



## APPLICATION FOR HUMANE CANADA ASSOCIATE

Submit by email to Elizabeth Wheeler, Resource Development Coordinator at [elizabeth@humanecanada.ca](mailto:elizabeth@humanecanada.ca), by fax to (613) 723-0252, or by mail to: Humane Canada, 102 - 30 Concourse Gate, Ottawa, ON, K2E 7V7

### Part One: Basic Information

*(Please Print)*

Name of organization:			
Charitable status number OR registered non-profit number:			
Street address:		City:	Province:
Postal code:	Phone number: (    )	Alternate phone number: (    )	
Fax number: (    )	Email:	Website:	
Your name's organization on Facebook:			
Your organization's Twitter handle:			
Your organization's Instagram handle:			
Executive Director or Chief Executive Officer (name):	Address	<input type="checkbox"/> Same as above	Phone number <input type="checkbox"/> Same as above (    )
Email			
President (name):	Address	City, Province	Phone number (    )
Email			
Treasurer (name):	Address	City, Province	Phone number (    )
Email			
Manager or contact person:	Address	City, Province	Phone number (    )
Email			
Has your organization previously been a member of Humane Canada?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (from: _____ to: _____) <input type="checkbox"/> No	



What are your key expectations of being an associate with Humane Canada? (briefly)

## Part Two – Associate Criteria Checklist

Non-voting Associates at Humane Canada consist of not-for-profit and charitable organizations, associations, and governmental organizations who share the guiding principles of Humane Canada.

Eligibility to be an Associate of Humane Canada is based on the following criterion. In the space provided next to each of the criteria, please signal your organization's compliance with the criterion by way of your initials.

INITIAL	ASSOCIATE CRITERIA Organization applying for associate status....
	Agrees to Humane Canada representing members and associates at the national level.
	Is an association, governmental organization or a registered not-for-profit or charity incorporated either provincially or federally in Canada.
	Is prepared to act in accordance with Humane Canada by-laws, including payment of dues <i>(to receive a copy of the by-laws, please contact us at 1-888-678-2347 ext. 23 or elizabeth@humanecanada.ca)</i>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• promotes and demonstrates a humane discourse philosophy</li> <li>• support industry recognized standards and guidelines</li> <li>• objective in promoting progressive improvement of animal welfare</li> <li>• a recognized/credible voice in its community</li> <li>• law-abiding; functions within the law</li> </ul>
	Supports the Humane Canada's willingness to work with any organization with the goal of improving animal welfare
	Operates in an ethical manner, with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• integrity</li> <li>• transparency</li> <li>• accountability</li> </ul>

### Part Three – Associate Applicant Profile

Date charter granted:		Charter granted by:	
Geographic area of jurisdiction/service:			
Please check the category that best identifies your organization:	<input type="checkbox"/> National animal welfare organization		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Provincial animal welfare organization		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Local animal welfare organization		
	<input type="checkbox"/> International animal welfare groups		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Municipally-run animal control agency		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Animal associations (organizations that are a collective of other groups)		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Issue-based organization		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Spay/neuter and feral cat groups		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Animal sanctuary		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Animal Rescue		
<input type="checkbox"/> Other; please explain _____			
Number of employees:	Number of volunteers:	Number of board members:	
What are the main programs and services you provide in your community?			
Does your organization include an off-site animal fostering network? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			

**IF YOUR ORGANIZATION OPERATES A SHELTER:**

Does your shelter have an adopt-a-thon?	
Are all cats/dogs spayed/neutered before they are adopted out?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you sell pet licensing?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Is your shelter open-admission?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
What temperament assessment system do you use, if any?	
What adoption-matching program do you use, if any?	



## Authorization

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am duly authorized by the Board of Directors of the  
Name (please print)  
\_\_\_\_\_ to apply for associate status at Humane Canada  
Name of organization (please print)

**Note to applicant:** *Humane Canada's Board of Directors requires this form be completed and returned to Humane Canada before your application will be considered for approval.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## Attachments to include with your application

The Rules and Regulations of Humane Canada require that a copy of the most recent financial statement of the organization accompany each membership application. Audited statements are preferred, but are not required.

**Note on associate fees:** Annual associate fees are \$200.

You will be notified of Humane Canada Board's decision no later than three months after your application has been received.

Having trouble with your application? Our staff is available toll-free to answer any questions you may have. Please contact **Elizabeth Wheeler, Resource Development Coordinator**, at 1-888-678-2347 ext. 23 or [elizabeth@humaneCanada.ca](mailto:elizabeth@humaneCanada.ca)