



OUR MISSION
With respect and compassion for all animal life, MEOW promotes lifelong relationships between people and companion animals, providing shelter and care for each precious life until adopted into a forever home.

Volunteer Application (minimum age 18)

Name: _____ Date: _____

Phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Do you have a valid WA State Drivers License? Yes No If yes, Lic. Number: _____

E-mail _____ Date of Birth: _____

Place of Employment: _____ Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: Name: _____ Phone: _____

Please list any allergies or physical, medical (including pregnancy), psychological limitations or disabilities that might hinder you from safely participating in any area of the program _____

How often would you like to volunteer? Once/week _____ Twice/week _____ Every other week _____

What days of the week are you available?

Mon Tues Wed Thurs Fri Sat Sun am or pm? _____

Please list any formal education, training, and/or experience in pet care or animal welfare _____

Check interests: Adoption Counselor Kennel Attendant Other: _____

As a volunteer at the shelter some of the following tasks **will** be a part of your regular routine:

Cleaning cages ,sweeping and mopping floors, handling cats, disinfecting carriers, cleaning dishes and litter pans, laundry

Are there any tasks listed that you would not be able to perform? Yes No

If yes, please explain: _____

Are you volunteering through some other agency (school, court, community center, etc)? If yes, please indicate agency name, name of contact person, and number of hours you are required to volunteer.

Have you been convicted of a felony, or a misdemeanor of animal abuse within the last seven (7) years?

Yes No If yes, please explain. _____

MEOW is a nonprofit, no kill cat shelter, requiring adoptive homes to agree to our no declaw and indoor only policies.

Do you have any questions about these requirements? Yes No

Have you had a tetanus shot or booster in the last five (5) years? Yes No

Since you may be handling animals, it is important to discuss being vaccinated against tetanus with your physician.



VOLUNTEER RELEASE

I, _____, hereby agree to accept a position as a volunteer worker for MEOW Cat Rescue and Adoption, and in so doing, I agree to comply with all of the rules and regulations established by MEOW Cat Rescue and Adoption, and I understand that failure to do so may result in my immediate termination as a volunteer. As a volunteer, I agree to do my best to represent the MEOW Cat Rescue and Adoption to the public in an accurate and professional manner and I will support and advocate all of Meow's policies. I acknowledge that as a volunteer I have not been given the authority to speak on behalf of MEOW, and will not, unless I have been given that authority by an authorized representative of MEOW.

I acknowledge that my services are provided strictly on a volunteer basis, without any pay or compensation of any kind.

I assume the risks of being bitten, scratched injured or frightened by cats or kittens in connection with my volunteer work for MEOW. MEOW is not liable to me for any injuries, damages, liabilities, losses, judgments, costs, or expenses whatsoever that I might suffer or sustain in connection with the performance of my volunteer duties with MEOW. I will indemnify and hold MEOW harmless from any claims, lawsuits, injuries, damages, losses, costs, or expense whatsoever sustained by any animal or person in connection with my misconduct or grossly negligent performance of volunteer activities for MEOW or any breach of Meow's rules, regulations, policies or programs.

I understand that public relations are an important part of volunteering and I hereby allow MEOW Cat Rescue and Adoption to use any photograph taken of me in public relations efforts.

I have accurately and truthfully completed this volunteer application.

Signature Date

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Interview Date: _____ Orientation /Start Date: _____

Entered into Volunteer Database? Date: _____ Mailmaster ? Date _____

Comments: _____

