

Owner Surrender Form: Hope2K9 Rescue

I, _____, release ownership of my dog, _____, to **Hope2K9 Rescue**, (herein referred to as **Hope2K9**) as of Date: _____. The breed/description of my dog is _____ and their age is _____.

In surrendering my dog to **Hope2K9**, I am absolved of all liability or financial responsibility resulting from my dog's health status, behavior, or training. In surrendering my dog to **Hope2K9**, I forfeit the right to make decisions regarding my dog's health, behavior, or training, as of the date listed above.

Any fees I have paid for the above listed dog to receive training at **Hope2K9** are non-refundable, and do not assert any ownership or liability to me after the above listed date. All fees paid for the above listed dog to receive training are not a guarantee of behavior results, or of the specific results of my dog's placement in a new home. **Hope2K9** asserts that it will provide the best possible training resources for my dog in accordance and association with any fees I have provided, and as specified on service invoices or other training contracts.

Regardless of any fees I have paid for my above named dog to receive training, if my dog is determined to be too dangerous to re-home, or becomes ill or injured on a level that is life threatening, **Hope2K9** reserves the right to make all decisions pertaining to my dog's treatment and continued training or adoption process.

It is understood that **Hope2K9** does not buy nor pay for dogs. This is a service to help place dogs in new homes when their present owners can no longer keep them. This service is free, however a donation or service investment to help pay for training or expenses is appreciated. Many of the dogs we handle are from animal shelters and require considerable expenses prior to adoption.

The information that I have provided regarding the previously mentioned dog is true and complete. I hereby forever release, discharge and agree to hold harmless and indemnify to **Hope2K9**, any applicable board of directors, its members, officers, and agents from all claims, demands, actions, causes of action, and/or liability of any kind whatsoever arising as a result of/or in connection with the adoption/or other disposition of the above named dog.

I hereby relinquish all rights of the above named dog, to **Hope2K9**. I hereby certify that I am the owner of this dog, free and clear of all other interests. I hereby certify that this dog is not possessed of any dangerous and/or vicious propensities, and that I have not willfully concealed any information about the dog that might indicate such propensities. I further understand and agree that I received no money or other compensation as a result of this surrender. I hereby relinquish all claims to said dog and understand that this surrender is irrevocable and ownership of said dog is now relinquished to **Hope2K9**.

Signed _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

Home2K9 Representative _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

Dog's Name: _____ Age: _____ Breed: _____

Microchipped: Y / N Spayed/Neutered: Y / N Socializes regularly with other dogs: Y / N

Health Concerns: _____

Feeding Instructions (please include the brand name of food you feed): _____

Food Restrictions/Allergies: _____

Medications: _____

Favorite Toys and Games: _____

Favorite Treats: _____

Commands Known: _____

Priority Commands to Reinforce: _____

Has this pet ever been aggressive or bitten someone? Y / N If yes, please explain: _____

Has this pet ever growled or snapped at anyone who was touching his/her food/toys? Y / N

Housebroken: Y / N Crate Trained: (calmly waits in crate for up to four hours at a time) Y / N

Has this pet ever been cared for outside of your home by another pet sitter, boarding kennel or dog walker? Y / N

Any issues for this pet in being cared for outside of your home? Y / N (Examples include: being dog selective, fear of strangers, barking, digging, potty accidents, object guarding, storm anxiety, runs away etc.) If yes, please explain: _____

This pet LOVES to: _____

This pet HATES to: _____

Is your dog being exercised OUTSIDE the home DAILY? Y / N If so, what activities and for how long? _____

What kind of collar/leash/training tools do you use for handling your dog on walks? _____

Does your dog walk respectfully at your side when on leash? Y / N If not, what sets him/her off? _____

Is your dog trained to hold a "place" or "spot" command (ie: down/stay) for more than 10 minutes? Y / N

Does your dog wait for permission to pass through thresholds, get on furniture, your lap, etc? Y / N

What commands does your dog know and complete, first time asked? _____

Behavioral issues you wish to correct: _____

Special Handling/Other

Notes: _____
