

LONG DISTANCE ADOPTION GUIDELINES

The MHBTC will consider adopting dogs to persons out of state under some circumstances.

- We will need to confirm that you have been in touch with your local Bull Terrier rescue representative, if there is one, in your area and that no dogs are available. This is to ensure that the local club receives the benefit of placing a dog in a local home. Please note that a dog may be available, yet not have been listed on the BTCA website. It is sometimes difficult to keep this information up to date in a timely fashion.
- A home visit is required and must be arranged by the MHBTC. This is often possible by utilizing Bull Terrier Club of America members or other rescue groups in your area. Many rescue groups work together throughout the states. Please do not assume that because of your location that we cannot meet this requirement. Networking is a beautiful thing!
- To avoid conflicts with other animals, we are unable to place a dog in a home where there are other pets unless the pets can meet prior to adoption. *Therefore, in the case of most long distance adoptions, if you have other pets, we cannot place a rescue dog in your home.*
- To avoid conflicts with small children, we are unable to place a dog in a home where there are children under the age of 10 unless the dog can be introduced to the child prior to adoption. *Therefore, in the case of most long distance adoptions, if you have children under the age of 10, we cannot place a rescue dog in your home.*
- The adoption fee is \$400. All dogs are spayed or neutered, have current vaccinations and are microchipped prior to adoption.
- Transportation expenses, including crate, health certificate and shipping fees are the responsibility of the adopter. Fees can be discussed depending on your location and choice of transportation.