

The Wilbur Project Inc.

2026 ADOPTION APPLICATION

Basic Information Name: _____

Driver's license number: _____

Street address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

Email: _____

Employer: _____

How long at current job: _____

Provide two references that are not members of your immediate family:

Personal reference #1: _____ phone: _____

Relationship: _____ years known: _____

Personal reference #2: _____ phone: _____

Relationship: _____ years known: _____

ABOUT YOUR HOME

Do you live in a(n)?:

- House
- Condo
- Townhouse
- Apartment
- Other: _____

Your home is:

- Owned, by you or your spouse/life partner
- Owned, by someone else within the house
- Rented directly from the owner or through a management company
- Other: _____

If renting, is your name on the lease?

- YES
- NO

If renting, do you have your property owner's permission to have a dog? _____

Property owner's name and phone: _____

Who shares your household?

- Spouse/Life Partner

- Roommate(s) # _____
- Boyfriend/Girlfriend
- Other: _____

Are there children in the home?

- YES
- NO

If yes, how many? _____ How old? _____

At what age do you feel children are responsible enough to take care of a pet without assistance?
(i.e. walk, feed, train) _____

If your present relationship/ living situation were to change and you were no longer able to care for the dog, a new application must be submitted and approved in order to transfer ownership. **Initial:** _____

Is someone home during the day?

- YES
- NO

Who? _____

How many hours will your dog be alone each day? _____

Where will your dog spend most of his/her day when you are home?

- Indoors
- Outdoors/Yard
- Other: _____

Additional Info: _____

Where will the dog stay when he/she is home alone?

- Indoor/Outdoor (doggy- door)
- Inside only
- Free Roam
- Crate
- Outdoors (please specify below)
 - Yard
 - Garage
 - Enclosed Patio
 - Dog House
 - Other: _____

Where will the dog sleep at night?

- Indoor/Outdoor (doggy- door)
- Inside only (specify):
- Free Roam
- Crate
- Outdoors (please specify below)
 - Yard
 - Garage

- Enclosed Patio
- Dog House
- Other: _____

YARD INFORMATION

What outside areas are available to the dog? (Check all that apply)

- front yard
- dog house
- back yard
- garage
- enclosed patio
- other: _____

Do you have a doggie door?

- YES
- NO

Shared yard with neighbors?

- YES
- NO

Is the yard fenced?

- YES
- NO

What is the type of fence? _____ Fence height? _____

Have you recently inspected your fences?

- YES
- NO

Are they in good condition with no holes or loose points?

- YES
- NO

If your dog will have free access to a fenced yard, where is it located?

- Front yard
- Back yard
- Side yard

Which of the following is used to secure your gate?

- Latch
- Padlock
- Keyed lock
- Other: _____

Who has access to your yard? _____

DOG EXPERIENCE

How would you describe your dog owning experience?

- I have had dogs of my own as an adult
- I grew up with dogs or have worked with them but have not had my own
- I have never had one or have limited experience with dogs
- Other: _____

Have you owned a working breed dog before?

- YES
- NO

If no, what is your experience with them? _____

What do you appreciate about this breed? _____

Are you aware of the activity/drive level that may be present in this breed?

- YES
- NO

How are you prepared to address this? Please be specific: _____

How many dogs have you owned in the past 5 years? _____

What happened to the other dog(s)? _____

Do you currently have pets?

- YES
- NO

If yes, please complete the following: Breed, Gender, Age, Spay/Neutered? If not, why?

How do you feel your current pets will adjust to a new dog in the house? _____

Have you had experience with behavioral or medical issues with your previous or current pets?

If yes, please describe _____

If there are children in the household, please describe their experience with dogs:

ABOUT THIS DOG

Why do you want to adopt a rescued working breed? _____

Share your reasons for wanting a dog? (Check all that apply)

- Family Pet
- Gift for Someone
- Protection/Guard Dog
- Companion
- Childs Companion
- Companion for another pet
- Working Dog
- Other: _____

How will you exercise your dog? _____

How often? _____

What type of training are you interested in doing? _____

Have you or would you be willing to enroll your current dog(s) in obedience classes?

- YES
- NO

If your dog develops behavioral problems, what will you do? _____

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

What food will you feed the dog?

Dry: _____ Canned: _____ Other: _____

Would you like food recommendations?

Yes, please

Pets are an investment of your time and money, can you afford to provide the following

- Medical Care, Grooming, Proper Diet, Shelter & Exercise:

YES

NO

Are you able to make a long-term commitment to care for your pet for its entire life span, which could be as long as 15 years or more?

YES

No

Other concerns: _____

Who is your veterinarian (name, address and phone)? _____

If you do not currently have a vet, would you like a referral?

Yes, please

If you move, what will you do with your dog? _____

Additional comments about why you would like to adopt this particular dog: _____

Is there anything else you would like to share about with us? _____

Please read and initial each statement below:

_____ I understand that a home visit is required prior to final placement

_____ I understand that a home visit does not guarantee placement

_____ I agree to provide my own collar, leash and a personal ID tag at the time of completing the adoption contract

PLEASE E-MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION TO: THEWILBURPROJECTINC@GMAIL.COM