Maricopa County Sheriff’s Office  
MASH Unit  
Animal Adoption Questionnaire

Thank you for coming to the Maricopa County Sheriff’s Office Animal Safe Haven to look for your new pet. It is our responsibility to find permanent loving homes for all of the animals under our care. We will be happy to work with you in order to choose a pet that suits your wants and lifestyle. However, MASH does have adoption guidelines and may deny an adoption we feel is unsuitable. A staff person will discuss your adoption request.

Please be advised before completing this application that:

- You must be at least 18 years of age and be a resident of Maricopa County with proper identification
- You must not have been charged or convicted of animal cruelty
- You must not have been in jail in the last 90 days.
- If you are on probation, you must have written approval from your probation officer in order to be eligible to adopt.

1. I want this pet because ________________________________

2. Who is this pet for? ________________________________

3. How many minors live in your home? _______________ Ages? _________________________

4. If you rent, are pets allowed? _______ Size/Weight restrictions: ________________________

5. Landlords Name and Phone: ________________________________

6. Have you owned animal(s) before? If so, list: ________________________________

7. If yes, what happened to the animal(s)? ________________________________

8. How many animals do you currently own? _________ If any, what kind? ________________________

9. If you move where pets are not allowed, what would you do with your pet? ________________________

10. Where will you keep your pet? Inside ___________ Outside ___________ Both ___________

11. Do you have a fenced yard? _______ If yes, what kind of fence? ______________________ If not, how will the animal be secured when outside? ________________________________
12. Describe the shade in your backyard: ________________________________

13. What provisions will you make for the animal when you go on vacation? ________________________________

14. How would you correct inappropriate behavior? ________________________________

15. If your pet needs additional vaccinations, periodic veterinary examinations and care, what will you do? ________________________________

16. If your animal became seriously ill or injured and in need of expensive medical treatment or was no longer suited for your residence, what would you do? ________________________________

17. Do you currently have a veterinarian? ____________ If yes, name of veterinarian and hospital: ________________________________

18. Have you ever been in jail? ____________ If yes, dates: ________________________________

19. Have you ever been charged or convicted of animal cruelty? _______ If yes, when: ________________________________

20. Are you currently on probation? ____________ (If yes written authorization from your Probation Officer is required.)

21. Have you ever adopted from MASH before? ____________ If so, when and who did you adopt? ________________________________

21. Where did you hear about us? ________________________________

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THIS QUESTIONNAIRE IS COMPLETE AND CORRECT

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Signature and Date                MASH Staff Signature