

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
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APPLICATION FOR ADOPTION OF WILD HORSE(S) OR BURRO(S)

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| Applicant's Last Name | | First Name | | Middle Initial |
| Street Address or P.O. Box <i>(P.O. Box Address requires physical facility address on page 2)</i> | | | City | State |
| Zip Code | Driver's License Number | State | Birth Date | Social Security Number or Tax Identification Number |
| Home Phone <i>(Include area code)</i> | Alternate Phone <i>(Include area code)</i> | | E-Mail Address | |

Number of animals requested:
 Burros _____ Horses (Younger than 18 mos.) _____ Horses (Older than 18 mos.) _____ Geldings _____ Trained Animals _____

Question 1. Describe your existing facility and transportation:

a) Corral

Dimension: Length _____ Width _____ Height of Corral _____

Gate Height _____ Gate Width _____

Materials used in Corral _____ Materials used in Gate _____

b) Shelter

Maximum Height _____ Minimum Height _____ Gate Height _____ Gate Width _____

Materials used in Shelter _____

Attached to Corral? Yes No; If not attached, how is it accessible? _____

c) Feed

Type of Hay or Pasture _____ Amount per Day _____

Supplemental Feed _____

d) Access to Water

Water Tank Size _____ Source of Water _____

e) Trailer

Interior Length _____ Interior Width _____ Interior Height _____

Covered with _____ Type of Doors _____

Question 2. Have you previously adopted animals through the Wild Horse and Burro Program? Yes No

If your answer is yes, are these animals titled? Yes No

How many untitled animals do you have? _____

Question 3. Will more than four untitled animals be kept at the location described? Yes No

Question 4. Have you ever adopted under another last name? Yes No If yes, what other name did you use? _____

Question 5. Have you ever been convicted of abuse or inhumane treatment of animals, violation of the Wild Free Roaming Horse and Burro Act or the Wild Horse and Burro Regulations? Yes No

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212 make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representation as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

Applicant's Name

MAP OF LOCATION OF ADOPTED WILD HORSES AND/OR BURROS

Facility Address

City State Zip Code

Property Owner(s) Name Phone Number

Draw a map to the location where animal(s) will be kept (from the nearest major highway). Draw a layout of corral(s) and shelter(s). N N

Directions to the Facility

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Carefully read the PROHIBITED ACTS and TERMS OF ADOPTION printed below.
2. Carefully read information provided in the pamphlet "Adopting a Wild Horse or Burro."
3. Submit your completed Application for Adoption of Wild Horse(s) or Burro(s) to the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) office serving your State.
4. So that we may notify you when and where the animal(s) you requested are available, provide the Bureau of Land Management office serving your State within 10 days of any change in your address or telephone number.

PROHIBITED ACTS

- (a) Maliciously or negligently injuring or harassing a wild horse or burro;
(b) Treating a wild horse or burro inhumanely;
(c) Removing or attempting to remove a wild horse or burro from the public lands without authorization from the BLM;
(d) Destroying a wild horse or burro without authorization from the BLM, except as an act of mercy;
(e) Selling or attempting to sell a wild horse or burro or its remains;
(f) Branding a wild horse or burro;
(g) Removing or altering a freeze mark on a wild horse or burro;
(h) Violating an order, term, or condition established by the BLM under this part;
(i) Commercially exploiting a wild horse or burro;
Any person who commits a prohibited act is subject to a fine of not more than \$2,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, for each violation.

NOTICES

The Privacy Act of 1974 and the regulation in 43 CFR 2.48 (d) provide that you be furnished the following information in connection with information required by this agreement.

AUTHORITY: 16 U.S.C. 1333 and U.S.C. 7701

PRINCIPAL PURPOSE: The BLM will use this information to process your agreement for private maintenance and care of wild horses or burros. BLM will use your driver's license and social security numbers for debt collection purposes under the authority of the Debt Collection Act, 31 U.S.C. 7700 et seq.

ROUTINE USES: The primary uses of the information are to: (1) Identify individuals who have applied to obtain custody of a wild horse(s) or burro(s); (2) Document disposition of the application, that is, whether rejected, suspended, granted, or title issued to the animal(s); (3) Record administrative and adjudicative actions; and (4) Collect debts, when applicable. Disclosures outside the Department of the Interior will be made only according to the provisions at 43 CFR 2.56.

EFFECT OF NOT PROVIDING INFORMATION: Disclosure of your social security number is mandatory for debt collection purposes. Disclosure of your driver's license number is required to keep track of the location of the animal(s). Disclosure of the other information is required to obtain a benefit, that is, one or more wild horses or burros.

The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.) requires us to inform you that:

This information is collected to process your application to adopt a wild horse or burro.

This information will be used to determine your qualifications to provide proper care to one or more wild horses or burros.

Response to this request is required to obtain a benefit, except for your driver's license number, which is required to keep track of the location and condition of the animal(s), and for your social security number, which is mandatory for debt collection purposes.

BLM would like you to know that you do not have to respond to this or any other Federal agency-sponsored information collection unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

BURDEN HOURS STATEMENT

Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 10 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Direct comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this form to U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (1004-0042), Bureau Information Collection Clearance Officer, (WO-630), 1849 C Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20240.