

## Chico Animal Shelter Volunteer Role Description

<b>Position Title</b>		<b>Landscape Maintenance</b>					
<b>Direct Supervisor</b>		<b>Shelter Staff</b>					
<b>Organization Mission</b>							
<p>Courteously and compassionately promote the health, safety and welfare of citizens and animals in our community by honoring the human-animal bond, treating each person and animal as an individual, and providing humane care and positive outcomes for unowned/unclaimed animals.</p>							
<b>Activities and Goals</b>							
<p>Assist shelter staff by performing light landscape tasks to keep the grounds clean and neat.</p>							
<b>Duties and Responsibilities</b>							
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lawn mowing</li> <li>• Pulling weeds/clearing out flowerbeds</li> <li>• Trimming hedges and plants</li> <li>• Watering play yards and hedges</li> <li>• Rake leaves</li> </ul>							
<b>Minimum Time Requirements</b>							
<p>3 - 4 hours per week. Needs vary by season.</p>							
<b>Location/Work Environment</b>				<b>Eligible for work at home</b>			
<p>Exterior grounds at animal shelter. May be subject to loud noises (barking dogs), pet hair and dander, feces and urine, cleaning agents, and strong odors. Exposure to dogs, who can be unpredictable.</p>							
<b>Interaction With Animals</b>	x	None		Minimal		Some	Extensive
<b>Interaction the Public</b>	x	None		Minimal		Some	Extensive
<b>Experience Needed</b>	x	Entry Level		Prior Experience and/or Training Needed			
<b>Skills/Qualities Required</b>							
<p>Some experience helpful. Should be familiar with operating lawn mower and garden hand tools (rake, shovel, etc.)</p>							
<b>Orientation and Training</b>							
<p>Training will involve becoming familiar with the grounds at the shelter and what is needed to be done.</p>							
<b>Other</b>							
<p>Volunteer is required to wear closed-toed shoes and long pants. Tee-shirts, no tank tops.</p>							