



AP 2-803 – MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE CARE OF THE TRAINED SERVICE ANIMAL

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HANDLER

The handler is the individual who is trained to manage the trained service animal’s performance of support services. It is the expectation that the student, for whom a trained service animal is providing services in the school, will be the handler. It is recognized that there may be times when it is necessary for school staff to support the student in handling their trained service animal.

The handler is required to support the provision of food, water and “bio-breaks” to the trained service animal as needed. This includes supervision of the animal during rest periods (if needed), and immediate removal and disposal of animal waste in a safe and environmentally friendly manner.

1. Water needs: (e.g. provision of water bowl, procedures for use, cleaning etc.)

2. Bladder/bowel needs of trained service animal (e.g. – frequency, designated location, disposal etc.)

3. Other considerations:

- 3.1. Rest periods away from "work" (if needed)

- 3.2. Special considerations due to weather (if needed)

- 3.3. Other

4. Formal documentation has been provided that the service animal:
 is trained, , to provide assistance to a student with a disability
 has annual vaccines,
 has municipal license,
 is in good health to attend school.

This information must be updated on a yearly basis.

Signature of Principal _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

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