

## A5769032/MIDAS'S Behavior Assessments

April 23, 2026

### E26-092889

<u>Animal ID:</u>	A5769032	<u>Play Style:</u>	PUSH/PULL	<u>Kids:</u>	ADULTS ONLY (REC)
<u>Eval Type:</u>	PLAYGROUP	<u>Sociability:</u>	SOCIAL	<u>Large Dogs:</u>	LARGE DOGS OK
<u>Eval Location:</u>	DOWNEY	<u>Reactive:</u>	NON REACTIVE	<u>Small Dogs:</u>	
<u>Eval Date:</u>	04/23/2026	<u>Ken Handling:</u>	FRIENDLY/EASYTO REMOVE1	<u>Energy Level:</u>	HIGH
<u>Review Date:</u>				<u>Training:</u>	CONTINUED SOCIALIZATION

Eval Comments: “The behaviors described today reflect the dog’s responses in an Animal Care Center environment and during assessment. A dog's behavior in an Animal Care Center may differ significantly from how they behave in a home. Stress, confinement, and unfamiliar surroundings can cause dogs to act out or suppress behaviors that may emerge later. A dog's behavior may change based on surroundings, training, medical, socialization, and life experiences.”

Midas greeted the runner with a wiggly body, soft eyes, and a loose tail wag. He jumped up and down excitedly, solicited petting through the fence, and licked the runner’s hand. He sat for the leash, and exited the kennel without coaxing. He pulled strongly on leash while bypassing the other kennels, and was easy to collar while soliciting petting. In the catch pen, his body was relaxed and wiggly. He entered the yard, and immediately began chasing the other dog in an attempt to play. He quickly became over-excited, and began nipping at the other dog’s rear end. He was easy to steer with the squirt bottle, and was able to settle into appropriate play after a few more corrections from the handlers. He played nicely with the other dogs for several minutes before breaking away to roam the yard with a relaxed body, soft eyes, an open pant, and a loose tail wag. He solicited petting from the handlers, and tried to engage the handlers in play. He was a bit rough, and would body slam the handlers for attention, but was easy to correct. He continued to sporadically engage in play with the other dogs while maintaining a relaxed and friendly demeanor. Midas is social with the other dogs, has a high energy level, and prefers a push/pull playstyle.

### E26-092890

<u>Animal ID:</u>	A5769032	<u>Play Style:</u>	PUSH/PULL	<u>Kids:</u>	ADULTS ONLY (REC)
<u>Eval Type:</u>	HANDLING	<u>Sociability:</u>	SOCIAL	<u>Large Dogs:</u>	LARGE DOGS OK
<u>Eval Location:</u>	DOWNEY	<u>Reactive:</u>	NON REACTIVE	<u>Small Dogs:</u>	
<u>Eval Date:</u>	04/23/2026	<u>Ken Handling:</u>	FRIENDLY/EASYTO REMOVE1	<u>Energy Level:</u>	HIGH
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Midas was already in the yard when the handler decided to begin the handling assessment. He was moved away from the other dogs, and gently restrained on leash. His body was relaxed, his eyes were soft, his ears were back, his mouth was open with a heavy pant, and his tail was neutral with a loose wag. He allowed the handler to pet his whole body, occasionally glancing at the handler with concerned eyes when the handler touched his paws. Otherwise, he remained relaxed and easy to handle, displaying no concerning behavior. He rolled onto his back to solicit “belly rubs,” displaying a wiggly body, soft eyes, and an open pant. When the assessment was over, he continued to solicit petting by jumping on the handler roughly, but was easy to steer with a verbal correction.