

**SHELTER VOLUNTEER AGREEMENT AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE that I have voluntarily applied to  
assist the \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY ANIMAL RESPONSE TEAM ("CART") in the disaster situation  
described as follows: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**I AM AWARE THAT WORKING IN THE SAID DISASTER SITUATION MAY BE HAZARDOUS AND I AM  
VOLUNTARILY PARTICIPATING IN THIS ACTIVITY WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE OF THE NATURE OF  
THE DANGER INVOLVED AND HEREBY AGREE TO ACCEPT ANY AND ALL RISKS OF INJURY OR  
DEATH. I FURTHER AGREE TO ADHERE TO THE RULES OF OPERATION ESTABLISHED BY THE  
\_\_\_\_\_ CART.**

Please initial: \_\_\_\_\_

**AS LAWFUL CONSIDERATION** for being permitted by \_\_\_\_\_, *the activating agency*, to assist in the said disaster and receive, as it maybe, disaster relief training and instruction, free meals, transportation, lodging or other like considerations, I hereby agree that I, my heirs, distributees, guardians, legal representatives and /or assigns will not make a claim against, sue, attach negligence or other acts, howsoever caused, by any employee, agent or contractor of *the activating agency* or its affiliates, as a result of my assisting in the said disaster. In addition, I hereby release and discharge *activating agency* and its affiliate organizations from all actions, claims or demands that I, my heirs, distributes, guardians, legal representatives or assigns may have for injury or damage resulting from my assistance in the said disaster.

**I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM  
AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT BETWEEN MYSELF AND THE  
ACTIVATING AGENCY AND THAT I SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Volunteer's Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Witness' Signature**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**ACTIVATING AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Position**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

SIGN IN DUPLICATE: ONE COPY TO VOLUNTEER AND ONE COPY TO AGENCY