

APPROVED DOG WALKERS (AWO)

The Approved Dog Walker list is generated based on a few different requirements that include (but is not limited to):

1. Longevity as a Volunteer
2. Consistent Volunteer Attendance
2. Witnessed Skills in Dog Handling
3. Experience in handling both difficult canines and those with greater behavioral issues.
4. Specialized Skills
5. The Shelter's Need

This list is formulated by HSHA's management team with direct requests coordinated through the Behavior Team Leader who also oversees all communication with this group of Volunteers.

In addition, if your name does not appear on this list please refrain from walking any dogs with a kennel sign that reads "AWO".

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Please note that when a dog has the AWO card on their kennel plus the card that lists a variety of specific walking resources take notice to whether the "Other" option is marked. If it is, please review the backside of the card for specific behavior related notes. This information although important for those handling the canine, could possibly deter a potential adopter from meeting the dog. The backside of the card is the best way to relay important details without impacting the public's opinion/perception.

If you have interested in becoming an Approved Dog Walker for our special needs canines and behaviorally challenging dogs, consider the requirements above. Then, contact Megan Strausbaugh at megans@humanesocietyhbg.org so you can be considered when there is an opening or need for the skills you possess.

This list is up-to-date as of December 4, 2018.

Erin Austin
John Austin
Brenda Brenner
Tammy Burke
Alicia Coble
Kelly Cortez
Tim Delp
Jennifer Doyle
Bill Dugan
Kathy Eckert
Dave Falgoust
Carla Gamora
Betty Harris
Jennifer Hirt
Karl Larson
Trisha Larson
Kim Lowe
Shannon Parry
Rhonda Renwick
Emily Rosmus
Heather Stormin
Sherry Sweger
Amy Thomas
Donna Van Zandt
Lisa Willing



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