

WORCESTER COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION & PARKS

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Phone: (410) 632-2144 Fax: (410) 632-1585

Personal Information:

Name: _____ Mailing Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work or Cell Phone: _____

E-mail address: _____ Fax: _____

Valid Driver's License Number: _____ State: _____

Name of Program/Event Applicant Applying For: _____

Describe your prior volunteer experience: _____

Emergency Contact Information:

Emergency Contacts: Please list 2 individuals that we may contact in case of an emergency:

Name: _____ Day Phone: _____

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Background Check Qualifications:

Applications will be automatically **DECLINED** regardless of the amount of time since offense when a background reveals:

***All Sex Offenses** – Examples include: child molestation, rape, sexual assault, sexual battery, sodomy, prostitution, solicitation, indecent exposure, etc.

***All Felony Violence** - Examples include: murder, manslaughter, aggravated assault, kidnapping, robbery, aggravated burglary, etc.

***All Felony Offenses** other than violence or sex within the past 10 years.

Examples include: drug offenses, theft, embezzlement, fraud, child endangerment, etc.

***Misdemeanors** – All misdemeanor violence offenses within the past 7 years.

Examples include: simple assault, battery, domestic violence, hit & run, etc.

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Examples include: driving under the influence, simple drug possession, drunk and disorderly, public intoxication, possession of drug paraphernalia, etc.

***Misdemeanor Offenses** within the past 5 years that would be considered a potential danger to children or is directly related to the functions of that volunteer.

***Pending Cases**

Individuals found to have pending court cases for any of the qualifying offenses will be disqualified. If the disposition of the pending case does not meet the criteria for the disqualification as listed above, the individual would then be cleared and reinstated.

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? ___yes ___no

Are there any criminal charges currently pending against you? ___yes ___no

Are you under 18 years old? ___yes ___no (If yes, a guardian must sign this application.)

Please read carefully and sign below:

By my signature below, I hereby affirm that this application was completed voluntarily and truthfully to the best of my knowledge and belief as of this date. I understand that providing false or misleading information will disqualify me from serving as a volunteer.

I also authorize Worcester County to use of any photograph taken of during my volunteer service.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ (Required for applicants under age 18)



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NATIONAL BACKGROUND SCREENING CONSENT FORM

Applicant's Legal Name (Print): _____

SSN: _____ DOB: _____

Applicant's Address: _____

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Consent:

I the undersigned, authorize and give consent for the above named organization(s) to obtain information regarding myself. This includes the following:

- Local & National Criminal background records/information
- All 50 State Sex Offender Registries
- Full Address Trace
- Social Security Verification

I the undersigned, authorize this information to be obtained either in writing or via telephone in connection with my application. Any person, firm or organization providing information or records in accordance with this authorization is released from any and all claims of liability for compliance. Such information will be held in confidence in accordance with the organization's guidelines.

By signing this document, I am providing the staff of Worcester County Department of Recreation & Parks, my consent for an initial background check as well as any subsequent background checks deemed necessary.

Print Legal Name: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____
(Parent/Guardian signature required for applicants under 18 years old)