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## Volunteer Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

In case of emergency notify \_\_\_\_\_

home phone

work phone

If currently employed, \_\_\_\_\_

name of employer

occupation

If currently in school, \_\_\_\_\_

name of school

grade/level

How did you hear about us? \_\_\_\_\_

Why are you interested in volunteering for Animal Friends? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any previous volunteer or work experience with animals \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any previous volunteer experience (other than those mentioned above) \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe any special interests, skills, training or hobbies that might benefit Animal Friends \_\_\_\_\_

Do you currently have any companion animals? If yes, what types? Are they spayed or neutered? \_\_\_\_\_

If your animals are not spayed or neutered, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

We ask all volunteers to make a commitment of a minimum of two shifts per month. Are you available to do that?

yes  no

Availability: Weekdays \_\_\_\_\_ Hours \_\_\_\_\_

Weekends \_\_\_\_\_ Hours \_\_\_\_\_

OFFICE USE ONLY :AFRP Intro \_\_Cat Foster Care \_\_Dog Foster Care \_\_ Adoption Counselor\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_



What types of volunteer work are you interested in? (check one or more)

**Foster Care:**

Provide temporary shelter, care and love for adoption animals. Some need a few nights' stay until they get adopted, others need a home until they reach an adoptable age or recover from trauma.

**Please complete this section only if you are interested in fostering an animal (circle appropriate answers)**

What type of animal are you interested in fostering?

- puppy       dog       kitten       cat       other: \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours each day would the animals you foster be left alone?

Weekdays: \_\_\_\_\_ weekends: \_\_\_\_\_

If the animal(s) are let outdoors, do you have a secure fenced yard

- no     yes (if so, how high is the fence?)

Are there children in your household?

- no     yes (if so, how old are they?) \_\_\_\_\_

Is anyone in your household allergic to animals?

- no     yes (if so, what type(s)?) \_\_\_\_\_

Where would a fostered animal be kept?

- indoors     outdoors     both

How long would you be able to foster an animal?

- up to a week     up to 4 weeks     more than 4 weeks

Are there any smokers at your place of residence?     yes     no

If yes, do they smoke indoors?     yes     no

Would you be willing to give medication/medical treatment to an animal that you foster?

- yes     no

Why do you want to foster an animal? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

What are some possible reasons you might have to return a fostered animal? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Animal Transportation:**

Transport dogs from Casa de Amigos boarding (daily between 11:30-12:00) to AFRP Adoption Center in Pacific Grove and/or back (daily at 3:30). Other transportation also needed to veterinarian, adoption events, grooming facilities or wherever necessary. Current driver's license and valid auto insurance required.

**Adoption Counselor:**

Facilitate adoptions for cats and/or dogs at AFRP's Adoption Center in Pacific Grove (open everyday 12-5), PetSmart in Sand City, Pet Food Express at the Carmel Crossroads, Petco at the Del Monte Center or at offsite adoption events.



- Cat Care** (1 shift per week ideal, 2 shifts per month min.)  
Assist in caring for kitties at our adoption center in Pacific Grove or at one of our adoption sites in Pacific Grove or Santa Cruz. Duties include providing food and water to cats in the late afternoon as well as scooping litter boxes and washing dishes. Everything to keep our cats happy and healthy. The best time to do this at the Pacific Grove Adoption Center is between 4pm - 6pm. Reliability is a must for this position.
- Vet Clinic Helper** (position requires a commitment of one shift per week)  
Assist with animal care, feeding, cleaning cages, walking dogs. Assist with prepping surgical packs, learning vet tech skills to assist with patient care. Administrative and laundry help.
- Office Work**  
Help AFRP staff with preparing adoption packets, filing and data entry. Must be available weekdays between 9am and 5pm.
- Offsite Adoption Events** (1 shift per month)  
Help with AFRP adoptions at different locations throughout our community. Help preparing supplies, picking up dogs to attend, dog handling and help at the AFRP booth.
- Adoption Center Helper**  
Help AFRP staff with cleaning, organizing donations, sorting laundry, running errands and handyman duties.
- Special Events Fundraiser Help**  
Help with event planning and preparation, donation solicitation and day of events.
- Laundry**  
Help keep AFRP kitties happy by washing cat and dog beds. Take laundry home or to a laundromat. AFRP will provide the quarters and detergent if necessary. Laundry can be done any day, any time.
- Follow Up Counselor**  
Calls to find out how AFRP dogs and cats are doing in their new homes. Calls can be done from home or at the AFRP office.
- Feral Cat Helper**  
Be part of our feral cat trap-neuter-release (TNR) team. Help educate the public about the benefits of TNR for feral cats. Assist in trapping, altering, and releasing feral cats where they will be cared for.
- Benefit Shop Volunteer** (2 shifts per month)  
Work at our benefit shop located on 160 Fountain Avenue in Pacific Grove sorting, organizing, pricing and selling. The shop is open Mon 10am - 6pm, Tues through Sat 10 am - 4:30pm and Sun 11am - 4:30pm.
- Community Outreach**  
Literature distribution and/or donation box supervision and collection.

**Do you have any special skills or professional experience that might be helpful to AFRP?**

- Fundraising
- PR/Marketing
- Grant Writing or Research
- Web/Graphic Design

**Please describe your special skills and let us know anything else that might be helpful:**

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I confirm that all information supplied on this application is true and correct, and acknowledge that my services will be performed at my own risk. I also acknowledge that Animal Friends Rescue Project retains the right to terminate my volunteer involvement at any future date, should it be deemed necessary.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

***\*Please fill out the release form on the following page.***



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## Volunteer Release Form

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby agree to accept a volunteer position for Animal Friends Rescue Project (herein after referred to as "Animal Friends"), and in so doing, I agree to comply with all of the rules and regulations which may be established by Animal Friends, and I understand that failure to do so may result in my immediate termination as a volunteer. I further acknowledge that all services are performed at my own risk.

On behalf of myself, my heirs, personal representatives and executors, I hereby release, discharge, indemnify and hold harmless Animal Friends, its board of directors, officers, staff and all other persons and organizations in any way connected with Animal Friends from any and all claims, causes of action, or demands, of any nature or cause, including costs and attorney's fees incurred by Animal Friends in connection with the same, based on damages or injuries which may be incurred or sustained by me in any way connected with my services for Animal Friends, including but not limited to animal bites, accidents, or injuries.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer \_\_\_\_\_

## Photo Release Form

I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand that public relations is an important part of volunteering at Animal Friends. On behalf of myself, my heirs, personal representatives, and executors, I allow Animal Friends to use any photographs taken of me for use in public relations efforts.

Also, all photographs that I submit to AFRP will remain the property of the photographer. AFRP will have the rights to use these photographs for marketing materials or in any other ways that AFRP sees fit.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer \_\_\_\_\_