CROSSROADS BIRD HAVEN

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Adoption Application

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

ALTERNATE PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS: (\*\*First Names Only)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

1. Do all the adults in your home know you’re adopting a bird?
2. Do any of the members of your household object to owning a bird?
3. Is it important that a bird interacts equally with all family members?
4. Who will be primarily responsible for the care of the bird?
5. Does anyone in the household have any health conditions, physical limitations, or disabilities?
6. What type is your residence? House\_\_ Apartment/Condo\_\_ Other\_\_\_
7. Do you rent or own?
8. If you rent, does your landlord allow parrots?

Landlord’s Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Do you have a water softener?
2. What room of the house will your bird spend the most time?
3. How many hours per day will the bird be left alone?
4. If you go on vacation, who will care for the bird?

PARROT EXPERIENCE/CARE

1. Who is your veterinarian? Is he/she Avian Certified?
2. Do you currently own other birds?

If yes, please list each bird’s type, age, how long they’ve been with you, and if they are a pet or a breeder.

1. Have you owned any birds in the past?

If yes, please list each bird’s type, how long you had them, if they were a pet or breeder, and why they are no longer with you.

1. Have you ever or do you plan to breed birds?
2. Do you own other types of pets?

If yes, please list each pet’s type and age.

1. What type of bird are you interested in adopting and why?
2. What resources have you consulted about this species?
3. What do you expect from a pet parrot?
4. What characteristics of a parrot are most important to you?
5. What do you plan to feed your bird?
6. How often will you take your bird to the vet?
7. How much do you expect to spend annually on your bird?
8. What financial resources will you use to pay for your bird’s expenses? (i.e. earned income, retirement, disability insurance, trust fund, etc.)

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1. Under what circumstances would you *not* want to keep the bird?

\_\_\_ Divorce/Separation \_\_\_ New Relationship \_\_\_ New Baby \_\_\_ New Job \_\_\_ Moving \_\_\_ Allergy

\_\_\_ Other Pets \_\_\_ Serious Illness \_\_\_ Biting or Screaming \_\_\_ Prefers Another Person \_\_\_ Not Enough Time \_\_\_ Neighbors Complain

Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Please describe any other experience you have with parrots.
2. What types of behavioral problems or bad habits do you think a parrot might develop?
3. If your bird develops a behavioral problem or bad habit, how will you address it?
4. How many hours a day will your parrot spend outside his/her cage?
5. Would you like assistance with parrot care information or a consultation to determine what species of parrot might best fit with your family and lifestyle (free of charge)?