



# ANIMAL ADOPTION CENTER

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## VOLUNTEERS: GETTING TO KNOW YOU

VOLUNTEER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Place an "X" where you feel you fit on the spectrum between the two options. There are no right answers – we're just trying to get a sense of your personality to help determine if our volunteer program is right for you. Thanks!

1. I prefer to spend my time with:

_____	_____
<i>Animals</i>	<i>People</i>

2. I believe shelter animals deserve:

_____	_____
<i>Pity</i>	<i>Efforts to find them a home</i>

3. If I saw someone surrender an animal to the shelter, I would feel:

_____	_____
<i>Frustrated/Sad/Angry</i>	<i>Inspired to find a new home for the animal</i>

4. When handling an animal at a shelter I would:

_____	_____
<i>Do what I personally feel is best for the animal</i>	<i>Follow the rules of the shelter</i>

5. When volunteering at a shelter my main commitment is to:

_____	_____
<i>The animals, or an individual animal</i>	<i>The mission of the shelter</i>

6. I would rate my experience level dealing with cats and/or dogs as:

_____	_____
<i>Novice</i>	<i>Expert</i>

7. If I was doing a task and another volunteer or staff member told me I was doing it incorrectly I would feel:

_____	_____
<i>Grateful</i>	<i>Frustrated</i>

8. I believe the main job of the Animal Adoption Center is to:

_____	_____
<i>Find homes for animals</i>	<i>Care for animals with no place left to go</i>

9. I believe that "no kill" means:

_____	_____
<i>Never euthanize any animal</i>	<i>Only euthanize animals that are gravely ill or dangerous</i>

10. When it comes to caring for an animal I feel:

_____	_____
<i>I know the best way to care for animals</i>	<i>I understand people may care for animals differently</i>

11. I am committed to dedicating the following amount of time every week to volunteering:

_____	_____
<i>0%</i>	<i>100%</i>

Please provide a brief explanation in answer for the questions below.

12. **Why have you chosen to volunteer your time at an animal shelter?**

13. **Do you have past experience volunteering at an animal shelter? If so, which shelter? How would you describe your experience there?**

**COMMENTS:**

**Thank you!**