



ADULT VOLUNTEER APPLICATION



Date: _____

Name: _____ E-Mail: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Home Telephone # _____ Cell Phone # _____

Information About You

Are you currently employed? _____ Occupation: _____

When is the best time to contact you? _____ Telephone (work) _____

(home) _____

(cell) _____

Do you have any animals at home? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, what kind? _____

Do you have any allergies to cats? Yes ___ No ___ Allergies to dogs? Yes ___ No ___

Have you done any other volunteer work? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, what kind? _____ Dates: _____

Do you have any particular skills that could be of help to the shelter? _____

Why do you want to volunteer at our shelter? _____

TYPES OF VOLUNTEER WORK

1. **CLEANING SHELTER** (8:30 a.m. to Noon) _____

The most important task for a volunteer is cleaning the shelter... cages, floors, walls, litter boxes, water & food dishes, etc. This not only promotes a healthy environment, but makes it a nicer place for the public to visit when looking to adopt a pet.

Indicate what day(s) of the week you would be available for cleaning:

Monday ___ Tuesday ___ Wednesday ___ Thursday ___ Friday ___ Saturday ___ Sunday ___

2. **DOG WALKING** _____

It is important for all of our dogs to get regular exercise. You will be taking dogs out on individual walks for exercise and bathroom breaks.

Indicate what day(s) of the week you would be available to walk dogs:

Monday ___ Tuesday ___ Wednesday ___ Thursday ___ Friday ___ Saturday ___ Sunday___

Approximately time you would be at the shelter: Morning _____ Afternoon _____ Evening (7:00 pm)_____

3. **LAUNDRY** _____

Washing and folding towels, blankets, dog and cat beds, etc...

Indicate what day(s) of the week you would be available to do laundry:

Monday ___ Tuesday ___ Wednesday ___ Thursday ___ Friday ___ Saturday ___ Sunday___

Approximately hours you would be at the shelter: Morning _____Afternoon _____

4. **WASHING DISHES** _____

Requires you to stand over sink and wash litter pans, cat dishes and water bowls:

Monday ___ Tuesday ___ Wednesday ___ Thursday ___ Friday ___ Saturday ___ Sunday___

Approximately hours you would be at the shelter: Morning _____Afternoon _____

5. **FUNDRAISERS** _____

We have specific fundraisers during the year to assist us in obtaining donations to keep the shelter running. These are normally held on either Saturday or Sunday. Indicate which event(s) you would be interested in assisting with:

- ___ Garage Sale
- ___ Wal-Mart Collection days (handing people our wish list to ask for non-cash donations)
- ___ Tag Days (standing in front of store with donation can)
- ___ Walk-a-Thon (fall)
- ___ 5K Run (Late Fall)

YOU WILL ALSO NEED TO HAVE TO COMPLETE A WAIVER DOCUMENT.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN
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