

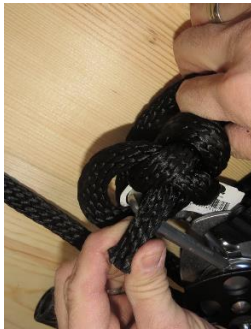
INSTRUCTIONS TO READY YOUR CANINE ATTIC DEPLOYMENT SYSTEM (patent pending) FOR USE

- ✓ Before you begin, ensure your dog is securely in a harness with an attachment point near the dog's shoulders. The dog's front legs will lift from the ground first, so make sure the animal cannot slip out of the rear of the harness.
- ✓ Next, select your attachment point in the attic from the ground. The attachment point will be a wooden board in the attic's joist system. You'll want a 2" board (such as a 2X4 or 2X6) in the joist system of the attic that is NOT directly over the opening. It should be to the side of the attic opening over the area you want the dog to land once he has cleared the attic opening.
- ✓ Finally, make sure you have a telescoping pole with a threaded end that will reach the attachment point you have selected.

1. Make sure the **Velcro strap** that connects the two **pulleys** is in place



2. Check the knot in the **lift rope** on **carabiner** to ensure it is tight



3. Attach the **tapered pole end** to the end of your telescoping pole



4. Insert **tapered pole end** into **clevis** and give a slight twist to secure



5. Determine the appropriate pole length needed to reach an attachment point in the attic. Remove the **Velcro strap** attaching the **two pulleys** and pull **bottom pulley** to the bottom of the pole. (Hold onto this bottom pulley and the pole.)



6. Push the **Claw** opening firmly against the board with the pole. While keeping steady pressure against the board using the pole, firmly grab all the **lift ropes** and pull the ropes downward. This will securely attach the **Claw** to the board.



7. With a slight counterclockwise twist, remove the pole and set it aside



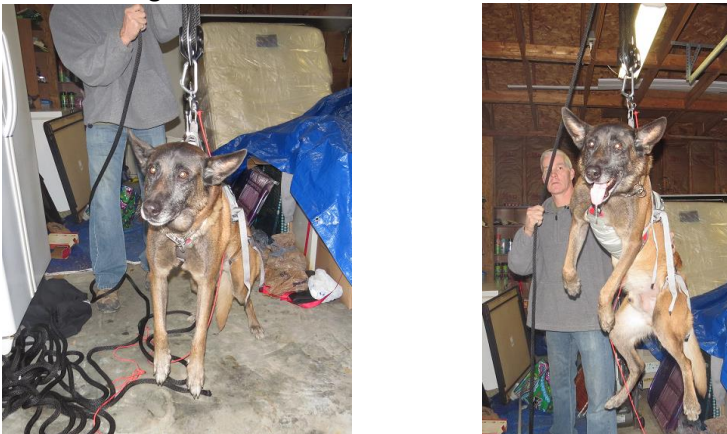
8. Pull ropes again to ensure the **Claw** is locked on to the board



9. Attach **snap shackle** to the front lifting point of the dog's harness, with the **snap shackle** opening towards the dog's head, the **release line** facing rearward. **DO NOT PULL THE RELEASE LINE AT ANY TIME DURING THE LIFTING PROCESS AS THIS MAY CAUSE THE DOG TO FALL.** The **release line** is much smaller than the **lifting rope!**



10. Slowly pull the free end of rope to begin lifting the dog. It may be necessary to position the dog rearward a bit to get the animal through the attic opening. You can do this by gently pulling on the back legs as it passes through attic opening so it may clear the hole. The dog should naturally attempt to get its footing in the attic. Once the dog has four feet on the attic floor, the release line can be pulled and the dog is free to search.



REMOVING THE DOG FROM THE ATTIC USING THE CANINE ATTIC DEPLOYMENT SYSTEM

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The handler will need to get into the attic to reattach the dog to the system. A second person on the ground can lower the dog, or the handler can do so from the attic.

1. Remove the claw from the attachment point and reposition it directly over the center of the attic opening. Again, push up firmly, seating the claw against the joist board while pulling down on the ropes, securing the system to the new attachment point
2. Attach the non-locking carabiner on the bottom pulley directly to the front attachment of dog's harness
3. Using the lifting ropes, gently pull the dog up off his front legs and direct the back legs over the attic opening
4. Once the back legs are through the opening, continue lowering the dog until it is firmly on the ground. (Note, this can be done by the handler or by someone on the ground)
5. The claw and pulley can now be removed by hand and safely removed from the attic

SPECIAL NOTE:

As with any attic search, handler should take necessary precautions and head and eye protection should be used to prevent injury from falling debris such as insulation, stored items, dust, etc. Proper cover/concealment tactics should be used as the search situation dictates.

CANINE ATTIC DEPLOYMENT SYSTEM (patent pending) PART LIST

