



Thank you for considering to volunteer with Hoof Woof and Meow Animal Rescue. We are a non-profit, 501(c)3, corporation which operates a no kill shelter and foster care program for stray, abused, abandoned, neglected, and surrendered dogs and puppies. Volunteers with a variety of skills are needed to save these animals and find them a forever home. Your help is GREATLY appreciated. Please take the time to fill out this application. This information will help us find the volunteer work that you would enjoy most and to keep you posted on new projects. After filling out the form, please check out schedule for upcoming volunteer orientations. If you have other special skills, someone from our team will reach out to you when we can utilize your talents. You can help our organization save the lives of these helpless creatures.

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with Hoof Woof and Meow Animal Rescue! We look forward to having you!!

### **Under 18 Policy**

Hoof Woof and Meow Animal Rescue strives to ensure the safety of every volunteer. If you are under the age of 18 there are a few simple guidelines that must be adhered to in regards to ranch policies.

- No minor under the age of 16 can volunteer without a parent present at all times NO EXCEPTIONS.
- If you are under the age of 16, you are prohibited from walking the dogs without your parent or guardian's assistance.
- All minor volunteers must have a signed waiver on file. This must be signed by the parent/guardian AT THE RESCUE, not brought with you the day of volunteering or brought home to sign after volunteering.
- 16 & 17 year old volunteers are permitted to handle dogs in accordance with the rescue collar color policy, which must be followed at all times—NO EXCEPTIONS.

All minor volunteers MUST attend orientation prior to volunteering and adhere to rescue guidelines at all times. Guidelines will be reviewed in detail during orientation.

Anyone of any age can be prohibited from volunteering if they do not exhibit safe practices and maturity while on premises.

Thank you for helping us make this a safe and rewarding experience for everyone!

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you volunteering to fulfill community service? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you 18 or older? \_\_\_\_\_

If not, please indicate your age? \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date? \_\_\_\_\_

• What kind of volunteering are you interested in doing?

- Transporting Animals
- Clerical
- Telephone Calls
- Dog Walking, Feeding & Care
- Coordinating Events
- Fostering Animals in your Home
- Fundraising
- Assisting at Events
- Veterinary Assistance
- Newsletter Writing
- Greeter
- Other

• Other (please explain) \_\_\_\_\_  
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Do you have any experience or training in any of the following related areas?

- Dog Training
- Animal Rescue
- Grooming
- Kennel Assistant
- Fundraising
- Whelping
- Writing
- Websites
- Veterinary Assistance
- Marketing
- Online Marketing

Other, Please provide specifics for any areas you checked: \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you have a specific time available to volunteer or are you flexible? \_\_\_\_\_

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What do you do for a living / what specific talents do you possess that you think would be a benefit to the shelter? \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you ever volunteered at another shelter or animal related facility and/or do you hold any animal organization memberships? If so, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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Any other information that you think we should know to get to know you better: \_\_\_\_\_

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What information would you like to know to get to know HWMAR better: \_\_\_\_\_

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List 3 references (only 1 relative please). \_\_\_\_\_  
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Do you currently own a Dog? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you currently own a cat? \_\_\_\_\_