



Volunteer Release and Waiver of Liability

I, _____ (Volunteer), release They Rescue Us, Inc., a non-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Maryland and each of its directors, officers, employees and agents and assigns (TRU Rescue). Volunteer desires to provide volunteer services for TRU RESCUE and engage in activities related to serving as a volunteer. Volunteer understands that the scope of Volunteer's relationship with TRU RESCUE is limited to a volunteer position and that no compensation is expected in return for services provided by Volunteer; that TRU RESCUE will not provide any benefits to Volunteer; and that Volunteer is responsible for his/her own insurance coverage in the event of personal injury, illness, financial loss or property loss as a result of Volunteer's services to TRU RESCUE.

1. Volunteer releases and forever discharges and holds harmless TRU RESCUE from any and all liability, claims and demands of whatever kind or nature, either in law or equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from the services Volunteer provides to TRU RESCUE. Volunteer understands and acknowledges that this Release discharges TRU RESCUE from any liability or claim that Volunteer may have against TRU RESCUE with respect to bodily injury, personal injury, illness, financial loss, death or property damage that may result from any interaction Volunteer has with TRU Rescue.

2. Insurance: Volunteer understands that TRU RESCUE does not assume any responsibility for or obligation to provide Volunteer with financial or other assistance, including but not limited to medical, health or disability benefits or insurance of any nature in the event of Volunteer's injury, illness, death or damage to Volunteer's property. Volunteer expressly waives any claim for compensation or liability on the part of TRU RESCUE.

3. Medical Treatment: Volunteer hereby releases and forever discharges TRU Rescue from any claim whatsoever which arises or may hereafter arise on account of any first-aid treatment or other medical services rendered in connection with an emergency that occurs while Volunteer provides volunteer services.

4. Assumption of Risk: Volunteer understands that the service Volunteer provides to TRU RESCUE may include activities hazardous to Volunteer including, but not limited to, bites, scratches, slips, trips, falls, ringworm, parasites, zoonotic illness, lifting injuries, loss of personal property, death, and damage to apparel or personal property. Volunteer expressly assumes the risk of injury or harm from these activities and releases TRU RESCUE from all liability for injury, illness, death or property damage resulting from the services Volunteer provides or occurring while Volunteer provides volunteer services.

5. Volunteer agrees that Volunteer is providing assistance in pet rescue/adoption and with grooming, transporting, and fostering. Volunteer understands that TRU RESCUE is not responsible for any illness or injury caused by any animals that Volunteer comes into contact with during Volunteer's work. Volunteer agrees to hold harmless and release from liability TRU RESCUE should Volunteer become sick or injured from any animals as a result of Volunteer's volunteer work.

Volunteer expressly agrees that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Maryland and that this Release shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Maryland. Volunteer agrees that in the event any clause or provision of this Release is deemed invalid, the enforceability of the remaining provisions of the Release shall not be affected.

By signing below, Volunteer expresses his or her understanding and intent to enter into this Release and Waiver of Liability willingly and voluntarily.

Volunteer Signature

Date

TRU Rescue Signature

Date