

**WIREGRASS HUMANE SOCIETY  
ADULT VOLUNTEER PROCEDURES AND LIABILITY RELEASE FORM**

1. Please be aware that you are on camera.
2. No weapons are allowed on the Wiregrass Humane Society premises.
3. You cannot escort visitors to see the animals.
4. **Please do not put your fingers or hands in the dog kennels** or you will be asked to leave. This is for your safety as well as the animals. They may not have had their rabies shot yet.
5. Do not go into occupied dog kennels for any reason. Only WHS Staff Members can remove a dog from their kennel.
6. Do not go on the dog yards with a dog present.
7. You must have a WHS Staff Member's permission and presence to walk any dog. There may be certain dogs that volunteers cannot walk.
8. Enter the cat rooms quietly and calmly. Do not allow any cats to slip out the door.
9. Do not try to force a shy cat out of hiding or remove their safe covering. Also do not force them to allow you to pet or hold them.
10. In the intake cat room, do not remove the cats from their cages. They may still require vaccinations including the rabies shot.
11. Any person acting inappropriately with or towards any animal will be asked to leave. This includes verbal teasing or taunting of an animal.
12. We will ask for verification of age of anyone who appears to be under 18 years of age.
13. This form needs to be renewed annually.

By signing the liability release below you acknowledge that you have read, understand, and agree to follow the rules above. You agree to follow any other verbal instructions given by WHS Staff Members deemed necessary for your safety and the safety of our animals. As a volunteer you realize that you do so at your own risk and release the Wiregrass Humane Society from any liability in regard to injury or otherwise.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**WIREFRASS HUMANE SOCIETY  
CHILD VOLUNTEER PROCEDURES AND LIABILITY RELEASE FORM**

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5. Do not go into occupied dog kennels for any reason. Only WHS Staff Members can remove a dog from their kennel.
6. Do not go on the dog yards with a dog present.
7. You must have a WHS Staff Member's permission and presence to walk any dog. There may be certain dogs that volunteers cannot walk.
8. Enter the cat rooms quietly and calmly. Do not allow any cats to slip out the door.
9. Do not try to force a shy cat out of hiding or remove their safe covering. Also do not force them to allow you to pet or hold them.
10. In the intake cat room, do not remove the cats from their cages. They may still require vaccinations including the rabies shot.
11. Any person acting inappropriately with or towards any animal will be asked to leave. This includes verbal teasing or taunting of an animal.
12. We will ask for verification of age of anyone who appears to be under 18 years of age.
13. **You must supervise your children at all times.** Cats may scratch or bite if scared. Some of our dogs may not like young children.
14. This form needs to be renewed annually.

By signing the liability release below you acknowledge that you have read, understand, and agree to follow the rules above. You agree to follow any other verbal instructions given by WHS Staff Members deemed necessary for your safety and the safety of our animals. As the parent or legal custodian of a child under the age of eighteen years you understand that he/she volunteers at their own risk. You release the Wiregrass Humane Society from any liability in regard to injury or otherwise. You understand that you must remain with this child the entire time they are present at the Wiregrass Humane Society. You will insure that the child will follow all the aforementioned procedures.

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_