

# CITY of CLOVIS

## Parks & Trail Volunteer



**Application** 



## Parks Volunteer

City of Clovis Parks Volunteer Program: Allowing businesses, organizations, families and individuals the opportunity to volunteer their time to help keep Clovis an enjoyable City in which to live.

- Volunteering may be one-time, on-going or adoption of a landscape
- Opportunities are available in parks, trails and landscaped areas

#### Included in this program:

- Volunteering Guidelines; including the different types of volunteering
- Volunteer Application
- Contact information



#### **One-Time Volunteering**

Volunteers working at a solitary or one-time event must fill out a Volunteer Liability Waiver. Volunteers may be asked to bring their own tools, protective equipment and water depending on the nature of the event. One-time events usually last two to four hours and involve washing, raking or cleaning in a park or along a trail.

#### **On-going Volunteering**

On-going volunteering is done on a monthly basis for two to four hours. Volunteers working as on-going volunteers must fill out a Volunteer Application, a Liability Waiver, and a Volunteer Information Sheet. On-going volunteers may also be required to have a background check. Ongoing volunteers may be required to bring their own tools, protective equipment and water. Ongoing Volunteers will need to be available for communication with the City.

#### Adopt-A-Park

Adopt-A-Park is the umbrella name for the adoption of an area within the City parks, trails, or other landscaped areas. Adoption requires at least two to four hours per month, depending on the requirements of the area; additional time may be needed. Volunteers wishing to "Adopt" an area must fill out a Volunteer Application, a Liability Waiver, and a Volunteer Information Sheet. The City may also require a background check. Volunteers wishing to "Adopt" an area may be required to bring their own tools, protection equipment and water. Volunteers that "Adopt" an area will need to be available for communication with the City. Volunteers who "Adopt" an area must meet the maintenance requirements of the area being adopted. Volunteers that "Adopt" an area may also receive a recognition sign placed in the adopted area.



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PARKS VOLUNTE	ER INFORMATION	
* Please Print		
Organization Name:	Date:	
Contact Person:		
Address:		
Telephone:	Email:	
Alternate Phone:		
Under Age 18: Yes No		
Volunteer Area of Interest		
One-Time Event: On-Going:	Adopt-A-Park:	
Volunteering in a Park:		
Volunteering on a Trail:		
Volunteering to Maintain a Landscape:		
understand that our (my) work will be performed as a volunteer. I also understand that all persons participating with me must have a Liability Waiver on file with the City of Clovis. I understand that an Employee Information Sheet and a Background Check may be required depending on the nature of the volunteer assignment.		
APPLICANT SIGNATURE:		
If Under 18, Signature of parent/guardian is required:		
PARENT/GUARDIAN:		



## INFORMATION

For information about the City of Clovis, Volunteer Program or to speak with a staff person regarding currently available areas in which to volunteer, please contact the City of Clovis:

City of Clovis
Public Utilities Department
155 North Sunnyside Avenue
Clovis, California 93611
559.324.2616

FAX: 559.324.2862

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Eric Aller, Parks Manager

## **City of Clovis Voluntary Release**

I,
acknowledge that I am voluntarily engaging in landscape and trail maintenance for the City of Clovis, California. I indemnify and hold
harmless the City of Clovis and its officers, officials, employees and agents
from and against all claims, damages, losses, injuries and expenses including attorney fees arising out of my voluntary participation in the maintenance, cleaning and related work activities along the Clovis Old Town Trail.
Voluntary participation is not considered a basis for claiming a service-connected injury. I acknowledge that participation in this voluntary activity is
at my own risk.
Name Date
Signature
Signature of parent or guardian if volunteer is under the age of 18.