



Central Arizona Animal Rescue  
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## VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

### MISSION STATEMENT

The Central Arizona Animal Rescue (CAAR) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to the general welfare, sheltering and placement of animals; prevention of cruelty to animals and overpopulation; education concerning humane treatment of animals; and involvement in other animal welfare issues.

### WHY VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED

Volunteer time and talents are an asset to CAAR. There are many ways in which you can make a difference for the welfare of animals. You may wish to work directly with the animals at our shelter, or you may get involved with other important aspects of our agency's operations.

### VOLUNTEERS WORK IN THE AREAS OF:

- Administration
- Adoption
- Animal Training
- Customer Service
- Education
- Foster Care
- Offsite Adoptions
- Spay & Neuter Clinic
- Special Events
- Vaccination Clinics

### BECOMING A VOLUNTEER

Sign up to become a CAAR volunteer. It's simple! The minimum requirements to become a CAAR volunteer are that you must:

- Be fifteen years of age
- Care about the welfare of animals
- Be able to make at least a six-month commitment

So that you will feel comfortable in your new role as a CAAR volunteer, the first thing we will do is provide you with a very informative orientation meeting. There may be additional training(s) required for certain volunteer positions. Upon the approval of your application, we will contact you to schedule your initial orientation. Orientations are scheduled in the order in which the applications are received. During this time you will receive a brief overview of our cause, our philosophy, activities and volunteer opportunities. If you agree with the above, we encourage you to complete this application.

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Zip

CONTACT INFO:

Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_\_

AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

(Volunteers must be 15 years of age or older; under 18 must have approval of parent or guardian)

OCCUPATION: \_\_\_\_\_

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CONTACT: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Because of the time involved in training, the CAAR asks for a six-month commitment from volunteers.

Are you willing to make such a commitment? (Circle one) Yes No

Are you a part-time Resident (i.e. college student, seasonal resident)? Please circle the months you would be able to volunteer

Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Dec

**TIME AVAILABILITY**

Please indicate the days/times when you would be available:

Monday \_\_\_\_\_

Tuesday \_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday \_\_\_\_\_

Thursday \_\_\_\_\_

Friday \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about our volunteer program?

Have you ever adopted an animal from the CAAR? (Circle one) Yes No

**PLEASE CIRCLE YOUR AREAS OF INTEREST BELOW**

*Hands-on animal care positions and certain other positions may require additional training and certification by CAAR.*

Cat Care	Dog Care	Foster Care	Offsite Adoption Assistant
Spay & Neuter Clinic Assistant		Vaccination Clinic Assistant	Adoption Assistant
Pet Food & Donation Pickup	Education Volunteer	Administration Assistant	
Marketing	Grant applications	Event coordinator	Groomer/Bather

Please answer the following questions as completely and honestly as possible. Your answers are important to us; an incomplete application may disqualify you from eligibility to volunteer for CAAR.

What special skills or experience do you have that may be helpful to the Humane Society of Southern Arizona? (i.e., Bilingual, Dog Groomer, CPR certificate, computer experience, etc.

How do you feel about Spaying and Neutering?

CAAR staff may euthanize some animals due to aggression, health issues or lack of space. How do you feel about this?

Other than the fact that you love animals, why do you want to volunteer with CAAR?

Do you have any physical or medical limitation that would limit the type of volunteer activities you can do, i.e., pregnancy, back problems, etc.? (Circle one) Yes No (If YES, please explain below):

Are you volunteering to fulfill Court-Ordered Community Service? (Circle one) Yes No

For what reason? \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hours required \_\_\_\_\_ Date Assigned \_\_\_\_\_

CAAR requires volunteers to attend Compassion Fatigue Sessions on a regular basis. Do you agree to attend. (Circle one) Yes No

**LIABILITY WAIVER**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby agree to Indemnify and hold harmless Central Arizona Animal Rescue, its employees, agents and Board of Directors, from any and all liability arising out of or in consequence of, or injury sustained as a result of, any activity connected with myself or my child(ren) volunteering for Central Arizona Animal Rescue.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

If a Minor, Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian:

\_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

(PLEASE DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE)

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FOR CAAR USE

Date Application Received \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Orientation \_\_\_\_\_

Notes \_\_\_\_\_

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