

- If I will be rescuing or providing foster care or boarding for any of the Rescue's animals in my home or business, I consent to the rescue visiting my home or business from time to time to observe the animals and their living quarters.
- I have accurately and truthfully completed this Volunteer Application and Agreement.
- I give my permission to the Big Cypress German Shepherd Rescue to run a criminal background check.
- Any modification to this Agreement must be in writing signed by both parties. This agreement is binding upon the Rescue, me and the Rescue's and my respective heirs, successors, assigns, executors, and personal representatives.

**PERMISSION AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY FOR
HIGH SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS UNDER THE AGE OF 18**

In consideration of the Rescue offering this volunteer opportunity, I/we agree to the following, intending to be legally bound:

- My/our child(ren) or child(ren) under my/our guardianship has enough experience with dogs and puppies and is mature enough to volunteer with the Rescue and to participate with dogs/puppies of all sizes
- Whenever my/our child(ren) or child(ren) under my/our legal guardianship participate(s) in the Rescue, it's directors, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers and it's/their heirs, successors, assigns and personal representatives from and against liability for any injuries, damages, liabilities, losses, judgments, costs or expenses whatsoever (the "Losses"), which such child(ren) or any pet or other person might suffer or sustain, except any losses which are the result of the Rescue's gross negligence or intentional misconduct.

I acknowledge that there are risks that the child(ren) could be bitten, scratched, injured or frightened by the dogs and/or puppies and I/we assume such risks.

- I understand and agree that the Rescue may refuse volunteer applications for any reason.
- I have accurately and truthfully completed this Permission and Release Form.
- This Permission and Release Form is binding upon me, my spouse, partner, and my and his/her respective heirs, successors, assigns, executors, and personal representatives.

Date: _____ **Applicant:** _____

Signature: _____

If Under 18 Years of Age:
Parent or Guardian Name: _____

Emergency Contact Number: _____

Signature: _____

Emergency contact: Name _____ Phone: _____

Relationship: _____

Mail or scan and email this form to: Big Cypress German Shepherd Rescue

ATTN: Volunteer Coordinator

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or

adopt@savegermanshepherd.org

