



Rescue Quick Start

- If you hear of a dog in a shelter, on Craigslist, or elsewhere, do not make contact unless first approved by a Board Member or the Area Coordinator.
- If approved, the first contact should ask
 - Dog's location
 - Contact information
 - Whether the dog is at risk of euthanasia and time frame
 - General health and availability of vet records
 - Temperament
 - History of biting
 - Height
 - Weight
 - Color
 - Tail
 - Possible cross
 - Whether breeder is known and if s/he has been contacted
- Forward all information to the Area Coordinator for review.
- Do not make a commitment to accept a dog into MARS Rescue unless specifically authorized by a Board Member or Area Coordinator.
- If paperwork is provided with a surrendered dog, it should be sent in its entirety to the Area Coordinator.