

## AFV VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

So you would like to help but aren't sure "how"? We have many volunteer opportunities available, some working directly with our animals, others working with the public during fundraisers and/or off site events. Your time and talents are invaluable to the work we do, and any way you would like to help us would be greatly appreciated!

Foster Care – Our most important and valuable position: foster families are desperately needed to provide safe, loving homes to newly rescued animals. Big hearts and patience are required; you will receive much love in return!

Special Events Committee – Volunteer with other AFV members at local dog events throughout the year; may require time in the booth discussing adoptable animals, selling items, handing out information, setup & breakdown

Fundraising Committee Member – AFV needs several creative, energetic people to assist and implement fundraising ideas throughout the year

Silent Auction Committee – Contact area businesses to donate goods/services for our Silent Auction fundraiser, and pick up donations prior to event

Calendar Marketing & Distribution – Enlist area businesses to sell AFV calendars to customers; deliver calendars to businesses; assist in mailing of calendar orders

Newsletter Contributor - Write and/or submit educational articles, stories, cartoons, references to Newsletter Coordinator for our quarterly News publication. Help with mailings

Graphic Design – Create flyers, posters, logos, brochures and photography

Grant Writing – Research and write grant proposals

Data Entry – Enter new adoption info to database, keep contact and mailing lists current. Help out in the administration office with printing and mailings.

Be an AFV Legacy – A "bequest" in your will or living trust is an uncomplicated way to help support the animals we work so hard to protect. A bequest can be a specific sum, a percentage of your estate, or the remainder of your estate after expenses and gifts to loved ones. Living trusts are a popular choice because the terms of a living trust, unlike a will, can be put into effect immediately upon your death, bypassing probate and keeping the terms private.

Let your volunteer coordinator know if you would be interested in volunteering on one of our "Special Task Forces".