



A Place To Call Home, Inc. Parrot Rescue and Adoption

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Volunteer Waiver, Release and Indemnification Agreement

This agreement is entered into with Ollie's Parrots Perch/A Place To Call Home, Inc. Parrot Rescue and Adoption (APTCH) jointly by the undersigned _____ (print your name), in order to permit the Volunteer to participate in the Volunteer program. This Agreement is for the benefit of APTCH and each of its officers, directors, agents, representatives and other volunteers (known individually as an "Indemnitee" and collectively as "Indemnitees").

Volunteers have been advised that the activity of working with the shelter animals is hazardous and involves contact with animals that are unpredictable. As such, APTCH cannot be held liable for injuries or accidents that may occur as a result of working with the animals. Volunteers understand that the following are some, but not all, of the risks associated with working with shelter animals:

Bites or scratches from the birds, Slips/trips/falls resulting from wet floors, Hitting heads on objects such as cages, perches, cabinets, etc., Other Injuries resulting from cages, perches, cabinets, etc., Water or cleaners sprayed in eyes, Zoonotic illnesses (human illness contracted from animals), Animal illness exposure to animals at home, Injuries related to lifting animals, food, cages or equipment, Injuries caused from grooming equipment, Exposure to cleaners, latex gloves, bleach, parasite control products, Exposure to or incidents relating to the public (outbursts, inappropriate contact), Exposure to or incidents relating to the volunteers (outbursts, inappropriate contact), Loss of personal property, Any type of damage to car while parked outside APTCH or at any APTCH event, Damage to clothing from animals, cages, chemicals, etc.

Volunteers are aware that injuries, loss of or damage to personal property, and death may occur as a result of Volunteer's participation at the shelter. Volunteers agree that APTCH and Indemnitees shall not be held responsible or liable for any personal injury or other injury, including death; damage, loss, or expense to Volunteer or his/her property, whether or not such injury, death, damage, loss, or expense is caused by negligence of APTCH, any Indemnitee, or a third party.

Volunteers and their heirs, executors, and administrators agree to hold harmless each Indemnitee against any and all manner of legal actions, such as suits, debts, claims, or liability of any kind incurred while the Volunteer participates at the shelter or at any APTCH event.

Volunteers fully, completely, and unconditionally waive and release each Indemnitee from all rights, liabilities, duties, claims, charges, demands, actions, damages, costs, attorney fees, or expenses of any kind that Volunteers may have now or in the future against APTCH or any Indemnitee relating to participation at the shelter.

Volunteers represent and warrant that he/she is physically and mentally fit to safely work with animals and the general public at the shelter. Should an accident or other medical emergency occur while participating at the shelter or while Volunteer is en route to or from APTCH events and APTCH staff members are unable to timely reach volunteers' Emergency Contact for medical authorizations, then Volunteer hereby gives consent for APTCH directors to authorize medical treatment.

Volunteer represents and warrants that Volunteer has current medical insurance coverage and agrees to be responsible for any and all billings and debts incurred with respect to medical treatment or services incurred due to participation at APTCH or at any APTCH events.

Volunteers represent and warrant that each of them fully understands and has the authority to enter into this agreement.

If any provision of this Agreement is found to be unenforceable in any way, it shall be enforced to the maximum extent possible and all other provisions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

Volunteer Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature (if volunteer is under 18)

Date

Day phone

Evening phone

Emergency Contact Name

Emergency Contact Number