

Profile

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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Guilford County Animal Services Board: Submitted

County Commissioner District *

District 2

Interests & Experiences

Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

I am interested in continuing my service on the board because I feel I am the voice for the homeless and surrendered animals. I want to stay abreast of what is happening within the community to decrease the pet population and make sure they find their forever homes.

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Question applies to multiple boards

Briefly list your professional, educational and volunteer experiences that are most relevant to the mission and duties of this board:

* Shelter volunteer *shelter foster *volunteer mentor to train new dog walkers* Volunteer transporter for rescue animals from the shelter * president of 501c3 Friends of Guilford County Animal Shelter

Please list your experiences with animal services, animal control, and animal rescues; and discuss your ideas for improving the well-being of pets and the animal population, in general, within Guilford County.

I volunteer at the shelter by walking dogs, assisting with animal adoptions and providing enrichment for the dogs by stuffing Kongs. I regularly transport animals from the shelter to rescue groups in Virginia and North Carolina. As a volunteer at the shelter for five years, I spend approximately 10-15 hours a week there and have seen how irresponsible pet ownership is causing overpopulation in the county. Education is key to get people to understand the need for spay/neuter and heartworm prevention. Many of the dogs get overlooked at the shelter because they are heartworm positive, and treatment can be costly. I would like to see some way to get owners to better care for their dogs with heartworm prevention. Working with potential adopters, I have discovered that many don't even know what heartworms are and don't understand that it is a death sentence for a dog. There needs to be more publicity through the media. There also needs to be more available hours at the shelter for people to come and adopt. I currently serve as president of Friends of Guilford County Animal Shelter, a non-profit that provides much needed enrichment for the animals to help alleviate kennel stress. I am proudest to serve as a foster for puppies that need nurturing before being adopted from GCARC.

Demographics

Ethnicity

Caucasian/Non-Hispanic

Gender

Female

12/18/1960

Date of Birth