If children are present in the household, how is (dog's name) adjusting and getting along with them?

- Have the children been assigned any chores to take care of (dog's name)?
  - Do they help with the training?
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18) What are you feeding (dog's name)?

- Is he/she eating regularly?
  - Does he/she appear to be having any digestive problems?
  - Does he/she eat fast?
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19) Are you happy with your vet and the service they provided?

- Other than routine and regular visits, has (dog's name) been to the vet for anything, diarrhea, runny eyes, and hot spots?
  - What was the outcome of the visits?
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20) Is (dog's name) having any difficulty with

- ◆ Fleas    ◆ mange    ◆ skin problems?
  - Do you use flea/ tick on a monthly basis?
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21) Did the rescue microchip (dog's name) or did you?

- Does (dog's name) wear a license or some other form of identification?

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22) Where does (dog's name) like to sleeping?

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23) How often and how many times do you walk (dog's name)?

- Who is responsible for making sure that he/she has had enough exercised?
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24) Do you know what a social dog is?

**DEFINATION OF A SOCIAL DOG** - ability to interact with unfamiliar men, children, women, cats, and dogs

- Are you having any problems with the dog's socialization?
- Do you know what steps to take to socialize (dog's name) with people and other animals?

**SOLUTION SUGGESTIONS** - in order to help dogs learn to cope & respond, in a healthy & acceptable manner, to people, animals, places & things they might encounter along the road of life, you can:

- **EXPOSE** the dog slowly to different kinds of people, animals and environments, which involves everything from vet visits to walks to the park
- **ADVISE** that the adopter notes the dog's response
- **IF** the dog seems to have a difficult time, do not continue and stop the exercise
- **DISCUSS** dog obedience classes and enter discussion here
- **ASK** if they would like you to pass the information along and can have either Kris or Tammy give them a call.

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- 25) Did you ever take (dog's name) to obedience training?
- If so, with whom?
  - Did you get the results you needed?
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- 26) Would you consider adopting from Rescue Dog Village again?
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- 27) Do you have any suggestions for Rescue Dog Village that you think would improve adoption process?
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- 28) Is there any further assistance we can provide?
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- 29) Do you need a follow-up call?
- If so, what is the best time for us to call?
  - What topic do you need us to follow up with?

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- 30) Would you be interested in any of our volunteer positions?  
a. Only mention the following if they are interested.  
b. Offer to send them the link to the volunteer application.

- DOG ASSESSMENT**
- 1) Fostering
  - 2) Subfostering
  - 3) Evaluate a Dog at Intake
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- TRANSPORTING A DOG**
- 1) Drive a dog to a vet appointment
  - 2) Meet transport when a dog arrives from the south
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- APPLICATION ASSESSMENT**
- 1) Vet Check (appx 15 minutes)
  - 2) Phone Interview (appx 1 hour)
  - 3) Home Visits

**(VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR WILL TRAIN)**

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- ADVERTISING & PROMOTION**
- 1) Fundraising
  - 2) Online Store
  - 3) Publicity
  - 4) Newsletter
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31) Additional Comments/Problems:

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32) Volunteer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

33) Volunteer's Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

34) Volunteer's E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_