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Chenango SPCA Application for Adoption

I am looking to adopt: _____

(Animals Name)

Thank you for your interest in adopting from the Chenango SPCA!

Please read and fill out this application completely. This application is designed to help the CSPCA staff, the animals, and you - the prospective adopter. Our foremost concern is the welfare of our animals. We use this application as a tool to determine what is in their best interest and to help you find the pet most compatible with your lifestyle. Please note that the CSPCA has the right to refuse any adoption at any time. The animals at the CSPCA are in need of a life-long home and we ask adopters to consider this when selecting an animal. Please know that animals available for adoption come here from a variety of sources, whether they are strays or surrendered by previous owners. All animals are evaluated upon entry for temperament and their health is routinely monitored, but there is always a chance that an animal is incubating a disease or behavioral issue without our knowing.

Part 1- Personal Information

Are you: Over 62? _____ A Veteran? _____

Date: ____/____/____ Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Physical & Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ How Long at this address? _____

Primary Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Secondary Phone: (_____) _____ - _____

Email: _____

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

Spouse's Employee: _____ Spouse's Occupation: _____

Do you own your home? YES NO Do you own the Land your home is on? YES NO

If no to either, Landlords Name: _____ Phone Number: (_____) _____ - _____

Are you over the age of 18? YES NO Do you plan on moving in the next six months? YES NO

Part 2- Prior/ Current Pet Information

Please list all the pets you currently have in your home with their name, species, breed, age, and sex:
(Please include any pets that belong to anyone who lives with you, or comes and stay for any significant period)

Are they currently all Spayed/Neutered? YES NO Are they current on their vaccinations? YES NO

Please list **all** the pets you have previously owned in the **last 10 years** and why you no longer have them:

Veterinarian: _____ Phone Number: (_____) _____ - _____



Part 3- General Inquires

Do you have any children in your home? YES NO If yes, what ages? _____

Do you have anyone else that lives in your home, or stays for a significant period of time? _____

(If yes, and they have animals, to list them on the opposite side)

Have you ever surrendered an animal to a shelter or rescue? YES NO If yes, why? _____

Have you ever adopted from us before? YES NO If yes, when? _____

On average, how long will the pet be alone during the day? _____

Part 4- Dog Specific Questions (Fill out if interested in adopting a dog)

How is the dog going to be contained to your property? _____

Have you owned a dog in the past? YES NO Have you adopted a dog from a shelter in the past? YES NO

How do you plan to deal with behavioral issues if they arise? _____

Are you familiar with crate training? YES NO Are you familiar with house breaking? YES NO

Is this going to be an indoor or outdoor dog? _____ Are you familiar with grooming needs? YES NO

Part 5- Cat Specific Questions (Fill out if interested in adopting a cat)

Is this going to be an indoor or outdoor cat? _____ Are you familiar with grooming needs? YES NO

Do you plan on declawing? YES NO Have you adopted a cat from a shelter in the past? YES NO

Part 6- References- Please list two, non-family references:

Name: _____ Phone #: (_____) _____ - _____ Relationship: _____

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Please Read and Sign below – The Application Will Not Be Processed Without a Signature

I certify that the above information is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the CSPCA has the right to reclaim the animal if any given information is found to be false. I authorize the release of veterinarian information related to my current and past pets. I understand that there are costs associated with owning a pet, that these costs can range from \$400-800 annually, and that there may also be additional costs due to injury or illness.

Signature _____ **Date:** ____/____/____

For CSPCA Use Only:

Ref: Do you think they are exceptional pet owners? Ref1: _____ Ref2: _____

Would you trust them to watch your pets if you were away? Ref1: _____ Ref2: _____

Vet: Are they up to date on vaccinations and altered? _____

Do you think they are exceptional pet owners? _____

Landlord Approval: _____ Any Restrictions? _____

NOTES: _____

Adoption Agent: _____ Approved/ Denied by: _____ & _____ Date: _____