

Desert Haven Animal Refuge

Sierra County's No-Kill, domestic animal sanctuary

& Rainbow Bridge Pet Cemetery
Williamsburg New Mexico 87942

Work Camper Application Form

(Please Print or type -

Name: Mr / Mrs/ Ms _____ Current phone (____) _____ Cell # _____

Current mailing address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Current physical address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Permanent (mailing) _____

E-mail address _____ Web site _____

Current Employment Status -for each individual if applying as a couple:

Retired (early retirement?) Semi-retired Other

Elaborate as needed: _____

Please list income producing activities if any - ie: flea markets, e-bay auctions, etc.. _____

____ Not employed (Please list previous employer / occupation). If you are neither retired nor employed, do you plan on looking for part-time employment in the surrounding communities while living at Desert Haven ? Elaborate as needed _____

Age range of adults

1. _____	21-35	36-45	46-55	56-65	66-75	over 75
2. _____	21-35	36-45	46-55	56-65	66-75	over 75

Have you been a work camper before? yes no (If yes, briefly describe place, time, duties etc. - use other sheet if needed _____

Please indicate any physical limitations which may affect your activities at Desert Haven, ie: recent surgery, chronic illness, etc. _____

- Indicate earliest date (s) that you can be available if there is a position available around that time:

Month /day / year _____

Except under special circumstances, agreed upon by all parties involved, we ask for a minimum of two months commitment. Most work campers spend from 4 through 6 months at Desert Haven at a time (seasonal). Some of our work campers are staying long-term (6 months and beyond).

How long would you prefer to commit for at this time? _____

Would you consider this commitment: one-time ____ seasonal? ____ or possibly long-term ? ____

Considering that some of our work camping positions often fill up several months to a year in advance, would you consider an opening for other dates in case our positions are filled for the months that you prefer ?

yes ____ no ____ elaborate as needed: _____

Weekend and holiday care of animal residents will be needed. Would you be available to share this task with other work campers as needed ?

What kind of hook-up do you need? 30 AMPS 50 AMPS, etc. _____

Do you have a (circle each applicable item)

gas / electric heater freezer wash-machine dryer other _____

Describe your camper / motor home (Length, pullouts, etc, will you have a vehicle in tow?)

How many are there in your party, including domestic animals? (type, breed and name)

After reviewing the DESERT HAVEN Information Sheet & List of Duties, please list any skills, talents, etc. that you feel may be of some help to us at this time ? Use the "additional comments" section if needed.

Do you prefer working by yourself or on a team? _____

or as the leader ? a helper ? _____

What do you consider your areas of strength _____

and your areas of weakness _____

Your hobbies? Special interests? _____

Do you prefer working indoors or outdoors? _____

Do you consider yourself a handy person? jack-of-all-trades? Do you enjoy manual labor? Please elaborate.

Do you enjoy: Paperwork? ____ Working with numbers? ____ Handling phone calls? _____

Are you a "People Person"? Or do you prefer working with animals? _____

Are you computer oriented? _____ Do you own a computer? _____

References: Please list the names, locations, relationship to you (friend, former employer, neighbor) telephone numbers and e-mail addresses of two people we may contact for additional information: (*Please no family members*).

1. _____

2. _____

3. In case of emergency, contact: Print name and relationship if any, address, phone number, e-mail address of a person to contact.

Additional comments you feel may be of some interest to us.

If you are a non-smoker, social drinker or non-drinker, please indicate here:

Signature of head of the household: _____ Date _____

Signature of spouse or significant other - if your duties will be shared- either partially or equally -with him or her:

_____ Date _____

Please enclose a small - recent digital photo of you and your rig for preview, when you return this application via e-mail to: **aubin29@zianet.com**.

Or you can send filled-out application with recent photo to:

The Sierra County Humane Society, Inc.
& Desert Haven Animal Refuge
ATTN: Eliana Aubin, President
POB 1352
Truth or Consequences, New Mexico 87901

We sincerely appreciate your interest in work camping at Desert Haven

Our work camper coordinator—Dolly Loftus— can be contacted at 575-740-0715

You can also reach us at: 575-894-2778. Freddie Loveless is Operations Mgr. at DHAR.