

Full name:

Occupation:

Address:

How long at this address:

Daytime Phone:

Evening Phone:

Best time to call:

Email address:

Family & Housing

How many adults are there in your family (their relationship to you)?

How many children (ages)?

What type of home do you live in single family, town home, apartment, farm, etc.? How many acres do you have?

Please describe the household: __ Active __ Noisy __ Quiet __ Average

If you rent, please give the rules governing pets and the landlord's name and number:

(by providing this information you are allowing CARES to contact your landlord please inform them of this call so they will speak with us)

Does anyone in the family have a known allergy to dogs?

Is everyone in agreement with the decision to adopt a dog?

Do you have time to provide adequate love and attention?

Is this a smoke free home? Yes / No

Other Pets

How many Australian Cattle Dogs / Heelers have you had in the past and currently?

What other pets do you have (specify type and number)?

Are these pets up to date on vaccines?

Are these pets spayed/neutered? If not, why?

Have you ever surrendered a pet? If so, why?

Have you ever had a pet euthanised? If so, why?

Have you ever lost a pet to an accident?

How do you discipline your pets?

Veterinarian

Do you have a regular veterinarian? Yes No

Veterinarian's name:

Clinic Name:

Clinic Address:

Clinic Phone:

(Providing C.A.R.E.S with this information you are allowing C.A.R.E.S to call your vet. Please call your vet and ask them to authorise the release of information to C.A.R.E.S or Fireweed Farms.)

About the Dog You Wish to Adopt

What is your idea of an ideal dog and why?

Desired age: _____

Desired Size: _____

Desired breed:

Breed you would not

adopt: _____

Desired sex: _ Spayed Female _ Neutered Male _ No preference

Willing to adopt:

outgoing/hyper dog

shy dog

dog that needs regular medication

dog that needs training

dog that needs grooming

none of these

Where will the dog spend the day? (*describe*)

Where will the dog spend the night? (*describe*)

Number of hours (average) dog will spend alone?

Who will have primary responsibility for this dog's daily care?

Who will have financial responsibility for this dog?

Do you agree to provide regular health care by a Licensed Veterinarian? Yes No

Do you agree to keep the dog as an indoor dog? Yes No

When the dog goes out, how do you plan to supervise it? Fenced yard?

Do you agree to contact C.A.R.E.S/ Fireweed Farms if you can no longer keep this dog? Yes No

Are you willing to let a representative of C.A.R.E.S/ Fireweed Farms visit your home by appointment?
 Yes No

How did you hear about us?

Would you be interested in fostering?
 Yes No Would like to know more.

I understand that I am wishing to adopt an Australian Cattle Dog ie. Blue Heeler, Queensland, Red Heeler, Heeler. I am aware of their temperament and understand that I am looking at a herding breed of dog. A very active, high-energy dog, the Australian Cattle Dog needs more than just a quick walk and playtime in the yard. ACDs really need a job in order to remain happy and healthy. On a working farm, this may not be an issue, especially if there are animals to herd. In other living situations, going with his owner on runs every day, or nearly every day, is a good outlet for his/her energy.

Signature & Date

I realise that the training of this dog may be challenging and that they have a stubborn streak to their personalities.

Initials & Date

I understand that while they are great with families, that they normally attach themselves to one person in the household.

Initials & Date

I fully understand that this dog is prone to herding other animals as well as humans and children if desired. I also understand that this breed of dog can be quite territorial and needs to be socialised at a very early age for a successful outcome to joining our family.

Initials & Date

Personal References

Please list someone who is familiar with both you and your pets.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Relationship (relative, neighbour, friend, etc.):

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Relationship (relative, neighbour, friend, etc.):

All of the information I have given is true and complete. I hereby authorise C. A. R. E. S. to conduct all necessary background information in accordance with determining our application as a suitable home*** for the puppy / dog.

I understand this DOES NOT guarantee a dog or puppy. I also understand that this is only for a consideration of a new puppy or dog and that I must provide and comply with all the stipulations outlined in this questionnaire to be considered as a new puppy / dog owner.

(Signature)

(Date)

Please check your interest;

{ } RESCUES:

Adoption fees for local dogs range from \$450 - \$575 (depending upon vet care required) are vaccinated, spayed or neutered and microchipped.

Out of state dogs start at \$750; are vaccinated, spayed or neutered and microchipped. Please note that the shipping fees for the out of state dogs, do incur a significant portion of the cost of their rescue. Thank you for understanding.

PLEASE NOTE, ANY DOGS RESCUED FROM OUTSIDE OF ALASKA MAY BE EVEN MORE COSTLY DUE TO THE GROUND AND FLIGHT TRANSPORTS PRIOR TO THEIR ARRIVAL. THANK YOU FOR UNDERSTANDING.