ESF 11 Agriculture and Natural Resources

Kansas Personnel Qualifications

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Description of Tasks Performed

State Animal	Basic minimum requirements for a State Animal Response Team (SART) volunteer.
Response Team	
(SART) Volunteer	
(SART_VLNTR)	

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula: 1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements: a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction d. County Animal Response Team course provided by SUNY e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
Experience	No specific requirement
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Description of Tasks Performed

SART Case Manager (SART_ACM)	An Animal Case Manager (ACM) assists in reuniting displaced animal. An ACM oversees animal welfare while in custodial care and maintains appropriate records and reports pertaining to animals and ownership.
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Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course
	4. Animal Handling Course
Experience	Experience with the daily care of animals with the ability to recognize animal characteristics and behavior. Demonstrates the ability to assess an appropriate match between owners and animals.
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART Control Specialist
(SART_ACS)

An Animal Control Specialist (ACS) captures and evacuates (extricates) animals. An ACS restrains dangerous and fractious animals safely and humanely. Advises on euthanasia of dangerous animals. Coordinates animal operations at impacted sites. Identifies and counts animals and their populations. Advises on species management.

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course
	4. Animal Handling Course
	5. Companion Animal Decontamination training
Experience	Experience with the capture, rescue, and evacuation of animals (certified animal control officer preferred). Experience working with companion animals, equines, livestock, avian, or non-domesticated species.
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART EOC Specialist (SART_EOCS)	An EOC Specialist provides interagency coordination and executive decision-making in support of the incident response. Coordinates an area response through information collection and evaluation, priority setting, and resource management.
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Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>
	3. IS 800 – National Response Framework (NRF), An introduction
	4. ICS 300 – Intermediate Incident Command System
	5. ICS 400 – Advanced Incident Command System
	6. IS 775 – EOC Management and Operations
	7. IS 811 – Emergency Support Functions (ESF) #11 – Agriculture and Natural Resources
Experience	Experience with the management of emergency incidents and events that may include multiple jurisdictions. Demonstrates strong organizational skills with the ability to attract, maintain, supervise, encourage and reward volunteers. Strong written and verbal communication skills.
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART Finance Officer (SART_FINO)	A Finance Officer handles all financial, administrative, and cost analysis aspects of an incident. Further responsible for procurement authorizations, compensation and claims, cost benefit analysis, and time/record keeping.
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Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
	2. IS 800 – National Response Framework (NRF), An introduction
	3. ICS 300 – Intermediate Incident Command System
	4. ICS 400 – Advanced Incident Command System
Experience	Experience with finance, accounting, cost analysis, administrative duties, and payroll. Demonstrates strong organizational and computer skills (must be familiar with Microsoft Office).
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART Handling	
Specialist	Responsible for providing the basic needs of sheltered animals.
(SART_AHS)	

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula: 1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements: a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction d. County Animal Response Team course provided by SUNY e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent g. Psychological First Aid online course provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent 2. Emergency Animal Sheltering course 3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course 4. Animal Handling Course
Experience	Experience with the handling of sheltered animals in a safe and humane manner. Demonstrate the basic husbandry of relevant species. Experience working with companion animals, equines, livestock, avian, or non-domesticated species.
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Description of Tasks Performed

SART Liaison
Officer
(SART_LO)

A Liaison Officer coordinates with cooperating and assisting agencies. Attends operations and incident command meetings providing daily reports to the SART Team Leader. Has timely communications with the Kansas Board of Veterinary Examiners and Kansas Veterinary Medical Association.

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>
	3. IS 800 – National Response Framework (NRF), An introduction
	4. ICS 300 – Intermediate Incident Command System
	5. ICS 400 – Advanced Incident Command System
Experience	Experience coordinating with representatives from various agencies and organizations. Demonstrates strong organizational, written and verbal skills. Has the ability to learn and convey the history and concepts of animal response teams, both state and local.
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART Logistics Officer (SART_LOG)	A Logistics Officer provides facilities, services, and material support for the incident. Oversees the acquisition and distribution of needed supplies.
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Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
	2. Emergency Animal Sheltering course
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course
	4. Animal Handling Course
	5. IS 800 – National Response Framework (NRF), An introduction
	6. ICS 300 – Intermediate Incident Command System
	7. ICS 400 – Advanced Incident Command System
	8. IS 703 – NIMS Resource Management
	9. ARC Shelter Operations course or equivalent
Experience	Experience acquiring facilities, services, and material support. Demonstrates strong organizational, written and verbal communication skills.
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

An Operations Officer oversees the coordination and response of the Search and Collections and Sheltering operations. Responsible for all aspects of operational response to include unit assignments, sheltering, quarantine/isolation, and security.

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:
	a. IS 100 - Introduction to Incident Command System
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course
	4. Animal Handling Course
	5. Companion Animal Decontamination training
	6. IS 800 – National Response Framework (NRF), An introduction
	7. ICS 300 – Intermediate Incident Command System
	8. ICS 400 – Advanced Incident Command System
	9. ARC Shelter Operations course or equivalent
Experience	Experience with the daily operations of animal facilities, sheltering management, and the capture, rescue, and evacuation of animals. Experience working with companion animals, equines, livestock, avian, or non-domesticated species.
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Description of Tasks Performed

SART Planning Officer (SART_PLANS)	A Planning Officer is responsible for the collection, evaluation, and dissemination of operational information related to the incident, and for the preparation and documentation of the Incident Action Plan (IAP).
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Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>
	3. IS 800 – National Response Framework (NRF), An introduction
	4. ICS 300 – Intermediate Incident Command System
	5. ICS 400 - Advanced Incident Command System
	6. IS 235 – Emergency Planning
Experience	Experience with emergency planning and preparedness. Demonstrates the ability to perform report writing, information management, and shows strong organizational skills.
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Description of Tasks Performed

SART Public Information Officer (SART_PIO)	A Public Information Officer (PIO) coordinates with the overall Incident Command PIO for receiving and dispersing information to the public. Interfaces with the public and media.
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Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course
	4. Animal Handling Course
	5. IS 800 – National Response Framework (NRF), An introduction
	6. ICS 300 – Intermediate Incident Command System
	7. ICS 400 – Advanced Incident Command System
	8. IS 702 – NIMS Public Information Systems
Experience	Experience managing the generation and dissemination of information related to an incident for the public and media. Must possess strong organizational, written and verbal skills. Demonstrates the ability to speak publicly to an audience and shows the ability to convey the history and concepts of animal response teams, both state and local.
Physical	No specific requirement
License	No specific requirement
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

(SART_SAFO)
Officer
SART Safety

A Safety Officer ensures that proper precautions and safety techniques are used and that the safety of the animals and volunteers is maintained at all times. Monitors and assesses safety hazards or unsafe situations and for developing measures for ensuring personnel safety.

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty	
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:	
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:	
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System	
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents	
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction	
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY	
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent	
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent	
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent	
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>	
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course	
	4. Animal Handling Course	
	5. Companion Animal Decontamination training	
	6. IS 800 – National Response Framework (NRF), An introduction	
	7. ICS 300 – Intermediate Incident Command System	
	8. ICS 400 – Advanced Incident Command System	
Experience	Experience with the daily care of animals with the ability to recognize animal characteristics and behavior. Demonstrates the ability to assess an appropriate match between owners and animals.	
Physical	No specific requirement	
License	No specific requirement	
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment	

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART Search and	
Collections	A Search and Collection Specialist captures and evacuates (extricates) animals. Assesses the needs
Specialist	and behavior of animals. Identifies animals and counts populations.
(SART_SACS)	

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty	
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:	
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:	
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System	
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents	
	c. IS 700 - National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction	
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY	
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent	
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent	
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent	
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>	
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course	
	4. Animal Handling Course	
	5. IS 317 – Introduction to Community Emergency Response Teams	
	6. IS 809 – Emergency Support Function (ESF) #9 – Search and Rescue	
Experience	Experience with the capture, rescue, and evacuation of animals (certified animal control officer preferred). Experience working with companion animals, equines, livestock, avian, or non-domesticated species.	
Physical	No specific requirement	
License	No specific requirement	
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment	

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART Shelter Manager (SART_ASM)	An Animal Shelter Manager is an individual who supervises and coordinates temporary animal shelters and housing for displaced animals.
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Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty	
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:	
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:	
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System	
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents	
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction	
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY	
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent	
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent	
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent	
	2. Emergency Animal Sheltering course	
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course	
	4. Animal Handling Course	
	5. ARC Shelter Operations course or equivalent	
Experience	Experience managing daily operations of animal facilities and demonstrate organizational management skills. Experience working with companion animals, equines, livestock, avian, or non-domesticated species.	
Physical	No specific requirement	
License	No specific requirement	
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment	

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART Species Specialist (SART_SS)	A Species Specialist is a subject matter expert who advises on the management of individual animals and animal populations, including animal behavior.
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Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty	
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:	
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:	
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System	
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents	
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction	
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY	
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent	
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent	
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent	
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>	
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course	
	4. Animal Handling course	
	5. Dealing with Aggressive Animals course	
Experience	Possess knowledge of the specific needs of relevant species (e.g. equine, bovine, avian, reptile). Demonstrate the safe and humane handling of relevant species. Knowledge of basic husbandry of relevant species.	
Physical	No specific requirement	
License	No specific requirement	
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment	

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Discipline/Category

SART Team

Description of Tasks Performed

A Team Leader has overall authority and responsibility for conducting incident operations.

Leader (SART_TEAML)	Responsible for establishing an Incident Command Post, mission statements, and immediate goals.	
Requirement	Explanation of Requirement	
Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty	
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:	
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:	
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System	
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents	
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction	
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY	
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent	
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent	
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent	
	2. Emergency Animal Sheltering course	
	3. IS 800 – National Response Framework (NRF), An introduction	
	4. ICS 300 – Intermediate Incident Command System	
	5. ICS 400 – Advanced Incident Command System	
	6. IS 701 – NIMS Multiagency Coordination System (MACS)	
	7. IS 703 – NIMS Resource Management	
	8. IS 775 – EOC Management and Operations	
	9. IS 811 – Emergency Support Functions (ESF) #11 – Agriculture and Natural Resources	
	10. ARC Shelter Operations course or equivalent	
	11. Companion Animal Decontamination training	
Experience	Experience managing emergency incidents and events that involve multiple jurisdictions. Demonstrates strong organizational skills with the ability to attract, maintain, supervise, encourage and reward volunteers. Strong written and verbal communication skills.	
Physical	No specific requirement	
License	No specific requirement	
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment	

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART Tec	hnician
(SART_AT)	

An Animal Technician assists with animal health care and animal depopulation. Collects specimens from animal and assists with establishing and maintaining medical records. Identifies and counts animal premises. Provides for live animal inspection and may work as an assistant to Veterinarian.

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty	
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula: 1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements: a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction d. County Animal Response Team course provided by SUNY e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent g. Psychological First Aid online course provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent 2. Emergency Animal Sheltering course 3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course 4. Animal Handling Course	
Experience	Certified veterinary technician preferred. Experience with the handling of sheltered animals in a safe and humane manner. Demonstrate the basic husbandry of relevant species. Experience working with companion animals, equines, livestock, avian, or non-domesticated species.	
Physical	No specific requirement	
License	No specific requirement	
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment	

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Description of Tasks Performed

SART Volunteer
Manager
(SART_VM)

A Volunteer Manager is responsible for all facets of the volunteer program. Participates in organizational activities from assessing recruitment opportunities to executing volunteer orientations. Maintains records of volunteer information and hours donated. Assist training committee to ensure all volunteers complete mandatory requirements.

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty	
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula: 1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements: a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction d. County Animal Response Team course provided by SUNY e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent g. Psychological First Aid online course provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent 2. IS 244 – Developing and Managing Volunteers	
Experience	Experience in a volunteer supervisory capacity or three years' experience in a volunteer coordinator or similar position. Demonstrates strong organizational skills with the ability to attract, maintain, supervise, encourage and reward volunteers. Strong written and verbal communication skills. Demonstrates the ability to speak publicly to an audience and shows the ability to convey the history and concepts of animal response teams, both state and local.	
Physical	No specific requirement	
License	No specific requirement	
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment	

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

(SART_WCS)				
Control Specialist				
SART Wildlife				

A Wildlife Control Specialist safely captures, restrains, evacuates and handles wildlife. Advises on euthanasia of wildlife. Assesses the needs of wildlife. Coordinates census of wildlife and identifies appropriate wildlife premises. Coordinates in wildlife management operations at impacted sites.

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty					
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:					
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:					
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System					
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents					
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction					
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY					
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent					
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent					
	2. Emergency Animal Sheltering course					
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course					
Experience	Experience with the capture, rescue, and evacuation of animals. Experience working with companion animals, equines, livestock, avian, or non-domesticated species.					
Physical	No specific requirement					
License	No specific requirement					
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment					

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Discipline/Category

Description of Tasks Performed

SART				
Veterinarian				
(SART_VET)				

A SART Veterinarian performs a wide range of tasks to include clinical examinations, diagnosing animal diseases, assists with depopulation, collecting specimens, and oversees vaccinations among many others.

Requirement

Prerequisites	No previous convictions of animal cruelty					
Training	Completion of the following courses/curricula:					
	1. Basic SART volunteer training requirements:					
	a. IS 100 – Introduction to Incident Command System					
	b. IS 200 – ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents					
	c. IS 700 – National Incident management System (NIMS) An introduction					
	d. <u>County Animal Response Team course</u> provided by SUNY					
	e. ARC Animal First Aid course or equivalent					
	f. ARC First Aid course or equivalent					
	g. <u>Psychological First Aid online course</u> provide by NCTSN or ARC equivalent					
	2. <u>Emergency Animal Sheltering course</u>					
	3. Zoonosis, Preparedness, and Public Health course					
Experience	Experience working in primary animal health. Experience working with companion animals, equines, livestock, avian, or non-domesticated species.					
Physical	No specific requirement					
License	Doctorate of Veterinarian Medicine (active license in Kansas or under an University)					
Additional Notes	All animal response team volunteers must maintain a "go bag" for ART deployment					

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Expertise	KS Level 1	KS Level 2	KS Level 3	KS Level 4
Veterinarian (Can be K-SERV verified)	Requirements Unencumbered, current, professional license Professionally active Certified Foreign Animal Disease Diagnostician Registration in K-SERV	Requirements • Unencumbered, current, professional license • Clinically active • Registration in K-SERV	Requirements • Unencumbered, current, professional license • Registration in K-SERV	Requirements • Education and experience in profession but not currently licensed (i.e., retired) • Registration in K-SERV
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