



Application to Adopt a Retired Racing Greyhound

Applicant 1	
First Name	Last Name
E-mail Address	
Primary Phone Number	Alternate Phone Number

Applicant 2	
First Name	Last Name
E-mail Address	
Primary Phone Number	Alternate Phone Number

Home Address	
Number and Street	City
Province/Territory	Postal Code

Name and Ages of Children in the Home (if under the age of 18)	

Names of Other Adults Residing in the Home	

Note: Your application may not be approved if any child is younger than 6 years.

Note: All applicants will be contacted once the application is reviewed and the references checked.



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Residence			
Type of Home	☐ Apartment	☐ Single-family	☐ Semi-detached ☐ Townhome
Fenced Yard with Minimum 5' Fence?	☐ Yes		☐ No
If no, please describe your backyard and any fencing therein. 			
Do you rent, lease or own your home?	☐ Rent	☐ Lease	☐ Own
If rented or leased, please provide name, address and phone number of Landlord. If a condo, please provide name, address and phone number of the Property Management Company.			
Name 			
Number and Street 		City 	
Postal Code 		Phone Number 	
Knowledge			
How did you hear about the Greyhound Supporters? 			
Why would you like to adopt a retired racing greyhound? 			
Have you previously owned a retired racing greyhound? ☐ Yes ☐ No			
If yes, please provide some details about your greyhound and its life with you. 			
Where did you obtain your knowledge of retired racing greyhounds? ☐ Book ☐ Web Sites ☐ Shelter Helper ☐ Family Friend			
Do you own a dog currently? ☐ Yes ☐ No			
Have you previously owned a dog? ☐ Yes ☐ No			
How would you rate your knowledge of dog behaviour? ☐ Fair ☐ Good ☐ Excellent			



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Family Pets	
How many indoor pets do you currently have?	
Dogs	Cats Birds Other
If Dogs , are they spayed or neutered? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
If no, please explain. 	
Do any of your current pets have disabilities or limitations (deaf, blind, physical disabilities, etc.)? This information will aid in the selection of the most appropriate match. 	
Maximum number of hours your greyhound will be at home alone, and frequency. For example - 10 hours 3 days each week:	
Do any of your pets live outdoors 24/7? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
Have your pets ever bitten or attacked another animal? ^{*1} ☐ Yes ☐ No	
Have your pets ever bitten or attacked another person? [*] ☐ Yes ☐ No	
Has any family member ever been bitten or attacked by your pets? [*] ☐ Yes ☐ No	
If you responded "Yes" to any or all of the previous 3 items, please explain: 	
Have you ever returned or taken a pet to a: ☐ Breed-specific adoption group ☐ Humane Society ☐ Pound/Shelter	
If yes, please explain: 	
Pet Activity	
What activities do you plan to engage in with your retired racing greyhound? ☐ Walking ☐ Jogging/Running ☐ Racing ☐ Therapy ☐ Coursing ☐ Hunting	
Responsibility	

1 Items identified with * will be followed-up during the home visit for purposes of clarification.



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Veterinary bills for an average year are about \$2,000 and emergency surgery may average about \$5,000. Would this present a financial hardship for you?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Please explain:

Who will be the greyhound's primary care giver in your home?

References

Please provide three references who have known you for at least two years, and who are NOT family members. One must be your vet if you currently have one. If your vet, please contact them to advise them that a call from the Greyhound Supporters will be forthcoming so that information can be released to us.

Reference 1 ☐ Vet

Name

Phone Number

Address

E-mail

Reference 2 ☐ Vet

Name

Phone Number

Address

E-mail

Reference 3 ☐ Vet

Name

Phone Number

Address

E-mail



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What would be the best time to contact you? (h - h):

Comments or questions?

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN ADOPTING A RETIRED RACING GREYHOUND.

A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE GREYHOUND SUPPORTERS WILL BE IN CONTACT WITH YOU.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS, PLEASE E-MAIL US AT ottawagreyhounds@gmail.com

The Greyhound Supporters is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to the well being of retired racing greyhounds in general, and those adopted into homes, especially in the National Capital Region, Ontario & Quebec. Due to its role, the Greyhound Supporters does incur certain costs in ensuring that the right retired racing greyhound goes to the right "forever" home. Consequently, the Greyhound Supporters requires a deposit of \$100.00 as part of the adoption application process. If your application is approved, the balance is required 1 week prior to the time of adoption. The total adoption fee is currently \$650.00. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE ADOPTION FEE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

Please transfer one hundred dollars (\$100.00) CAD when you submit your application. It may be sent via Interac e-Transfer to ottawagreyhounds@gmail.com, using the password *Greyhound*. This deposit is non-refundable regardless of the final outcome of the adoption process itself.

Please note that we do not start processing your application until the deposit has been received.

Signatures

I/We wish to adopt a retired racing greyhound. We certify that we have answered all questions, and that all information on this Adoption Application is true and correct. We have read and understood the contents of this application.

Applicant Signature or
Typed Name:

Date:

Applicant Signature or
Typed Name:

Date:

Greyhound Supporters of the National Capital Region

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