



**I wasn't smiling when I first got here.** In fact I was quite upset and wore a scowl for a week until I got to know the volunteers. Then I realized they were there to take care of me, walk me and dote on me, which made me smile and wag my tail. You see ... I had a home in N.Y., but one of the kids developed allergies to me. I went to live with their grandparents, but my size and strength were too much for the seniors. That's why I became a shelter dog, but I hope that is a brief interlude in my life.

Every person I meet falls for me, but the right home has been elusive. So many people have dogs – which is fine with me – but several that I met recently have not enjoyed my well-meaning, but pushy play style. They have all said “no” to my joining their pack. So I'm still waiting despite being housebroken, taking treats gently, and sitting and lying down on command. That's a pretty nice package to start with and I'm only going to improve. I'm a big beautiful American Bulldog weighing about 90 lbs., but not too tough to walk on leash. Women who hardly weigh more than I do walk and handle me every day here at the shelter.

Some say I look more like a “Humphrey” than a “Drago”, but I'll respond to any name I'm given as long as I'm loved. I can wait for the right family. I just hope the wait is not much longer.

Come visit me and be captivated by my charm, eye-catching looks and affectionate demeanor. Pet my two-tone blockhead and sleek muscled physique. Ask me to sit and delight in how gently I take treats from your fingertips. You'll be diggin' it, I guarantee!

# Diggin' Drago



**Angel Ridge has a special two-week, foster-to-adopt program to help you determine if Drago, or any other dog, is the right dog for your family.**



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