

CASPERS WILDERNESS PARK ONE TIME VOLUNTEER

Adopt-A-Park Volunteer Guidelines and Provisions

Volunteer Information: PLEASE PRINT NEATLY IN BLUE OR BLACK INK AND COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS

Volunteer FIRST Name: _____

Volunteer LAST Name: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone #: (_____) _____ Email Address: _____

Birth Date (Month, Day, Year): _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

RELATIONSHIP: _____

PHONE #: (_____) _____

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Park Ranger Contact: _____

Description of Service (i.e., non-native plant removal, planting, general beautification, etc.): _____

Date of Performed Service: _____ Time: _____



I hereby certify that all statements contained on this application are true to the best of my knowledge, and that by signing this agreement, I understand and agree to the Volunteer Guidelines and Provisions.

Volunteer Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

If applicant is under the age of 18, a parent/guardian signature is required

Please print name of parent/guardian, relationship to volunteer, address & phone number below:

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY (staff initial needed)

_____ Park Staff Input into <http://www.ocparksforms.com/> (select One Time Volunteer Application)

_____ Park Staff sends to OC Parks Volunteer Services: 1501 E St Andrew Pl, Santa Ana 92705

_____ OC Parks Volunteer Services imports One Time Application

_____ One Time App Filed

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This agreement is intended to indicate the importance of our Adopt-A-Park Volunteer Program. We appreciate your contributions to the County of Orange, Orange County Parks and are committed to providing you with a meaningful and rewarding experience.

VOLUNTEER GUIDELINES: I agree to serve as a volunteer and commit to the following:

- ✓ To adhere to department and **Adopt-A-Park Volunteer Program** policies & procedures and safety standards
- ✓ To complete tasks and assignments to the best of my ability
- ✓ To maintain the confidentiality of department information
- ✓ To meet agreed upon commitments or provide adequate notice so that alternative arrangements can be made
- ✓ To provide the **Adopt-A-Park Volunteer Program** with an attendance record including name, address and phone number of participants
- ✓ **To assume responsibility for obtaining formal parent/guardian consent for participants under the age of 18 years.**

VOLUNTEER PROVISIONS:

1. Volunteers are bound and shall comply with all provisions of this agreement and the instructions of the County Representative while performing any work authorized by this agreement.
2. Care shall be exercised at all times to protect existing County facilities.
3. Technical questions regarding the type of work being performed at the facility should be answered by the County Representative to ensure consistency with the general development plan of the facility.
4. If weather or other adverse circumstances cause conditions which may be deemed hazardous, work shall be discontinued.
5. Volunteers performing work under this agreement shall wear personal protective equipment as required by the type of work being performed and outlined in the Volunteer Safety Guidelines.
6. Work shall not be initiated prior to briefing on safety procedures by the County Representatives.
7. **Authorized Representatives are designated on this agreement shall act as spokespersons for the group. In addition, one (1) adult supervisor shall be assigned for each ten (10) minors. Minors may be restricted from participating in certain activities as determined by the County Representatives.**
8. Volunteers' personal vehicles are to be parked in areas designated by the County Representative. Carpooling is encouraged.
9. **This agreement is valid for date/s and time/s identified on the face of this agreement. Renewal must be completed at least fourteen (14) days prior to the start date of a new work date.**
10. THE COUNTY OF ORANGE AND ITS OFFICES, EMPLOYEES AND AGENTS SHALL NOT BE HELD LIABLE FOR ANY DEATH, INJURY, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE CLAIMS ARISING FROM VOLUNTEER WORK. IF ANY CLAIM ARISES OUT OF THE FORGOING, THE ORGANIZATION/VOLUNTEER SHALL DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND SAVE HARMLESS THE COUNTY OF ORANGE AND ITS OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES AND AGENTS FROM THE SAME.
11. This agreement shall be cancelled by the County for non-conformance with agreement provisions or failure to adhere to direction given by the County Representative.
12. Any volunteer under the age of 15 must be accompanied/supervised by an adult.
13. I understand that a County of Orange Representative may record my photograph, videotape and/or conduct an interview for future use in volunteer-related material. I understand that my photo, video and/or quote may be used for the sole purpose of volunteer recruitment, recognition and publicity. I understand that my photo, videotape and/or quote may be included on the County's Web page, in literature distributed to the public or on display units in public areas. I realize that my participation is voluntary, and that I will receive no compensation. I further understand that photographs, videotape and quotes become the property of the County of Orange.
14. **As a volunteer, I am not an employee of the County of Orange, I understand that I am not covered by Workers' Compensation or the County's Memorandum of Understanding and that my volunteer agreement may be cancelled at any time. If I use my own vehicle for any County business, I will maintain State licensing and insurance as required by law.**
15. **I understand that fingerprinting may be requested to establish my identity and ascertain any criminal history as required by California law. I authorize investigation of all statements contained in this application and understand that misrepresentation or omission of the facts, or receipt of unsatisfactory references will be sufficient cause to end my application process or dismiss me from the County's services as a volunteer.**