

Stories of Surrender

Our family has had two wonderful adoption experiences through MN-MPR, but we have also had the experience of needing to surrender a pug through MN-MPR. We have asked if we could share our surrender experience with others for a few reasons: 1) No doubt other families probably struggle with the very difficult decision of surrendering their pugs, and 2) We have been most thankful for the way in which MN-MPR has handled our surrender.

Our second adoption of a pug through MN-MPR was the adoption of a sweet one year old that was rescued from a puppy mill. We enjoyed loving her up for 6 months and we did our best to help her receive love, learn how to be a part of a family, potty train, etc. But we came to realize that our family was no longer able to give her what she needed. We made the very difficult decision to surrender her back to MN-MPR.

Throughout the process all of the people involved with our decision were extremely helpful, kind, empathetic and non-judgmental. We only felt comfortable with our decision because we knew that MN-MPR would make sure our little love would be placed in a great foster home, and that they'd be very careful about placing her in her new adoptive home. Our sweet girl is now in a new loving home, and we were given the opportunity to communicate with the new adoptive family via phone calls and emails. We are so thankful to be a part of the process in this way!!

We understand that families need to surrender their pugs for various reasons. We also understand that most families make the difficult decision out of love and courage. MN-MPR is very respectful to families, and they walked our family through the process while preserving our dignity. Our family is so thankful for MN-MPR! They understand pugs and they understand people! We can not speak highly enough about the people at MN-MPR!