

15. Is your dwelling a: house condo/townhouse apartment mobile home
If you rent, has your landlord provided written permission for you to have a large dog? _____

16. Yes, I have a fenced yard as described below:

a) Type of fence: _____ Length: _____ Width: _____ Height: _____

17. I have a hidden fence system: (Check one) ___ Invisible Fence ___ DogWatch

18. I do not have a fenced area but I am willing to install one and I have obtained an estimate. _____

19. I am petitioning for an eligibility requirement exemption (name of requirement) _____

**(Please be sure to include the necessary materials in order for us to evaluate your petition.)*

20. What age & gender Golden do you prefer? (*The more flexible you are, the easier it will be to find you a match.*) Circle all that apply:

Age: Puppy up to 4 years* 4 up to 8 years 8 years and older *Please note that we rarely have young puppies.

Gender: Male Female No preference

21. Will you consider adopting a special needs Rescue Golden that requires medication for a permanent but controlled condition? _____

Please read over the Terms of Adoption listed below and sign. (Unsigned applications cannot be processed.)

Terms of Adoption

1. Cost

The adoption donation for Golden's ranging in age from puppyhood to age eight is \$350 and for Golden's eight and up is \$200. The Rescue Golden will have been neutered or spayed, given all necessary inoculations including a rabies vaccination, heartworm tested, stool tested for parasites, and given any other necessary medical treatment prior to adoption.

2. Tattooing

All YGRR dogs will be tattooed on the inside right thigh for identification purposes using the YGRR prefix and a number.

3. Return policy

If, for any reason, the adoption is not satisfactory for the YGRR dog or the adoptive owner, YGRR requires that the dog be returned to YGRR. The Rescue dog cannot legally be sold or given away. YGRR reserves the right to take back any Rescue dog that is neglected, improperly cared for, or allowed to run free unsupervised.

4. Agreement

The adoptive owner must sign an Adoption Contract (Release & Indemnity Agreement) to protect him/herself, Yankee Golden Retriever Rescue, Inc. and the Rescue dog and be subject to all the conditions and stipulations contained therein.

5. License

The Rescue dog must be licensed in accordance with existing laws in the adoptive owner's town and the rabies vaccination must be kept current.

6. Care

The adoptive owner agrees to provide proper shelter, food, medical care, and agrees that the Rescue dog will not be maintained as an outdoor dog or run free without supervision. Failure to comply with these terms will require that the Rescue dog be returned to YGRR. We require that you follow a regular inoculation program established by your veterinarian. Your dog will need yearly boosters or titers for distemper and parvovirus, and a rabies booster in accordance with state or local regulations. Your dog must have an annual heartworm test and your veterinarian will recommend a preventative heartworm program which must be implemented.

I have read the "Terms of Adoption," and I understand and agree to abide by them if I adopt a Golden Retriever from Yankee Golden Retriever Rescue, Inc.

I am willing to have a YGRR representative visit my home by appointment prior to adoption.

Signature (*If you are under 18 years of age, your parent or guardian must sign.*)

_____ Date _____