# APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO KEEP A PET

Mount Green
HOUSING ASSOCIATION

***Permission is not required for small pets that live in cages, bowls and tanks.***

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| First name | |
| Last name | |
| Address (including postcode) | |
| Phone number | |
| Email | |
| Do you live in an Independent Living property (55 years+)? | |

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| Type of pet requested e.g. cat, dog | |
| Number of pets requested | |

***Only complete this section if the animal is a dog***

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| Breed | |
| The pet's name | |
| Microchip number | |
| How big is the dog? Small, medium or large | |

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| Do you already have any pets? | |
| If yes, what type and how many? | |
| Have you been convicted of animal neglect/cruelty in the last 3 years? | |
| Do you have a conviction which bans you from keeping animals for life? | |

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| Have any neighbours complained about your pets during the last 3 years? | |
| If yes, provide details | |

## *Named responsible person for my pet/s if I am unable to look after my pet/s*

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| Name | |
| Relationship to you | |
| Address | |
| Email | |
| Phone number | |
| Do you give us consent to contact your named person? | |

## I understand and agree to the following:

I am legally responsible for providing appropriate care for my pet(s) and managing their behaviour.

This includes:

- Getting them appropriately immunised from diseases and treated to prevent fleas
- Considering taking out pet insurance to help cover costs for illnesses or accidents
- Ensuring pets do not cause a nuisance by causing excessive noise or excessive odours
- Ensuring dogs are microchipped and wear collars and tags with contact details
- Ensuring dogs are is given sufficient walks
- Not leaving dog(s) alone in properties (including a private garden) for long periods of time.

I understand Mount Green reserves the right to contact the appropriate agencies if there are any concerns of neglect or abuse towards my pet(s).

## Looking after my home/alterations

- I will not flush pet litter down my toilet
- I understand that I am not permitted to install a cat or dog flap in my home
- I understand I am responsible for any damage my pets cause to my home including fences
- I will keep my home free from animal mess, fleas and vermin
- If I have a private garden, I will ensure I keep the boundaries secure to stop them escaping
- I will ensure that when Mount Green staff or its contractors are in my home my pets **must** be under control and not interfere with their activities.

### Communal areas/other people's property

I understand that:

- My dog must be on a lead before entering any communal areas
- My dog must be walked by a responsible person who is at least 16 years old
- I must get my dog microchipped within 2 weeks of acquiring it
- Dogs must not toilet in any internal communal areas
- I must ensure my dog faeces are picked up immediately and disposed of appropriately

- I am responsible for any damage my pets cause to communal areas or other people's property including fences
- Dogs (other than assistance dogs) must not enter any communal lounges, kitchens, laundry rooms etc unless all residents in the scheme have agreed
- Dogs must not be tethered in communal areas
- I must not wash my pet's bedding in communal washing machines
- Dogs must not enter any resident's individual gardens/driveways.

## Commercial activities

- I understand that Mount Green will not grant permission for commercial breeding or boarding of pets in properties.

## Emergencies

- I understand it is my responsibility to update Mount Green about any changes to the named person who will be responsible for my pet/s if I am unable to look after them.

## Pet permission

- I understand that if I am granted permission for a pet and wish to replace this pet in the future, I need to submit a new application.

The information I have provided above is correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if I have provided false or misleading information Mount Green may withdraw any pet permission that has been granted.

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| Name | |
| Signature | |
| Date | |