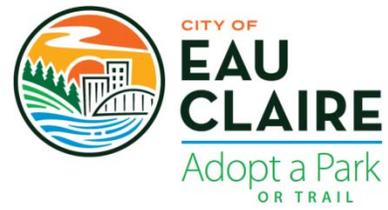


# Adopt a Park or Trail Application



Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
(As it would appear on sign)

Contact Person (Group Leader) \_\_\_\_\_  
(First & Last)

Mailing Address	Phone Number(s)	Email
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	

Organization Website \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Organization     Business     School     Neighborhood Associations  
                                   Church         Club          Service Group     Other \_\_\_\_\_

Interest Location for Adoption     Northside     Southside     Westside  
   Central/Downtown     Other \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a preference?     Park     Trail     Other     No Preference

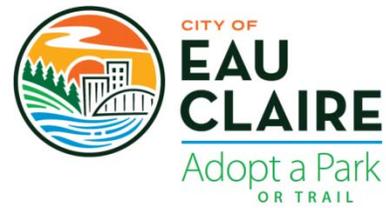
Estimated Number of Volunteers    Adults \_\_\_\_\_    Kids (under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

What does your organization hope to gain from this experience? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Type(s) of projects your organization would like to accomplish? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I understand that this is an application for the Adopt a Park and Trail Program, and that an Eau Claire Parks, Recreation, & Forestry representative will contact me to finalize an agreement.

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## LIABILITY WAIVER AGREEMENT INDIVIDUAL VOLUNTEER SERVICES

This Agreement is made, by and between the City of Eau Claire, hereinafter referred to as the "City" and hereinafter referred to as the "Volunteer".

**PURPOSE:** The purpose of this Agreement is to outline the responsibilities of the City in providing volunteer opportunities, and to create an understanding between the City and the Volunteer. This Agreement shall not in any way constitute nor create an employer/employee relationship between the City and the Volunteer.

**AGREEMENT FOR NON-COMPENSATED SERVICES:** The Volunteer agrees to abide by all relevant City policies and procedures and to perform the volunteer services in a safe, responsible manner in accordance with the descriptions of service.

In consideration of the City giving me permission to perform these volunteer services, I understand that:

- I am not to appear for volunteer service under the influence of any illegal drugs or alcohol.
- If I bring any child(ren) with me under 14 years of age, I understand I will be held solely liable, and assume all risk of liability, for my child(ren)'s actions and agree to hold the City harmless from any and all such related claims against the City; except for injuries and damages caused by the sole negligence of the City.
- I agree not to go beyond the scope of volunteer work agreed to without authorization.
- If I am to be trained on any activity that I am unfamiliar with, to learn the corresponding policies, it is my responsibility to understand them completely or ask questions until I feel confident to perform them.
- I understand that I am to report any on-the-job injury or illness, no matter how minor, to the Volunteer Coordinator.
- If weather sirens are heard, volunteers are to seek more information.

**ADOPT-A-PARK STATEMENT OF AGREEMENT:** I have read and agree to abide by the policies, regulations and safety recommendations as put forth by the City of Eau Claire Parks and Recreation in regard to the "Adopt-A-Park" Program. I understand that this is an application for the "Adopt-A-Park" Program and that the Volunteer Coordinator will contact me to finalize an agreement. In addition, I understand that the Volunteer Coordinator will make the final determination as to whether a group can participate and the final park assignment. I understand the Volunteer Coordinator will also have the authority to remove individuals/groups from the program if they do not hold up the guidelines of the "Adopt-A-Park" Program. It is my responsibility to have all participants of my organization involved in the "Adopt-A-Park" Program sign the City of Eau Claire Parks and Recreation volunteer waiver form. Finally, I understand all of the rules of the "Adopt-A-Park" Program/park policies of the City of Eau Claire Parks and Recreation and failure to up hold these guidelines will jeopardize my or my group's involvement in the "Adopt-A-Park" Program.

**TERMINATION:** I understand that I or the City may terminate this agreement at any time without cause, and that I am volunteering my services at will and may be asked to discontinue such without prior notice or reason.

**WAIVER & HOLD HARMLESS:** I am fully aware that the work associated with being a City Volunteer involves certain risks of physical injury or death. Being fully informed as to these risks and in consideration of my being allowed to participate in the City's Volunteer Program. I hereby assume all risk of injury, damage and harm to myself arising from such activities or use of City facilities. I also hereby individually and on behalf of my heirs, executors and assignees, release and hold harmless the City, its officials, employees and agents and waive any right of recovery that I might have to bring a claim or a lawsuit against them for any personal injury, death or other consequences occurring to me arising out of my volunteer activities.

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Volunteer Name (Please Print)

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Volunteer Signature

This agreement will be in effect for the duration of my volunteer services beginning this date: \_\_\_\_\_