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Dog Adoption Questionnaire

Email: animalcontrol@neccog.com

Facebook Page: NECCOG Animal Services

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____

City/State _____ Zip _____

Primary Phone _____ Alternate Phone _____

****Thank you for the considering the adoption of a shelter animal! Before you decide to adopt a pet please consider the time, effort, and funds (estimated at \$1000or more annually for food, supplies, vaccinations, and veterinary care) necessary to properly maintain an animal. Responsible pet ownership requires a commitment to provide care and companionship for the life of the animal. The decision to adopt is an important one. In order to insure that you and your pet will be happy for years to come, we need to take time to discuss the animal’s individual needs and personality traits. Please take a few moments to carefully read and complete this application.****

1. Name of dog that you are interested in (if applicable) _____

2. Do you currently live in a House___ Apartment___ Condo___ Other___?

3. Do you currently Own___ Rent___ Lease the residence where you live___

4. How long have you lived at your current resident? _____

5. If you are not the property owner, NECCOG Animal Services will verify your residences current pet policy.

Landlord’s Name _____ Phone Number _____

6. How many adults live in your home? ___ How many children ___ Ages _____

20. I like dogs that are: Small ___ Large ___ Any Size ___

21. Please describe the temperament and activity level you are looking for in a dog. Check all that apply: High Energy ___ Outdoorsy Dog ___ Lap Dog ___ Mellow ___ Quiet ___

Guard Dog ___

22. I prefer a dog that... (Check all that apply)

Loves children and strangers ___ Can tolerate children and strangers ___ Loves all other animals ___ Can tolerate all other animals ___ Don't care if he/she gets along with other animals ___

23. When it comes to relating to dogs, I tend to be more

Strict, demanding (the dog must sit for cookie) ___

Moderate, (encourage good behavior, ignoring bad) ___

Lenient, a little wishy-washy (the dog looks cute, so he/she get the cookie even without performing sit) ___

24. Someone in my home is nervous or unsure of dogs...

Very (e.g. bitten as a child) ___ Moderately ___ Some (no experience with dogs) ___ N/A ___

25. The noise/activity level in my home is usually: High ___ Medium ___ Low ___

26. I would enjoy brushing or grooming my dog: Rarely ___ Occasionally ___ Daily ___ Weekly ___ Monthly ___

27. I would rather prefer a dog that:

Would enjoy walking with me on leash ___ Would enjoy going to the dog park ___ Would run, jog, or hike with me ___ Will exercise him/herself in our yard ___ Requires only enough exercise to do his/her business ___

28. My ideal dog would:

29. Bad dog habits that I just can't tolerate are:

** I certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also acknowledge falsification of the above can result in my being denied adoption of an animal or, if an animal has been adopted to me, the returned of that animal to NECCOG Animal Shelter. **

Signed _____

Date: _____