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VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Working with dogs, cats and other animals

Name
Address
City/Town/State/Zip ode
Phone#'s
Email:
Hours/Days/Nights Available
Areas of Interest

Volunteer Information for Massachusetts Humane Society, Inc.

I understand and agree to the following:

- 1. I agree that as a Volunteer I am donating my services to the organization without contemplation of compensation or future employment.
- 2. I understand that the behavior of animals is sometimes unpredictable and that some animals (cats/dogs/others) are capable of inflicting serious personal injury, diseases or death, as well as extensive property damage. Knowing the risks of handling animals, I agree to assume those risks/liabilities and to release, indemnify and hold harmless the Massachusetts Humane Society, Inc., and/or their Officers, Board of Directors, Volunteers, Volunteer Board Members, Employees, K-9 Dog Trainers, Agents and Contractors for any and all personal injury and property damages resulting from my Volunteer work.

Without limiting the generality of the foregoing. I expressly <u>WAIVE MY RIGHTS and or HOLD HARMLESS</u> to proceed **AGAINST** the Massachusetts Humane Society, Inc., its Officers, Board of Directors, Volunteers, Volunteer Board Members, Employees, K-9 Dog Trainers, Agents and Contractors under <u>MGL 140 sec 155</u>, <u>Liability for Damage Caused by a DOG via and or CATS OR OTHER ANIMALS</u>.

Volunteer Signature	Date
Parent or Guardian Signature	Date

You must be <u>18 years of age or older</u> to work as a Cat Care Giver. You must be <u>20 years of age or older</u> to work as a Dog Care Giver.

Upon leaving/resigning from MHS as a Volunteer, YOU MUST TURN IN the set of MHS SHELTER KEYS to a Board of Director / Officer. Thank You ..