

Hall County Animal Shelter

Volunteer Application

The Hall County Animal Shelter offers the public many opportunities to be a volunteer and work one-on-one with the many dogs and cats that call the Shelter home. Volunteering at the Hall County Animal Shelter is one of the most rewarding opportunities for someone who enjoys interacting with animals and wishes to make an impact on the community. Please fill out the Volunteer Application form to help our shelter find the most satisfying and appropriate placement for you. After you have completed the form please read and sign the Volunteer Service Agreement.

Name: _____

First Middle Initial Last

Address: _____

Street/ P.O. Box City State Zip

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Work: _____

Date of Birth: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

*** A parent or guardian must accompany individuals under the age of 18 at all times**

Gender (Please Circle): Male or Female

Emergency Contact Information

Name Relationship Phone #

Are you interested in participating in volunteer meetings? (Please Circle) Yes or No

Why do you want to volunteer with the Hall County Animal Shelter?

Please check the areas that interest you:

Animal Bio Writer

Animal Photographer/Videographer

Dog Grooming

Dog Walking

Events

Foster

Kennel Care

Socialize/Enrichment

Photoshop/Social Media

Other skillset: _____

Volunteer Service Agreement

I _____ will perform such volunteer work in a proper and business- like manner.

I will assume liability for any bodily or personal injury received as a result of performing this service.

I will not institute any proceedings against the Hall County Animal Shelter, its insurance or any party associated with the Hall County Animal Shelter in law or equity in any Federal Court, State Court, Administrative Courts or Workers Compensation Board because of injury arising out of this service or because of injury obtained while going to or from any location where such service is to be performed.

I release my image to be used in any type of promotional material used by Hall County Animal Shelter.

I will not be considered an employee of the Hall County Animal Shelter while performing such service and understand that I am not to be paid any compensation for the service I shall perform.

Volunteers are responsible for ensuring the internet is used in an effective, ethical, and lawful manner. As a volunteer you will not transmit any content that is offensive, harassing, fraudulent, or pornographic.

Hall County Animal Shelter reserves the right to determine which comments are acceptable.

As a volunteer you will serve the Hall County Animal Shelter faithfully and refrain from knowingly or willfully acting to harm the shelter or employees.

As a volunteer, you are responsible for insuring that your conduct comports with the requirements established by the Hall County Animal Shelter.

I realize that my position as a volunteer could be terminated for the following reasons: Misconduct on the job, inhumane or mistreatment of animals, falsification of any shelter records, stealing, dishonesty, unreliability with schedule shifts, or breaking any of the guidelines set by the Hall County Animal Shelter. I understand and have read the conditions agreed to by the Hall County Animal Shelter.

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Volunteer/Parent or Guardian of Child unde...

Date:

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VOLUNTEER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Attachment A

I have read, understand and agree to the volunteer guidelines set forth in the Hall County Volunteer Manual.

I fully understand and agree that I am providing my services in a volunteer capacity without any expressed or implied promise of salary or employment benefits.

I agree to perform my volunteer duties to the best of my ability and to adhere to guidelines detailed in the Volunteer Manual.

I further understand that my volunteer involvement may be terminated for reasons including but not limited to those outlined in the Volunteer Manual.

I recognize that working with animals places me at physical risk and I agree to assume that risk.

I realize that although Hall County Animal Shelter has taken all reasonable measures to protect me, accidents and injuries may still occur.

Thereby, I hereby completely release and entirely discharge Hall County Animal Shelter from any and all claims and causes of action of negligence or gross negligence that I or another might have or bring relating to or arising from any injury or damage that I should sustain while assisting Hall County Animal Control or in connection with my volunteer work for Hall County Animal Control.

Further, in accordance with Georgia Law, I certify that I have never been convicted of animal cruelty, neglect or abandonment in Georgia or any other state. By signing below I agree for the Hall County Animal Shelter to do a Criminal Background Check solely for the purpose of Animal Related Charges.

Volunteer Name (printed) _____

Volunteer Signature _____ Date _____

Adoption Specialist _____ Date _____

A copy of this form will be returned to the volunteer to be kept with their Volunteer Manual. The original form will be maintained by Hall County Animal Shelter.