



WISCONSIN FEDERATED HUMANE SOCIETIES, INC.

c/o 5132 Voges Road, Madison, WI 53718

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Mission Statement:

Providing resources and opportunities, dedicated to promoting and advancing the humane care of all animals

Criteria for Membership:

- Endorses the mission of the Federation.
- Pays annual dues.
- Actively promotes the welfare of animals.
- Has not been convicted of, or involved in any form of animal abuse or animal theft.
- Affirms the organizational values as reflected in the subject-specific position statement of WFHS (refer to www.wisconsinfederatedhs.org).
- If applicable, adheres to the licensing requirements under Wisconsin's Dog Breeders and Sellers law.
- Upholds WFHS's Code of Conduct: Wisconsin Federated Humane Societies is an organization that promotes teamwork and fraternity between all animal welfare advocates. Since we are partners in our compassionate work for animals, we treat each other respectfully, even in the face of inter-organizational differences. We do not tolerate intentional defamation or attacks upon our fellow members or other animal welfare advocates.

Benefits of Membership:

- Network and support from other WFHS members
- Updates on Wisconsin animal welfare-related news
- Scholarship opportunities to the annual Badger State Conference
- Unlimited job postings on our website
- A link to your individual member humane society
- Annual Meet & Greet luncheon event
- Access to the members only Google discussion group
- A voice in the promotion of animal welfare in Wisconsin

_____ **Humane Societies:** Voting members dues will be based on the number of animals entering the animal shelter (please check the amount that applies and indicate the total number below).

Any brick and mortar nonprofit 501(c)3 animal shelter based in Wisconsin that meets the criteria listed above, and is not breed or species specific, shall be eligible to become a WFHS Humane Society member.

Total number of animals your humane society handled last year: _____

Up to 1,500 animals – Dues \$50
1,501 to 3,000 animals – Dues \$100
3,001 and more animals – Dues \$150

Total annual operating budget amount: _____

_____ **Organizational Partner (non-voting) - \$50**

Any 501(c)3 animal welfare organization that meets the criteria listed above and is breed or species specific, shall be eligible to become an Organizational Partner.

_____ Individuals (non-voting) - \$50

Any individual that meets the criteria listed above shall be eligible to become an Individual Member.

_____ Corporate (non-voting) - \$250

Any organization or corporation that meets the criteria above, and wishes to support the work of WFHS and its members, shall be eligible to become a Corporate Member.

_____ Enforcement Partner (non-voting) - \$75

Any law enforcement agency or Humane Officer that meets the criteria listed above, shall be eligible to become an enforcement partner.

Fill out entire section below:

Organization Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone(s) _____

After hours emergency contact name and phone number _____

Email _____ Website _____

____ Executive Director or ____ Shelter Manager Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

President of Board of Directors _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Enforcement Partner, Individual or Corporate Members, fill out this section only:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone(s) _____

After hours emergency contact name and phone number _____

Email _____ Website _____

I have read, understand and agree to the criteria of the WISCONSIN FEDERATED HUMANE SOCIETIES, INC. as stated above.

Signature _____ Date _____

Please print name _____

(WFHS reserves the right to deny membership to any individual or organization that does not support the mission and purpose of WISCONSIN FEDERATED HUMANE SOCIETIES).

**Please return this application and membership fee to:
Wisconsin Federated Humane Societies, Inc.
Attn: Joan Byrne, WFHS Operations Assistant
c/o Dane County Humane Society
5132 Voges Road, Madison, WI 53718**