# **Animal Adoption Application**

#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

Thank you for your interest in adopting one of our animals.

Completed applications and required documentations can be mailed, faxed or dropped off in person at the Cromwell Police Station.

To expedite the adoption process please include all required documentations:

- Signed adoption policy Found on Town of Cromwell Web page
- Completed adoption application
- Copy of lease or notarized letter from landlord
- Copy of vet records
- Copy of current dog licenses for dogs residing in household

Reminder All members of household and current dogs in residence are required to come for the meet & greet.

Any questions please contact:

Cromwell Animal Control
5 West Street
Cromwell, CT 06416
860-635-7859 - fax 860-613-2934
animalcontrol@cromwellpd.com

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| Pet you are applying for:                              |                  | Animal Control Officer: |               |  |  |
|--|------------------|-------------------------|---------------|--|--|
| How did you hear about Cromwell Animal Control?        |                  |                         |               |  |  |
| Applicant / Co-Applicant Information                   |                  |                         |               |  |  |
| Date of Application:                                   |                  |                         |               |  |  |
| Last Name:   | First Name       | :                       | DOB:          |  |  |
| Last Name:   | First Name       | :                       | DOB:          |  |  |
| Address:   |                  |                         | Apt/Unit#:    |  |  |
| City:  | State:           |                         | zip:          |  |  |
| Phone number:  | Email:           |                         |               |  |  |
| Do you own or rent?                                    | How              | long have you lived at  | this address? |  |  |
| Landlords name and phone r                             | number:          |                         |               |  |  |
| Do you plan on moving in the                           | e next year?     |                         |               |  |  |
| What type of housing do you                            | live in?         |                         |               |  |  |
|  |                  |                         |               |  |  |
|  | Family / Househo | old Information         |               |  |  |
| Number of adults in household (o                       | ver 18 yrs.)     | Relationship:           |               |  |  |
| Number of children in household (under 18 yrs.)        |                  | Ages of children:       |               |  |  |
| Have the children had pets before? What type of pets?  |                  |                         |               |  |  |
| Have all the adults agreed to adop                     | otion?           |                         |               |  |  |
| Do you expect your current family situation to change? |                  |                         |               |  |  |
| Is anyone allergic to animals?                         | If yes, who?     |                         |               |  |  |

#### **Animal Adoption Application cont.**

Why would you like to adopt an animal from us? (check all that apply)

- Companion for self
- o Companion for child
- o Companion for another pet
- o Companion for another household member
- Gift
- O Working dog (watch dog, hunting, guide dog, other) Please Explain:

## **Employment Information**

| Employer:     | Position Held:        |      |  |
|---------------|-----------------------|------|--|
| Address:      |                       |      |  |
| City:         | State:                | Zip: |  |
| Work phone:   | Length of employment: |      |  |
| Co-Applicant: |                       |      |  |
| Employer:     | Position Held:        |      |  |
| Address:      |                       |      |  |
| City:         | State:                | Zip: |  |
| Work phone:   | Length of employment: |      |  |

# Pet Information Please tell us about any pets you currently have and or have had in the past

| Name | Breed | Age | Gender | Spayed / Neutered | Where are they now? |
|------|-------|-----|--------|-------------------|---------------------|
|      |       |     | M F    | Yes No            |                     |
|      |       |     | M F    | Yes No            |                     |
|      |       |     | M F    | Yes No            |                     |
|      |       |     | M F    | Yes No            |                     |
|      |       |     | M F    | Yes No            |                     |
|      |       |     | M F    | Yes No            |                     |

### **Animal Adoption Application cont.**

| Have you ever given any animal away, or relinquished ownership rights to an animal shelter? |                                 |                            |  |  |
|---|---------------------------------|----------------------------|--|--|
| If yes, what were the circumstances?  |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Under what circumstances would  | you euthanize a pet?            |                            |  |  |
|   | Veterinarian Information        |                            |  |  |
|   |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Veterinarian:   | Pho                             | ne:                        |  |  |
| Address:  |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Town:   | State:                          | Zip:                       |  |  |
| When was your current pet's last  | visit and why?                  |                            |  |  |
| New Pet Information   |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Who in the household will be the  | primary caregiver?              |                            |  |  |
| What will you feed your pet?  | How often?                      |                            |  |  |
| How much time are you willing to allow for your new pet to adjust to your home?             |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Are you able to afford a bill of \$500 (or more) for emergency vet care?                    |                                 |                            |  |  |
| How much do you expect to spend on maintenance for your pet each year?                      |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Are you committed to providing a responsible home for your pet's entire life (pos. 15+yrs)? |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Will this pet be kept outdoors?   | Do you have a fenced in yard?   | Approx. how big?           |  |  |
| How many times per day do you p   | olan to take your pet outdoors? |                            |  |  |
| How long will this pet be left alon   | e? Do you plar                  | n to spay/neuter this pet? |  |  |
| How will you house train your new pet?  |                                 |                            |  |  |
| If you go on vacation who will care for your pet?   |                                 |                            |  |  |
| What would you do if your pet develops a problem with:                                      |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Digging:  |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Barking:  |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Chewing:  |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Separation Anxiety:   |                                 |                            |  |  |
| Aggression:   |                                 |                            |  |  |

Do you plan to declaw your cat?

Do you plan to allow your cat outside?

#### **Disclosure and Release Clause**

The animal that you are applying for, to our knowledge, may not have been tested or vaccinated against any disease, including rabies, which can be transmitted to humans. Under Connecticut General Statute 22-332(b) every effort is made by our staff to match animals to proper homes and filing an application does in no way guarantee that you will be approved for any animal. Your application may be denied for any reasonable cause. Cromwell Animal Control makes no claims as to the health, temperament or mental position of any of its animals. Some animals change when brought out of the shelter environment and into its new environment. Due care should be taken with any new animals in their new homes.

, (co-applicant)

| To the best of my knowledge, have not made any false statements in filing this application for adoption of a pet from Cromwell Animal Control. I have fully read and understand the above statement as well as all questions. |                       |  |  |  |  |
|---|-----------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Signed:   | Date:                 |  |  |  |  |
| Signed (co-applicant):  | Date:                 |  |  |  |  |
| Staff Onl   | y                     |  |  |  |  |
| ACO Verification: Vaccination Records:  | Current dog licenses: |  |  |  |  |
| Signed Adoption Policy: Lease proof:  | _ Other: J: G: F:     |  |  |  |  |
| Approved: YES NO Reason for Denial:   |                       |  |  |  |  |

I, (applicant)