



## **PAWS Training Centers Program Prep Trainer Requirements**

Prior to being interviewed by PAWS Training Centers in consideration of becoming a recognized Program Prep Trainer, you must:

- Have at least 3 years of experience as a professional dog trainer;
- Maintain a professional website, email address and phone number (text capable);
- Agree to use positive based training methods consistent with the most recent, scientifically proven techniques of ethically sound dog training for all potential PAWS Training Centers' clients and their dogs (\*Note – PAWS Training Centers is in the process of developing a training methodology statement. Once finalized, Program Prep Trainer will need to abide to the standards indicated within the statement);
- Maintain your own General Liability insurance;
- Provide an up-to-date copy of your resume or description of experience and qualifications;
- Provide at least 2 recommendation letters from non-family clients and at least 1 recommendation letter from a professional colleague in the dog training field.