



Animal Control Owner Surrender of Dog Form

Surrendering Owner's Name _____ **Date** _____
Please Print

ID / Driver's License # _____

Address _____
Mailing Address City State Zip

E-mail address _____

Home/Cell Phone Number _____ **Other Contact Number** _____

Reason for Surrender: _____

To your knowledge, has this animal bitten anyone within the past ten (10) days? YES NO

Dog Biographical Information:

Dog's Name: _____ Age: _____ Sex: Male Female

Breed: _____ Color: _____ Size: _____ lbs.

I originally got my dog from: _____. I've owned him/her for: _____ yrs.

I would describe my dog as: A Family Dog For Adults Only One Person Dog

Other: _____

My dog currently lives with: Other Dogs Cats Other: _____

Does your dog get along well with these animals? Yes No

My dog goes outside to urinate and defecate: Always Sometimes Never

For how many hours at a time is he/she left alone? _____ Is he/she crate trained? Yes No

While I'm away from the house, my dog is kept:

Loose in the House Loose in the Yard Chained in the Yard In a Crate

In an Outdoor Kennel Restricted to One or Two Rooms

When left alone, my dog: (check all that apply)

Barks Chews Furniture Scratches on Doors or Windows Chews Personal Items

Defecates/Urinate in the House

My dog is afraid of: (check all that apply)

Strangers Loud Noises Thunderstorms Men Being Alone Children

Vet Visits Car Rides Other: _____



My dog knows the following commands: (check all that apply)

Sit Lie Down Stay/Wait Heels on Leash Come

Most of the time, I would describe my dog as: (check all that apply)

Friendly Protective Affectionate Craves Attention Quiet Aggressive

Fearful Hyper Plays Rough Shy Playful Stubborn Destructive

Clingy/Needy Other: _____

My dog was last seen by a veterinarian on: _____ at _____

Date

Vet Practice / Vet's Name

My dog: Is Spayed or Neutered [If not, will you pay to have it spayed/neutered? Yes No]

Is Microchipped, ID# _____ Is Current on Vaccinations

Has Never Been to a Veterinarian

Other helpful information about my dog [health concerns, medications, behavior, etc.]:

[A behavior questionnaire is included on the next page]

Please review and sign below acknowledging the following:

- I am the owner of this animal or the owner's representative acting upon the owner's consent.
- Animals with illness or contagious disease, animals with age-related problems, and animals that pose a health or safety risk to people or other animals and cannot be handled safely are not candidates for our adoption program and may be humanely euthanized. Arkadelphia Animal Control cannot guarantee adoption or placement of any animal. Sometimes health, age, or behavioral problems present after admission, or our veterinarian/staff discover them upon examination or evaluation. Animals may also be humanely euthanized if appropriate housing and care are not available.
- I understand that whether or not this animal is made available for adoption is at the discretion of the Arkadelphia Animal Control and that if I have questions regarding the disposition of this animal, I should ask them now.
- My signature below reflects that I read and understand the above information and that I am releasing all rights and claims for this animal to the Arkadelphia Animal Control.

Owner Name

Date



Behavior Questionnaire

Key for Defining Dog Behaviors

Using the key provided, please describe how your dog behaves in the following circumstances. Let a staff member know if you have questions.

Very Excited: My dog will bark, whine, and jump up on people and objects. My dog seeks out activity and will chase people or things. My dog has a hard time calming down and usually has to be removed from whatever is causing the excitement.

Excited: My dog will bark/whine and may jump up on people or objects but calms down quickly.

Happy: My dog is interested/polite. My dog doesn't jump but wags his/her tail and approaches.

Indifferent: My dog is not interested and does not break away from whatever s/he may be doing.

Anxious: My dog appears interested and will approach. Ears are down and his/her tail will be tucked but wagging. My dog looks guilty and may get worked up, urinate, and roll over.

Scared: My dog runs away from the situation and attempts to hide under or behind a table or other object. My dog may eventually approach depending on the circumstances.

Growls: My dog growls in a low tone and may assume a stiff body posture.

Shows Teeth: My dog's lips curl back so that the front teeth can be seen.

Snaps: My dog attempts to bite, but does not make contact with skin.

Nips: My dog bites, but does not bite hard enough to break the skin.

Bites: My dog bites, breaks the skin or tears clothing.

Barks: My dog is very vocal.

Don't know: I am not familiar with how my dog would react in this situation.

Other: If none of the above apply, please explain how your dog would respond.

I or another family member enter the house: _____

A visitor enters the house: _____

Children who are visitors enter the house: _____

My dog sees a jogger or child on a bike: _____

I take a favorite toy or bone away from my dog: _____

I take away food or a treat: _____

My dog is disturbed while sleeping: _____

My dog sees another dog walking on leash: _____
