

# Winnebago County Animal Services

## Adoption Application

### What to bring.....?

- \* Current State Issued ID.

\* Vaccination and registration records for pet(s) at home. If you live in Winnebago County, you may call to verify we have current vaccination records. You may need to call your veterinarian; they would be able to fax WCAS current vaccination/registration records.



- \* Copy of a valid lease (bring your paid pet deposit receipt if applicable). If your lease has specific pet rules, we will need a notarized letter from your landlord.

- \* Adoption fee. We accept checks, Visa, Mastercard, and cash.



### What to expect....?

- \* We do ask that you come and spend time and get to know the potential new member of your family.
- \* Adoption process does require some paperwork, the process may take 15-20 minutes. Adoptions stop 30 minutes before we close.
- \* Adoption is not final until all paperwork is completed. (Sorry, we do not hold animals).

### Reminders....

- \* All adopted pets are spayed or neutered before they go to their new home.
- \* Purchase a rabies registration tag or pet license within your own city or county.

#### \*Please Note\*

We honor out of county ordinances regarding rabies vaccinations and registration for the county you reside in.

DOG \_\_\_\_\_  
 CAT \_\_\_\_\_  
 OTHER \_\_\_\_\_



A \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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To be considered for an adoption today, you must:

- \*Be at least 18 years old
- \*Have landlord's consent to own an animal at the address below
- \*Have verifiable identification
- \*Understand that Winnebago County Animal Services has the right to deny your application.

*So that we may be assured the animal you wish to adopt will be best suited to you, your home, and lifestyle, and be placed in an environment most compatible with its needs, please provide us with the following information by completing both sides of this form.*

***\*We welcome adopters who rent, or live in an apartment or condo. We want to alert you that some landlords and management companies have size and breed restrictions, limits, on number of pets, and/or require pet deposits or additional fees.***

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you lived at this address? \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Landord's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Landlord's Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

- 1) You live in a:  House  Condo  Mobile Home  Dorm  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) You:  Live with parents  Own  Rent  Rent to own  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) What was your previous address? \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Number of adults living in this household? \_\_\_ How many Children? \_\_\_ Ages? \_\_\_
- 5) If for some reason you can no longer keep this pet, do you understand that you must notify Animal Services?  Yes  No Explain: \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) How many cats and dogs currently live at this address? Cats? \_\_\_ Dogs? \_\_\_
- 7) Please provide the name(s) of each animal(s) listed above:

Pet's Name	Type/Breed	Inside/ Outside	Age	Spayed or Neutered?	Gender	Still Own?
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

8) Are you familiar with the pet responsibility laws in your area?  Yes  No

9) Why are you interested in adopting this animal? \_\_\_\_\_

10) Does your pet(s) have a current rabies shot?  Yes  No

If so, what county? \_\_\_\_\_.

11) Are you familiar with the needs of this specific breed?  Yes  No

12) Where will this animal be kept during the day? \_\_\_\_\_

13) Where will this animal be kept during the night? \_\_\_\_\_

14) Your new pet may take a month or longer to adjust to its new home, especially if you own other pets. Are you willing to allow for this adjustment?  Yes  No

15) Animals often live longer than 15 years, and you can expect to spend several hundred dollars a year to feed, vaccinate, license, and provide medical care for your animal(s). Are you ready to be responsible for this animal for its entire life?

Yes  No

16) What is the name of your veterinarian or veterinary clinic? \_\_\_\_\_

17) How did you hear about us? (Mark all that apply)

- Petco       County Chatter       Facebook       Friend       Newspaper
- Petsmart       Petfinder.com       Q98.5 Radio       Twitter       Billboard
- WIFR-23       wcasrock.org       WREX-13       FOX-39       YouTube
- Instagram       Prior Adoption       Event, \_\_\_\_\_
- Other - Please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

18) Please share your experience in our adoption rooms:

By signing below, I certify the information I have given is true, I am at least 18 years old, and that I understand any misrepresentation of facts may result in losing my privilege of adopting a pet through Winnebago County Animal Services. I also understand that Winnebago County Animal Services has the right to deny my request to adopt an animal, and I authorize investigation of all statements in this application.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for considering adoption from Winnebago County Animal Services!**

**Office Use Only**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Staff Member: \_\_\_\_\_  Approved  Denied

Reason Denied: \_\_\_\_\_

Verifiable Identification: \_\_\_\_\_

Animal ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_