



BEAR CREEK GREENWAY VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Please review the Bear Creek Greenway Volunteer Handbook prior to filling out your application.

Contact Information

Participant Name: (Please print) _____

Address: _____

City / Zip: _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

18 years or older? Yes__ No__ Male: __ Female: __ Contact me by: Phone / Cell / Email

Emergency Contact: _____

Emergency Contact Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

Employer, School & Volunteer Experience

Employer and/or School: _____

Job Title/Skills or School Interests: _____

Volunteer Experience:

Relevant Skills/Abilities:

Positions – Please check all you are interested in

Greenway Host

Greenway Volunteer

Please write clearly and keep your answers brief.

Why are you interested in volunteering along the Bear Creek Greenway?

Please tell us something you would like us to know about you (i.e. hobbies, interests, history, etc.)

How did you learn about the Bear Creek Greenway Volunteer Program?

Thank you for your interest in volunteering along the Bear Creek Greenway. You will be contacted for the next steps, which include an interview and an orientation training. Qualified applicants will be subject to a background check. Upon approval, we will require you to complete a separate criminal history/background check form.

I, _____, hereby certify that the information provided on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I hereby grant Jackson County permission to verify facts contained here within. I hereby authorize the release of any relevant information pertaining to criminal history to verify my eligibility to volunteer at any site along the Bear Creek Greenway. I agree to abide by the rules set forth in the Volunteer Handbook, the Volunteer Agreement and Code of Conduct, and all County and department policies and procedures, as provided upon approval.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

If volunteer is under 18 years of age, parent or legal guardian signature is required, and the "Liability Waiver for Minors" form must be signed and attached.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please mail, fax, or email this application and the signed liability waiver on the following page to:

Jackson County Parks
7520 Table Rock Rd.
Central Point, OR 97502

Fax: (541) 774-6320

Or scan and email to: bcgvolunteer@jacksoncounty.org



BEAR CREEK GREENWAY VOLUNTEER LIABILITY WAIVER

**THIS IS A RELEASE
READ IT BEFORE SIGNING**

Participant Name: (Please print) _____
Address: _____
City / Zip: _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____
Email: _____
Emergency Contact: _____
Emergency Contact Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

RELEASE FOR ADULTS

In consideration of acceptance into the Bear Creek Greenway Volunteer program, I hereby RELEASE Jackson County, the Cities of Central Point, Medford, Phoenix, Talent, and Ashland, the Oregon Department of Transportation, and all their officials, officers, agents, and employees (collectively, "the Jurisdictions") from liability for any NEGLIGENCE of the Jurisdictions or other participants, harm, injury, medical or other expenses, or damage which I or my minor children may suffer while participating in the program/event. This includes ALL RISKS that are connected with this activity whether foreseen or unforeseen. I am aware that potentially dangerous conditions exist, including but not limited to slippery pavement, fallen trees, limbs, rocks, debris and other materials. I am also aware that the Bear Creek Greenway is a high traffic area and users may be present during the time I am volunteering. I have satisfied myself that the risk of harm from participating in these activities is acceptable. I agree that the Jurisdictions have no way of knowing my current state of health, and I alone am responsible for judging my physical ability. I have also satisfied myself that I am physically able to undertake and complete this activity. I understand and acknowledge that the Jurisdictions are not responsible for any injuries, damages, sickness, or death that may result from my participation in these activities, and I understand that I would not be allowed to participate in the activities if I did not execute this RELEASE.

I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Jurisdictions and all their agents, officials and employees from any damage to persons or property, resulting from my actions or the actions of my children.

I am of lawful age and legally competent to sign this RELEASE for myself and/or on behalf of the participant. I understand the terms and have signed this RELEASE as my own free act.

**I HAVE FULLY INFORMED MYSELF OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS RELEASE BY
READING IT BEFORE SIGNING AND UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENT. I REALIZE
THAT BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, I AM GIVING UP LEGAL RIGHTS TO
WHICH I MAY BE ENTITLED, AND SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.**

Signed: _____ Date: _____



BEAR CREEK GREENWAY VOLUNTEER LIABILITY WAIVER FOR MINORS

THIS IS A RELEASE READ IT BEFORE SIGNING

Youth Name: (Please print) _____ Age: _____
Parent/Guardian Name: _____
Address: _____
City / Zip: _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____
Email: _____
Emergency Contact: _____
Emergency Contact Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

RELEASE FOR MINOR YOUTHS

In consideration of being allowed to participate in the Bear Creek Greenway Volunteer Program. I, Adult Name: _____ (PLEASE PRINT) am the custodial parent or legal guardian of the minor youth named above, who wishes to participate in the above-mentioned program. I execute this RELEASE on my own behalf and on behalf of the minor youth, and I am a competent adult. I understand and am satisfied with the nature of the volunteer activities that will take place, and consent to my child's participation. I understand and agree that my child will be acting as a volunteer, and that Jackson County, the Cities of Central Point, Medford, Phoenix, Talent, Ashland, the Oregon Department of Transportation, and all their officials, officers, agents, and employees (collectively, "the Jurisdictions") will not be responsible for any damages, injuries, sickness, or death that may result to him/her, including those caused by the NEGLIGENCE of the Jurisdictions or other participants in the program. The volunteer activities in which my child will participate may involve risks described below, and I have satisfied myself that my child should participate in these volunteer activities even though these risks exist. I hereby RELEASE the Jurisdictions from any and all claims for any NEGLIGENCE of the Jurisdictions or other participants, damages, injuries, sickness, or death which may arise as a result of my child's participation in volunteer activities.

I am aware that potentially dangerous conditions exist, including but not limited to slippery pavement, fallen trees, limbs, rocks, debris and other materials. I am also aware that the Bear Creek Greenway is a high traffic area and users may be present during the time I and my child are participating. I have satisfied myself that the risk of harm from participating in these activities is acceptable. I have also satisfied myself that my child is physically able to undertake and complete this activity. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Jurisdictions for any injuries, damages, sickness, or death that may result from participation in these activities. I understand that my child will not be allowed to participate if I did not execute this consent and RELEASE.

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BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, I AM GIVING UP LEGAL RIGHTS TO WHICH I OR THE
MINOR YOUTH MAY BE ENTITLED, AND SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.**

Signed: _____ Date: _____