



The City of Oakdale is looking for a community member who currently volunteers at the Oakdale Animal Shelter who would be interested in serving on an Ad Hoc subcommittee for Oakdale Animal Services. The subcommittee's objective will focus on how to improve service levels and what long-term strategic goals stakeholders would like to see implemented in the future. The group will be made up of representatives from our local animal support groups and neighboring partners in Riverbank and Escalon.

The subcommittee will be made up of two Oakdale City Council members, one representative from the ASTRO Foundation, one representative from the OSPA volunteer group, one representative from the Oakdale Animal Shelter volunteer group, and one member from each of the communities of Riverbank, and Escalon. In order to be considered for this position, you must meet the following criteria;

1. Live within the city limits of Oakdale.
2. Be at least 18 years of age.
3. Attend and collaborate at committee meetings.

Please complete and sign the Subcommittee volunteer application, and provide a short statement as to why you should be considered for the City of Oakdale subcommittee position. Please submit your statement along with the application, including signed Acknowledgment to:

City of Oakdale
Attn: City Manager's Office
280 N. Third Ave
Oakdale, CA 95361

**Applications Are Due by Thursday, August
17, 2023 by 5:00pm**



Subcommittee Volunteer Application

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND UNDERSTANDING

Criminal Background Check: In order to serve the best interest of the citizens of the City of Oakdale, a criminal background check may be conducted on all potential volunteers.

Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless

I understand that while volunteering for the City of Oakdale, I must comply with all requirements, rules, and regulations established by the City.

I applied to volunteer my services and time to the City as a volunteer employee and fully understand that my participation may involve risk of serious injury or death, including losses that may result not only from my own action, inaction, or negligence, but also from the actions, inactions, or negligence of others, the condition of the facilities, equipment, or areas where the event, activity, or work is being conducted. I understand that if I have any risk concerns, I should discuss the risks associated with my participation with the Community Volunteer Coordinator before I sign this document and before my volunteer assignment begins.

I certify that I am in good health and I have no physical condition that would prevent participation in this work assignment.

Knowing and understanding the risks involved with participation in City activities or work assignments, I hereby voluntarily and willingly assume responsibility for all risks and dangers associated with my participation in the assignment. I agree I am financially responsible for any losses resulting from my action and will indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the City of Oakdale, the City Manager, employees, volunteers, and agents of each of them for any loss or damage caused by myself/minor during this assignment.

In consideration of my participation in the volunteer assignment, I hereby waive all claims or causes of action against the City of Oakdale, the City Manager, directors, employees, volunteers, and agents of each of them, arising out of my participation in the assignment and hereby release, hold harmless, and discharge the City of Oakdale, the City Manager, employees, volunteers and agents of each of them from all liability in connection therewith.

I have read this release and hold harmless agreement and understand the terms used in it and their legal significance. This waiver and release is freely and voluntarily given with the understanding that the right to legal recourse against the City of Oakdale, the City Manager, employees, volunteers, and the agents of each of them is knowingly given up in return for allowing my participation in the assignment. My signature on this document is intended to bind not only myself but also my successors, heirs, and representatives.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____

I authorize the City of Oakdale to investigate all statements contained in this application and any supporting documents and I understand that a background check may be conducted.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____