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 **Westie & Friends AZ Rescue, Inc**

 **adoption application**

1. Name
2. Address
3. City State
4. Zip Code
5. Phone Email
6. Have you owned a Westie?

If yes, for how long?

Why do you want a Westie?

1. Do you have children living with you?

If yes, how many?

What are their ages?

What experience have your children had with caring for a dog?

PLEASE NOTE: Because the history of a rescue dog is unknown, Westie & Friends may not adopt to families with children aged 7 and under. Each adoption situation will be reviewed on a case by case basis.

1. Do you have children that come and visit with you?

If yes, what are their ages?

What experience have these children had with dogs?

1. Do you currently have a dog?

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If yes, what breed(s)?

What age(s)/gender(s)?

Spayed/Neutered?

 10. Have you owned dogs previously?

 If yes, what breed(s)?

 What became of it/them?

 11. Do you have other pets?

 If yes, what kind?

 12. Do you currently have a local veterinarian?

 If yes, may we contact him/her?

 Vet Name

 City State

 Phone

 13. Please provide TWO personal References

 Name

 Address

 City State

 Phone

 Name

 Address

 City State

 Phone

 14. In what type of home do you live?

 Do you rent or own your home?

 If you rent, will your landlord allow pets?

 15. Do you have a fenced yard?

 If yes, describe height and materials.

 PLEASE NOTE: Westie & Friends will NOT adopt to homes where invisible

 Fencing is the primary means of keeping the dog in the yard when outdoors.

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 16. If no fence, would you be willing to fence in a portion of your yard?

 If no, why not?

 When you are NOT in a securely fenced area, will you agree to ONLY walk

 and exercise the dog on a leash?

 Are you willing to have a rescue volunteer visit your home?

 17. Who will be responsible for caring for the dog?

 18. Do you agree to provide all necessary Veterinary care for the dog, including

 Annual booster vaccines and general health care?

 19. Do you agree to adopt a dog that may require behavior or obedience training?

 20. Will anyone be home during the day?

 If yes, who?

 How many hours will the dog be alone during the day?

 21. Where will the dog be kept when you are NOT at home (be specific)?

 Where will the dog be kept when you ARE at home (be specific)?

 Where will the dog be kept at night (be specific)?

 22. We require that all dogs adopted from us be spayed or neutered.

 Do you have any questions or reservations about this policy?

 If yes, please explain:

 23. Who will care for the dog when you go on vacation?

 If you move, what will you do with this dog?

 **Westies can live well into their teens.**

 Are you willing to take responsibility for this dog for the next 10+ years?

 In case you can no longer care for the Westie, what provisions would you make

 for its continued care?

 (i.e. , Do you have a specific person to designate for the Westies future care?

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 Have you considered how much it will cost to care for this dog each year?

 (Including veterinary care, food, grooming, licensing)

 24. What gender do you prefer? What age?

 25. If presently available for adoption, what is the name of the dog you are

 Interested in?

 Additional Comments:

 YOU MUST READ AND AGREE TO OUR **ADOPTION CONTRACT.** If you are a

 Couple, both of you must sign the contract.

 Signature:

 Signature:

 Date:

 Email: shampton5@cox.net

 Phone: 480-664-7699

 We are a nonprofit corporation and are waiting for our 501(c) (3) status.