



# EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM

**DOGS NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

## APPLICANT DETAILS

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Suburb/State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

## ADOPTION DETAILS

**How many people in your household?** \_\_\_\_\_  
*Please include ages*

\_\_\_\_\_

**How long will the dog be on their own for each day?** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Which lifestyle activities will the dog be included in?** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Do you have high and secure fencing?** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please attach or send several photos of your yard & fencing*

**Where will the dog spend most of their time and sleep?** \_\_\_\_\_

*Inside or outside*

**Do you have experience with large breed dogs?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you open to further training with the dog if required?** \_\_\_\_\_

**What made you want to adopt?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other current pets/animals?** \_\_\_\_\_

*Breed, age, gender, temperament, desexed?, vaccinated?*

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**Any additional information that is relevant/helpful that we should know?**

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## WHAT HAPPENS NOW?

Firstly, the team at Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue would like to thank you for considering Adoption.

We would like to take a moment to explain the next steps and our processes for you.

We do have strict policies in place for rehoming our dogs to the most suitable applicant as we are sure you can appreciate.

Please know that our Expression of Interest form is to simply collect the vital information off you before potentially organising a meet & greet, you will be required to fill out another Adoption Application form if your meet & greet is successful.

We do not like to waste anyone's time and we appreciate the same in return.

Once we receive your EOI form, both the FSDR admin team and the foster carer will discuss if your family/lifestyle would be suited for the dog (based on the information you have provided us) before we progress any further (we are 100% volunteer based so please allow us enough time to do so).

If from your EOI we can see potential for this being a good fit for both yourself and the dog, we then move forward with a meet & greet.

This is usually handed over to the foster carer to organise a time and day that will suit between yourselves. The location of the meet & greet will vary dependant on the situation, but will be at either the foster carers home, your home or a mutual meeting ground such as a local park. If it does not take place at your home, please note that we may require to do a yard check also.

If you already have another dog, we strongly advise that you bring them to ensure that everyone gets along.

Please also note that there will most likely be multiple EOI forms submitted and the process will be the same for other interested parties with multiple meet & greets organised with the dog if the opportunity arises, to again, be sure that we are picking the best possible forever home.

This means the approval decision on which applicant is best suited, may be delayed and result in you not being able to take the dog home immediately.

Should your meet & greet be successful and you decide that you would like the dog to be part of your family, you will then proceed with filling out our full Adoption Application form that you can obtain by either emailing us ([info@forgottensoulsdogrescue.com.au](mailto:info@forgottensoulsdogrescue.com.au)) or by filling out our online version via our website ([www.forgottensoulsdogrescue.com.au/adoption-application/](http://www.forgottensoulsdogrescue.com.au/adoption-application/)) ensuring that you send ALL supporting documents as explained in the form.

Our admin team will then discuss, process and vote on who we believe to be the best suited applicant/s (again, please allow us enough time to do so).

We will then be in touch with all applicants, whether it be disappointing news or exciting news for that one lucky family.



If successful, you will now be required to pay the adopt fee in FULL before the dog leaves the care of the foster carer.

Payment can be made by direct transfer into the Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue bank account as follows:

**Account Name:** Forgotten Souls Dog Rescue  
**BSB:** 063 246  
**Account No:** 1041 9328  
**Bank:** Commonwealth Bank  
**Reference:** Adoption Fee - 'Dogs Name'

Once we confirm that the funds have been received on our end, we then give the go ahead for the foster carer to organise a time between yourselves to pick up the dog and welcome them into your family.

Your two (2) week trial period starts from the day you pick the dog up. We will set up a Facebook chat between yourselves and our admin team where you are able to send through updates/photos/videos, ask questions, request support etc throughout the trial period and beyond.

Within that two (2) weeks, if you decide that the dog is not suitable, then the dog will come back into our care and you will be given a full refund.

If your two (2) week trial is successful, all the appropriate paperwork will be sent to you via email.

If you're adopting a puppy from us who is not yet desexed, a separate Desexing Agreement will be required for you to sign. We will be in contact when the puppy is old enough (approximately 4-6 months) to organise desexing at a mutually agreeable Vet Clinic. It is after this that ownership and the microchip will be transferred over to you.

Once again, we thank you for considering Adoption and wanting to give one these forgotten souls a second chance at love and life!