## **OUR POLICIES**

All deposits are non-refundable.

Why? Our deposits are non-refundable because it is not fair that we turn away other people for someone who is not ready to commit to a puppy. Placing a deposit shows us your commitment, and in turn we are committing to you and holding your puppy.

We get first pick on ALL of our litters

Why? We reserve the right to take first pick on all of our litters because it is very important that we choose the best of the best for our breeding dogs. We will not keep a puppy out of every litter, so reserve the right to keep a puppy when we decide to.

We may allow visitors at our own discretion.

Why? We try to allow visitors to come visit our dogs and puppies when our puppies have had their first shots. It is very important to keep sickness out of our home for the safety of our puppies. To do this, we may have to limit visits during certain times of the year or when sickness is going around.

Puppy pickup will be no sooner than 8 weeks of age.

Why? It is very important to us that your puppy is healthy, utd on shots, and socialized well before leaving our home. In order to do this, we believe that puppies should stay with their littermates and mother until they are at least 7 to 8 weeks old, preferably leaving after 8 weeks of age.

Prices are not negotiable.

Why? We have set our prices where they are in order to pay for our litters and invest in the future of our program. Our prices are average or lower than other breeders who do less for their puppies. We give early discounts for people who are willing to wait for one of our puppies.

- Discounts are given for early deposits, military, EMT/fire/police and SD Why? It can be hard to wait for a puppy, but we prefer to have a nice list of future homes before our litters are born. In order to do this, we give discounts for committed families. We also appreciate our military, EMT/fire/police, and families in need of a service dog.
- We have the right to refuse to sell to someone based on our own discretion. Why? We are there every step of the way for our puppies, which makes us want the best for them. If we feel that a home is not suitable or if we get a bad feeling, we reserve the right to return your deposit and find a more suitable home for our puppy.
- Visits and Pickups are scheduled in advance by at least 48 hours.
  Why? We do our best to keep our puppies healthy. This means we have a schedule and are meeting other people or doing other things during the day. In order to make it convenient for us both, we require visits to be scheduled 24 hours in advance on most occasions, we do offer exceptions.

• If our buyers are unable to keep their dog/puppy, we have the first right of refusal.

Why? We raise our puppies and adore them from day one. This means we get attached to them and want the very best. We understand life happens, but we like to know where our puppies and dogs will be going, so they are not put into the wrong hands or lost to us. We prefer to find them nice homes that will keep in touch with us.

Payment may be made in cashier's check, Venmo, Paypal or cash only.
 Why? Unfortunately, we have had some misfortune with people sending us personal checks.