

# MidAmerica Boston Terrier Rescue

## DOG SURRENDER FORM

Completing this form implies that you are asking MidAmerica Boston Terrier Rescue (MABTR) to help you place your dog with a new family or individual. MABTR rescues and adopts to the states of NE, IA, MO, KS, AR, CO, WY, MT, UT, ID, MN, ND, and SD. When adopting out of state no steps of the adoption process is skipped over just because of distance.

Your Boston will be placed in foster care, with a family NOT a shelter or facility, until his/her forever home is found.

Please note that neither the rescue individual/organization, nor the family or individual adopting the dog is expected to compensate you any amount for the dog. We do request a monetary donation of \$50 should your pet not be spayed/neutered and/or up to date on Rabies and Distemper. This is a request not a requirement. This will help cover part of the vet cost to get your pet spayed or neutered, which is required before a pet is adopted out. Other donations are welcome. An adoption fee is collected at the time your dog is adopted to his/her new family. Note that no dog is given away for free. All adoption fees collected go towards our medical fund.

Please answer the questions below as completely and honestly as you can. The more thorough you are the easier the transition will be for your dog. Any information you cannot or do not want to supply, leave blank. PLEASE NOTE: The information you provide may be posted on the Internet and mailing lists of volunteers and applicants. In other words, it will become public information. MABTR lists all their rescue dogs on [www.petfinder.com](http://www.petfinder.com). Your name will not be included or disclosed to the adopter or potential adopters nor will their names be provided to you unless agreed upon by all parties.

Please do not be intimidated by the length of this form. The more information supplied about the dog, the better a match can be made with a new owner. More will be learned about your dog while in foster care. Should your dog be found to be unadoptable due to aggressive behavior towards people or an untreatable disease you will be notified and given the opportunity to take the dog back otherwise MABTR will have to make the decision to euthanize the dog.

Neither MidAmerica Boston Terrier Rescue, nor its/his/her volunteers, coordinators, representatives, Internet Service Provider and its officers, employees, contractors and representatives; and any other person, firm or corporation involved with the efforts or business of this rescue, shall be held liable or responsible for any claims or causes of action incurred as a result of the provision or restriction of information, services, contacts, adoptions, fostering, veterinary care or by the actions of any and all dogs transferred or referenced herein.

We appreciate you considering rescue efforts when needing to rehome your dog. We treat every dog that enters our program like our own. We take pride in what we do and would never put your dog in harms way.

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Pet's name:		Breed:	
Spayed or Neutered date:		Color:	
Microchip/tattoo registration (organization/number):			
Weight:	Date of birth:	Age:	

Current owner's name:	
Current address (include city, state and zip):	
Current home phone:	Current cell phone:
Current owner's email address:	
Reason for surrendering your dog?	
What other pets reside in the household?	
How long have you owned this dog?	
What animals does this dog not get along with?	
Does the dog live with or has lived with children and include ages:	
Where does the dog stay when you go out of town and unable to take the dog with you?	
How does the dog tell you he needs to go potty?	
Have you or/and the previous owners ever bred this dog and if so please indicate the number of litters and at what age this dog was bred at?	
What method(s) of discipline do you use when correcting the dog?	
Has this dog ever been bred, if so how many times?	
What type of home environment do you feel would be best for this dog?	
Name of place or person of whom you got the dog from:	
Address (include city, state and zip):	
Phone number:	
Reason for previous owner's surrendered the dog?	

Veterinarian's name:		
Vet's address (include city, state and zip):		
Vet's phone:		
Date of last shots:	Rabies:	DHPP:
Date of last check-up:		Heartworm test date:
What type of heartworm preventative is this dog on?		

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Medical History (illnesses, heartworm positive, joint problems, chronic or recurring problems such as ear mites, fleas, urinary tract infections, etc.)
Allergies:
Medication requirements (temporary or ongoing):
Favorite toys:
Sleeping area:

*It is important that you list any and all behavioral problems. We want your pet to go to a good, permanent and loving home. To do this, we need to know as much about its good and bad traits as possible.*

*Mark by placing an 'x' in the appropriate box.*

	Likes/Secure	Dislikes/Fear	When and Why?
Car rides			
Fireworks			
Thunder			
Men			
Women			
Children			
Strangers			
Dogs			
Cats			
Baths			

	Yes	No	Sometimes	No longer	When and Why?
Chews					
Nips					
Bites					
Barks/Growls					
Escapes					
Climb/jumps fence					
Digs					
Get startled easily					
Housebroken					
Accidents inside					
Enjoys car rides					
Gets car sick					
Crate trained					
Baby gate trained					
Aggressive					

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Timid/Submissive					
Confident					
Well socialized					
Tolerant					
Mischievous					

Mark by placing an 'x' in the appropriate boxes.

Usually spends the day...	YES	NO	If yes indicate...
Running free inside the house			-
Confirmed to a room			What room?
In a crate			-
Tied in the yard			-
Running free in a fenced yard			Type of fence?

Brand of food:
Feeding Schedule (amount and frequency):
Special feeding routine:

Mark by placing an 'x' in the appropriate boxes.

List of possessions transferred with the pet:	YES	NO
Crate (bedding items)		
Food and/or bowls		
Toys/Blanket		
Collar/harness and/or Leash		
Heartworm/Flea preventative		
Medication dog is current on		
<b>Vet records/Registration papers</b>		

	YES	NO
Completed Obedience training		
Walks well on a leash		
Knows....		
'Sit'		
'Lay down'		
'Come'		
'Stay'		
'Kennel Up'		
'Potty'		
'Stop'		
'No'		
'Outside'		
'Down'		
'Walk'		

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Other commands not listed:
Has the dog ever bitten a person or animal? If yes, please provide details:
Has the dog ever had a serious fight with another dog? If yes, please provide details:
How does this dog greet strangers in and outside of the home:
How did you hear about us, MidAmerica Boston Terrier Rescue?

What type of home environment do you feel would be best for this dog based on your experiences?
Additional comments/notes:

I am the legal owner of this animal and hereby relinquish all present and future rights and claims to this animal, known as \_\_\_\_\_ (enter dog's name) and possessions transferred with him to *MABTR* as of the date below.

I certify that I have fully informed the organization above of all known or suspected problems and concerns about this animal. Further, I have indicated all information possible to ensure the animal's continued happiness and welfare. I understand that I may not be provided with information about this animal's whereabouts once I sign this form relinquishing the dog into rescue.

To the best of my knowledge, this dog has no medical or behavior problems that would make it unsuitable as a family pet. I certify that this dog has never bitten or injured anyone, unless otherwise specified above. I further understand that *MABTR* reserves the right to euthanize the above dog if temperament or health conditions are severe enough to warrant such action.

\_\_\_\_\_

(Former Owner's Signature)

(Printed Name)

(Date)

**In the event of a separation of households both parties MUTUALLY AGREE to rehome the animal listed above.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Former Owner's Initials)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Second Owner's signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Printed Name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)