John R. Carhart

Dog Warden

Brian D. Biggerstaff Deputy Dog Warden Humane Officer Animal Control Officer

Brook M. Brown
Deputy Dog Warden



## **VOLUNTEER APPLICATION**

Jate:
Name:
Address:
Phone:
Email:
Age:
How many animals are currently in your care?
Please list the license numbers, if applicable, and dates of rabies and other vaccinations/boosters:
Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? Yes No
f yes, please describe the nature of the offense (note: a conviction does not necessarily bar a person from volunteering):

Please list 3 non-related references (include name, address and phone number)		
Emergency Contact: (include name, address and phone number)		
Desired area of volunteering:		
Additional information you wish to share:		
Upon submission of this completed application, you will be contacted by the volunteer coordinator or another member of the shelter staff or volunteer group to schedule volunteer training. At the time of your appointment, you will be given the volunteer guidelines for review as noted in the agreement below.		
Volunteer Agreement		
I, , have read, understand, and agree to the volunteer guidelines set forth in the Knox County Animal Control and Shelter Manual. I fully understand that I am providing my services in a volunteer capacity without an 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 the guidelines detailed in the volunteer manual. I further understand that my volunteer involvement may 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 Knox County Animal Control and Shelter has taken all reasonable measures to protect me, accidents and injuries still occur. Therefore, I hereby completely release and entirely discharge Knox County Animal Control and Shelter and its employees and volunteers from any and all claims and causes of action of negligence or gross negligence that I or another might have or being related to or arising from any injury or damage that I should sustain while assisting Knox County Animal Control and Shelter or in connections with my volunteer work for Knox County Animal Control and Shelter.		
Further, I certify that I have never been convicted or committed animal cruelty, neglect, abandonment, or any violent crimes against animals or persons in Ohio or any other state or country.		
Signature or Digital Signature	Date	

Date

Witness Signature or Digital Signature