

# Volunteering with Animals

## **Foothills Animal Shelter**

303-278-7575; 580 McIntyre St., Golden, CO 80401

[www.foothillsanimalshelter.org](http://www.foothillsanimalshelter.org)

- Requirements: Must be 18 years of age, willing to make a 6 month commitment with a minimum of 8 hours required per month
- Get Started: fill out an application, do a phone interview, go through a new volunteer orientation and go through specialized trainings.
- Notes: Court ordered volunteering contact volunteer manager at 720-407-5237
- For general questions about volunteering contact Kristen Galles at 720-5216 or at [Kgalles@fas4pets.org](mailto:Kgalles@fas4pets.org)
  - High need for foster families

## **Angels with Paws**

303-274-2264; 2540 Youngfield ST., Lakewood, CO 80215

[www.angelswithpaws.net](http://www.angelswithpaws.net)

- Call for information; High need for foster families

## **The Dumb Friends League**

303-751-5772 Ext. 7311; 2080 S. Quebec St., Denver, CO 80231

[www.ddfl.org](http://www.ddfl.org)

- Requirements: To volunteer, you must be at least sixteen years old (some positions require individuals to be at least 18 years of age) and willing to make a six-month commitment of approximately three hours per week
- Get Started: Complete the application, attend orientation, interview, and attend training classes.
- Notes: Court ordered volunteering available with stipulations and depending on charges

## **Max Fund**

Dog Shelter: 303-595-4917; 1005 Galapago St., Denver 80204

Cat Shelter: 720-266-6081; 720 W. 10<sup>th</sup> Ave., Denver 80204

- Requirements: Volunteers need to be at least 18 years of age. Need to be willing to make a 6 month commitment of 4 hours a month.
- Get Started: Complete application, interview, sign up for orientation, and hands on training
- Notes: Court ordered volunteering contact the volunteer coordinator at 303-595-4917

## **Denver Animal Shelter**

720-913-1311; 1241 W. Bayaud Ave., Denver, CO 80223

<https://www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/denver-animal-shelter.html>

- Requirements: Must be 16 or older, (13-15 acceptable with accompanying adult)
- Get Started: Complete application, attend orientation session, complete interview, and complete training
- Six month commitment of eight hours per month



- Notes: Multiple volunteer opportunities. Orientations held twice a month at the shelter

### **The Denver Zoo**

720-337-1619; 2300 Steele St., Denver, CO 80205

[www.denverzoo.org](http://www.denverzoo.org)

- Requirements: Must be 18 or older, willing to give 50 hours of service per year. Must be able to pay for a zoo membership (scholarships available), \$45 application fee
- Get Started: New Volunteer applications for spring recruitment will be open on August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017. Complete screening survey, background check; attend 2-day training and orientation session
- Notes: Zoo Crew volunteer program for ages 13-18, summer program. \$150 tuition fee (scholarships available upon request), must commit to 75 hours of service per summer.
- For questions call Kelly Bockert at 720-337-1546

### **Animal Rescue of the Rockies**

970-389-8324; [www.animalrescueoftherockies.org](http://www.animalrescueoftherockies.org)

- Get Started: Complete Volunteer Interest Survey and Waiver
- Notes: Call for more information

### **Urban Wildlife Rescue Inc.**

303-340-4911; Denver, CO 80220

[www.urbanwildliferescue.org](http://www.urbanwildliferescue.org)

- Requirements: Must volunteer for at least 2 bingo sessions a month
- Get Started: Call number above
- Notes: This organization saves 10-12 thousand lives a year using “human solutions” to wildlife problems in urban areas. Rehabilitating medium sized animals and using various repellants, exclusion, and eviction techniques. All of the volunteers who commit on a regular basis will receive a free membership to Urban Wildlife Rescue

### **Rocky Mountain Riding Therapy**

303-494-1299; Louisville, CO

<http://www.rmridingtherapy.org/>

### **Zuma’s Rescue Ranch**

303-346-7493; Littleton, CO

<http://www.zumasrescueranch.com/>

### **Praying Hands Ranch**

303-841-4043; Parker, CO

<http://www.prayinghandsranch.org/>

