



Once complete please email it to:

manager@tvshelter.org

Thank you

Teton Valley Community Animal Shelter Adoption Application

Thank you for filling out this profile. The questions that we ask and the information that you provide helps us make the best match for you and your family.

ADOPTION REQUIREMENTS: REVIEW PRIOR TO APPLYING.

- We require an application and adoption contract that outlines ownership expectations. Occasionally we require a home visit as well.
- Teton Valley Community Animal Shelter (TVCAS) also requires personal references (preferably not family members) as well as a veterinarian reference. All will be contacted prior to approving an application / adoption.
- For homeowners, we require proof of ownership and may validate with county or state records. If you are not listed on government records, we will verify you have permission to have a cat and/or the size/breed dogs with the owner of record / Landlord.
- All family members living in the household must be present for the meet and greet. All family members must also agree to the adoption terms.
- The applicant must be 21 years of age or older.
- TVCAS does not reimburse for any cost or expense that you have incurred for the Pet after the adoption process has been completed.
- We reserve the right to deny any adoption application.

Additional Expectations:

- You will keep your adopted dog on a leash or inside a fence or appropriate containment system any time it is outdoors. We strongly suggest that cats be indoors only due to the large predators in the area.
- You will provide proper introduction to other animals in the household or animals met outside the household. TVCAS can provide assistance with this process.
- Be willing to spend the time and money necessary to provide training, care, and medical treatment for your pet.
- If the adoption is not working out, please contact VDR to make arrangements. Do not take the animal to another shelter, rehome or give it away.
- You are responsible for verifying city, county or state laws regarding the keeping of pets, including

Area Code

Current employer and how long with company: *

About your new pet

Tell us which TVCAS pet(s) you're interested in:

What age of pet are you looking for? (select all that apply) *

0-1 years old

1-2 years old

2-4 years old

4-6 years old

6+ years old

No preference

What gender of pet are you looking for? (select all that apply) *

Male

Female

Either

Do you want your new pet to be: (select all that apply) *

Outdoor

Indoor

Outdoor mostly

Indoor mostly

What physical characteristics do you want your new pet to have?

Coat Length: (select all that apply) *

Size: (select all that apply) *

Small
Large

Medium
No Preference

Other physical characteristics:

What personality characteristics do you want your new pet to have?

Activity Level: (select all that apply) *

High Activity
Low Activity

Medium Activity
No Preference

We want our new pet to do the following with us: (select all that apply) *

Hike	Go for walks	Jog
Bicycle	Relax in the evening	Play with the children
Play ball (fetch)	Travel	Camp
Swim	Fly	Boating

Characteristics: (select all that apply) *

Companion	Protective	Obedient
Performer (agility)	Service	Special Needs

Other personality characteristics:

About your home and your family

Have you adopted an animal(s) from TVCAS before? *

Yes

No

If yes, what type of animal(s)? (select all that apply)

Cat

Dog

If yes, what are the animal(s) names?

Have you had animals before? *

Yes

No

If yes, what kinds? (select all that apply)

Cat

Dog

If yes, what happened to them and what is your experience level of pet ownership?

Do you have any animal(s) currently? *

If yes, how many animals do you have now?

If yes, describe your current animals:

Type	Breed	Age	Gender	How long owned	Where was the pet acquired?	Spayed or neutered?	Vaccinated?	Date next vaccine due:	Comments
1st									
Animal:									
2nd									
Animal:									
3rd									
Animal:									
4th									
Animal:									

Current / past veterinarian information (Vet name, Hospital name, Number):

Personal Reference #1 Name (prefer not a family member) *

First Name Last Name

Personal Reference #1 Phone Number *

Area Code Phone Number

Personal Reference #2 Name (prefer not a family member) *

Personal Reference #2 Phone Number *

First Name

Area Code

Please give us any additional information that will help us find you the right companion:

Is your primary residence a: *

House

Apartment

Do you rent or own your primary residence? If you own please provide a copy of the tax bill or mortgage. *

Rent

Own

Landlord Name (if renting)

First Name

Last Name

Landlord Phone Number (if renting)

Area Code

Phone Number

If you rent, does your landlord allow animals?

Yes

No

If you rent, are there breed restrictions?

Yes

No

If there are breed restrictions, what breeds are not allowed?

Does your home have a dog / cat door? *

Yes

No

Not currently, but we are considering installing one

Is your yard fenced? *

Yes

No

If your yard is fenced, what type of fence?

Block

Wood

Chain Link

If your yard is fenced, how tall is the fence?

If you do not have a fence will you allow the pet to run loose / not on a leash? *

Yes

No

Are you willing to let a TVCAS staff member visit your home? *

Yes

No

How many children live in your home? *

What are their ages?

How many adults live in your home? *

Do all members of your household want this pet? *

Is anyone in your home allergic to cats/dogs? (select all that apply) *

Cats

Dogs

No allergies to cats or dogs

Children visit our home: *

Is this animal a gift? *

Yes

No

Are you willing to keep a collar and tag on your new pet? *

Yes

No

Are you willing to allow the new pet to adjust to the new home? This will take 2 to 6 weeks. *

Yes

No

How many hours per day would your new pet be unattended while your family is at work or school? *

Where will your pet be kept during the day while you are away? (select all that apply) *

Inside

Outside

Where will your pet be kept during the night? (select all that apply) *

Inside
Outside

Our family's activity level is: *

When you are out of town do you plan to: (select all that apply) *

Take your pet with you	Leave your pet with family/friends
Leave your pet home alone	Hire a pet sitter
Board your pet	

Under what circumstances would you give this pet up? (select all that apply) *

Bites/is aggressive	Difficult to house train
Chews/is destructive when left alone	Requires too much exercise
Is aggressive with other pets	Wanders/jumps the fence/is an escape artist
Moving to "no pets allowed" housing	Moving out of state
Medical expenses/animal is ill	Other

If other, please explain:

Are you able to provide a permanent home for this pet for 10 to 15 years? *

Yes No

Are you familiar with crate training? *

Yes No

If yes, will you crate train?

Yes No

Would you be willing to take your dog to obedience training? *

If not how will you train your pet / adjust bad behavior? Please explain:

How much are you willing to spend on your pet on medical expenses per year? *

Do you agree to not give the animal to anyone else without notifying TVCAS? *

Yes

No

How did you learn about TVCAS?

Newspaper

Friend or relative

Veterinarian

Adopted from us before

Event

Petango.com

Radio

Petfinder.com

Adopt-A-Pet.com

Other website

If newspaper, event, or other website, please specify:

Signature

Date *



Month Day Year

Once complete please email it to:

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Thank you