



Caring for Connecticut's Homeless Felines

P.O. Box 768, Branford, Connecticut 06405

(203) 483-6369

## Volunteer Application

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you hear about Branford Compassion Club (BCC)? \_\_\_\_\_

Please explain any previous experience you have working with animals:  
\_\_\_\_\_

If under 18, what is your age? \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteers must be at least 13. Anyone under 16 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian who will actively work with and supervise them; under 18 requires a parent or guardian sign a liability release form.

When are you available (specific days/hours)? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please indicate the areas below that match your interests and/or talents:**

**Direct Care:**    \_\_\_\_\_ Staffing BCC's Feline Rescue & Adoption Center (feeding/cleaning shifts)  
                          \_\_\_\_\_ Socializing cats                                    \_\_\_\_\_ Fostering cats or kittens in your home  
                          \_\_\_\_\_ Feeding feral colonies                                    \_\_\_\_\_ Trapping feral cats

**Fundraising/**    \_\_\_\_\_ Organizing or assisting with fundraising events

**Development:**    \_\_\_\_\_ Grant research/writing                                    \_\_\_\_\_ Soliciting donations

**Public Relations:**    \_\_\_\_\_ Media communications                                    \_\_\_\_\_ Newsletter production

**Computer Skills:**    \_\_\_\_\_ Microsoft Word                                    \_\_\_\_\_ Microsoft Excel                                    \_\_\_\_\_ Quicken/Quick Books  
                          \_\_\_\_\_ Graphic Design                                    \_\_\_\_\_ Website design/maintenance

**Handyman/** (i.e., carpentry, electrical, painting, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

**Maintenance:**

**Other:**                \_\_\_\_\_ Baking/Cooking                                    \_\_\_\_\_ Sewing                                    \_\_\_\_\_ Crafting

Any area not listed where you feel you could contribute \_\_\_\_\_

All volunteers are accepted on probationary status with the understanding that they may be dismissed at any time for non-compliance with our policies and procedures. We also reserve the right to refuse acceptance of any applicant for any reason we deem relevant.

\*Signature of Applicant (or parent/guardian): \_\_\_\_\_

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Date Contacted \_\_\_\_\_ BCC rep. \_\_\_\_\_ Contact notes: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Release from Liability

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_  
(print name) (city/state)

hereby agree to release Branford Compassion Club, Inc. (BCC) from any claims whatsoever for injuries, losses and/or damages I may sustain during activities conducted on behalf of, with, or sponsored by BCC, and to hold Branford Compassion Club, Inc. harmless during the course of any volunteer work with the organization.

I agree to work solely within the scope of my volunteer assignments, and I understand that acting beyond the scope of my volunteer assignments may be grounds for dismissal as a volunteer for the organization.

I understand that working with animals may put me at risk for exposure to viruses such as rabies. I understand that more information about rabies, tetanus and vaccines for these diseases is available at [www.ct.gov/dph](http://www.ct.gov/dph).

I understand that having a tetanus vaccine is highly recommended prior to starting direct cat care at the BCC Feline Rescue & Adoption Center.

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent or Guardian (if under 18): \_\_\_\_\_

BCC Representative: \_\_\_\_\_