# Adoption Questionnaire

**What Animal are you interested in meeting?** ☐ **Dog** ☐ **Cat** ☐ **Other**_____

Thank you for considering adopting a pet from the Virginia Beach Animal Care and Adoption Center (VBACAC). You will be making a long-term commitment to a special pet and our goal is to help make the best match possible for you and our shelter residents. The following questions will help us achieve that goal.

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Email _____ Driver's License State ____ Number_____

Address_____ City_____ Zip_____

Primary Phone _____ Alternate Phone _____

How did you hear about us? _____

Who will be primarily responsible for the care of this animal? _____

Is this animal a gift? Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, for whom? _____

Are you a renter at your place of residence? Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, be sure to check with your leasing office or landlord to fully understand the policies and requirements you have to follow. As the adopter, it is **YOUR** responsibility to ensure you are picking the right pet. Let us know any guidelines you have so we can best assist your selection.

Are you or a member of your household military? (We support the military; this is not a disqualifier) Yes ☐ No ☐

Where will your new pet be kept when no one is home (outside, cage, bedroom, etc.)?

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Please list below all people who **currently** reside in your home.

| Name | Age |
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Please list below all the pets that **currently** reside in your home.

| Species | Name | Age | License & Rabies Current? |
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While it is our goal to facilitate a quality, life-long adoption, we understand that unforeseen circumstances may require you to re-home your pet. Should this occur, are you prepared to responsibly rehome your pet on your own before surrendering to an animal shelter? We have resources posted on our website for assistance. Yes ☐ No ☐

Do you have any pending charges and/or convictions of animal cruelty, failure to provide duties of ownership of animals/failure to provide adequate care, domestic violence-related offenses, violent crime convictions, conditions of moral turpitude, history of protective order(s), or history of violent/aggressive behavior? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, please add details here:

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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. An adoption may be denied if an animal has been adopted by me and returned to VBACAC. I understand that VBACAC cannot guarantee the health of any animal. I understand that all cats and dogs adopted from VBACAC will be spayed or neutered and microchipped before they are released from the shelter. VBACAC reserves the right to deny the adoption of any animal if the home environment conflicts with the best interest of the animal.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Reviewed by: _____ Date: _____