

KCPC VOLUNTEER CORPS

VOLUNTEERS AND THEIR TASKS

LOST/FOUND MATCHING

Match LOST pets with FOUND pets (and vice versa) on our KCPC website, other L&F websites and other sources. Call or email pet owners with your findings to confirm possible matches.

Quite often the same pet listed as LOST by a pet owner is also reported to us by someone who found that pet and put it on the FOUND pages. These pets are often looked after by the finders while they look for the owner – or they place the pet in a local shelter. The goal of KCPC is to reunite pets and owners as fast as possible to avoid euthanasia. There are a few ‘unofficial’ volunteers who find such matches and notify the person listing the LOST or FOUND pet by email or phone, but this is not usually reported back to our offices – so we are unable to update our database records or the website. You can help by volunteering to search for “matches” in your spare time. You will find that locating a match can be a very rewarding experience

The “LOST/FOUND MATCHING VOLUNTEER’ will have the following duties:

1. Search the LOST and FOUND pages of the KCPC website and other national sites such as: www.petfinders.com or www.1-800-save-a-pet.com or even Craig’s List to find possible matches with postings on KCPC.
2. Call or email the two people who posted the LOST and matching FOUND pet records and identify yourself as a KC Pet-Connect Volunteer.
3. Refer them to the “matching records” where you have found the pet and ask if it might be the pet they reported.
4. If there is a match, report your findings to KCPC using the non-public page located at

www.kcpetconnect.com/update.htm

Please complete the form in as much detail as possible

NOTE: Emails and Zip Codes are the most important data we rely on in this system. During the call to the poster, ALWAYS confirm the “primary email address” – the one they used when completing the request form on the website. If they have two emails, identify the one that is “primary”. For Zip Codes, confirm the Zip Code associated with the location that the pet was reported LOST in or FOUND in – NOT the posters home address Zip Code.

For questions and clarifications about this procedure please contact us by:

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WE WELCOME YOUR HELP AND LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR OWN IDEAS AND SUGGESTIONS FOR CHANGES TO THIS PROCEDURE OR TO THE WEBSITE!