

**ARF'S German Shepherd Rescue
Owner Surrender Questionnaire
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In order to properly evaluate your dog to re-home them we will need you to fill out the following questions. Please do not skip any questions, if you feel they are not applicable, please put N.A. in the space. The information gathered is used to perform an evaluation on your dog and also to help us determine what type of home would best suit your dogs needs. You will also need to provide a copy of all veterinary records for your dog. ARF's will not return the copy to you, so please do not send originals. All vet records must be sent to ARF's prior to an evaluation taking place.

(We have a fax available if you wish to send them that way, just email us for the number).

Owner(s) Names: _____

Owner(s) Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone #'s (home, work & cell for all owners: _____

Email(home/work): _____

Best way/time to contact you: _____

DOG INFORMATION:

Dog's Name: _____ **Age or D.O.B. of dog:** _____

Male ___ **Female** ___ **Spayed/neutered: Yes** ___ **No** ___

Microchipped: Yes ___ **No** ___ **If yes, list micro chip# and company:** _____

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Where did you get the dog from (if from shelter or rescue, list the name/contact info): _____

***If your dog is micro chipped and it is adopted through ARF's you will have to remove your information from the chip with the company and list ARF's contact information as the primary owner. This may result in a fee from the microchip company for you to accomplish this.**

VACCINATION RECORD:

Type of Shot	Date last given	Next date due	Type given (hw)
Bordatella			
Rabies			
DHLPP			
Lyme			
Heartworm test			
Heartworm preventative			

Does your dog have any medical issues: (please explain what they are and what treatment you've done: _____

Does your dog regularly take medications or supplements (list all): _____

List any surgeries your dog has had, what they were for and when: _____

FEEDING PROTOCOL:

List the type/brand of dog food you feed: _____

Amount fed each time: _____

When do you feed your dog (i.e. 1x or 2x daily, approximate times): _____

Do you use an elevated feeder? Yes ___ No ___ Does your dog gulp or rush through its food? Yes ___ No ___ Does it guard its food or food bowl? Yes ___ describe the type of behavior it exhibits: _____

No my dog does not guard the food or bowl _____

Can you take toys away from your dog? Yes ___ No ___ if not describe the behavior exhibited: _____

Can you take treats (bones, rawhides etc) away from your dog? Yes ___ No ___ If not describe the behavior exhibited: _____

Please check all that apply (if you check yes, briefly describe the circumstances under which the behavior took place:

Knocked over a child (accidentally or intentionally)

Exhibited herding behavior

Killed another animal

Growled at you

Growled at a stranger

Snapped at you (air snap, no contact made with you or clothing)

Snapped at another person or stranger

Lunged at another dog while on leash

Barks excessively

Bitten another dog or animal

Bitten a person

Explain any behaviors checked: _____

Describe how you routinely exercise your dog (indicate day/weekly): _____

Does your dog have a negative reaction to thunder? (thunder phobia) Yes

No

Describe what the behavior is: _____

Is your dog housebroken, or does it have any accidents? Yes No If no please explain circumstances it has soiled in the house: _____

Please list any concerns or special needs you have in re-homing your dog: _____

How long can you keep your dog while ARFs' attempts to re-home it? _____ *

***If you cannot keep your dog in your home for a minimum of 3-4 weeks, after the evaluation takes place, ARFs' cannot assist you with an Owner Surrender placement. Foster homes are reserved for shelter dogs that may be euthanized for space issues.**

ARFs' GSD Rescue will require you to keep your dog in your home (not boarded at a kennel) until another home is found. During this time you agree that you will keep your dog current on all vaccinations, medications and heartworm preventative. You will inform ARF's within 24 hours of any new medical issues that may arise while we are searching for a new home for your dog. You will also advise ARFs within 24 hours if your dog exhibits any new behaviors or if it has a bite or air snap incident. If you change your mind about re-homing the dog through ARF's you will notify us immediately. Please do not attempt to re-home the dog on your own while we are attempting to find another home for it. If you have a friend or family member who is interested in adopting it, after it is accepted as an ARF Owner Surrender dog, please have them get in touch with us. Your donation for the Owner Surrender program is non-refundable. ARF's will not list your dog if you are trying to place it through another rescue. Free to good home ads are not encouraged to try and place your dog on your own either. If you decide at any point to surrender your dog to a shelter, please notify ARF's ASAP so that we do not expend our efforts processing an application or advertising your dog since it would no longer be available through us.

You certify that all information supplied in this application by you is true and correct. ARF's (AGSR) will not be held liable for any misrepresentations, falsehoods or omissions on this application in regards to your dogs' health, temperament or behavior. You are responsible/liable for any actions your dog may exhibit while the AGSR representative is showing your dog either at pet expo's or to potential adopters or any other place the dog is being exhibited. You will assume all legal, medical and financial liability for any incident involving your dog.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please email this form to gsd@arfrescue.com or snail mail it to:

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Snail mail is collected bi-weekly