

Campground Host Agreement

Volunteer Name:	Date of Birth:
Address:	
City:	State: Zip:
	ocial Security:
Park:	Park Staff Supervisor:
Agreement Dates:	to
Contract	of Agreement
THIS AGREEMENT is entered into betweenhereafter called the VOLUNTEER, and the Ohio De Recreation, hereafter called the DIVISION.	epartment of Natural Resources, Division of Parks and

WHEREAS, the VOLUNTEER agrees to furnish Campground Host services as follows:

- a) Perform a public relations role in the campground by answering questions about camping, park facilities, park programs, park rules and nearby points of interest;
- b) Perform light work tasks in the campground such as litter pickup, stocking of restroom supplies and reporting needed repairs;
- c) Orient registrants to the Rent-A-Camp program, teaching safe use of equipment and orienting them to camping in the park;
- d) Present litter awareness programs as assigned;
- e) Assist staff in performing their respective duties in the campground as assigned.

WHEREAS, the VOLUNTEER agrees to do the following:

- a) To work an average of four hours per day as assigned:
- b) To be on duty and therefore available to park visitors two to five days a week, including weekends and holidays;
- c) To comply with DIVISION rules and regulations unless officially exempted;
- d) To provide their own camping gear and personal items and to set an example as a model camper, practicing good housekeeping and being courteous and helpful to the public;
- e) To wear uniform hat/visor and nametag when completing assigned tasks and when acting in a public relations capacity of the DIVISION.

WHEREAS, the VOLUNTEER agrees **not to do** the following:

- a) To collect a park fee or assist in doing so if handling money is involved;
- b) To take any law enforcement actions;
- c) To work independently and routinely to complete tasks which are or have been routinely performed by state employees.

WHEREAS, the DIVISION agrees to the following:

- a) To waive the campground fee for the period of agreement, the sum period of all agreements not to exceed 182 days in any calendar year for any VOLUNTEER or VOLUNTEER camping unit;
- b) To waive the rule which states a maximum stay of fourteen (14) days within a thirty (30) day period for the period of the agreement;
- c) To orient and train the VOLUNTEER to the reasonable extent needed to enable the VOLUNTEER to perform assigned tasks;
- d) To **not** place the VOLUNTEER into any duty situation considered hazardous;
- e) To provide all VOLUNTEERS with a patch indicating their volunteer work that year;
- f) To provide a sign to be placed at the campsite to designate the site as belonging to a Campground Host.

WHEREAS, in consideration of the mutual benefits to be obtained, the DIVISION and the VOLUNTEER do hereby mutually agree as follows:

The DIVISION through the Chief of the division of Parks and Recreation or his designee, shall decide on all questions which may arise as to quality, fitness, promptness and acceptability of service provided by the Campground Host to the park visitor and that the Chief or his designee may void or cancel this Campground Host Volunteer Agreement by giving written notice to the VOLUNTEER, thereby voiding or canceling said agreement, and his determination and decision shall be final and conclusive. The VOLUNTEER may cancel this agreement at any time, for any reason, giving written notice to the park manager.

Selected persons are Campground Hosts doing volunteer work. VOLUNTEERS are persons who are considered employees of the State of Ohio for purposes enumerated in Section 1501.23, Chapter 4112 and Chapter 4123 of the Revised Code. They are not considered as state employees under Chapter 124 of the Revised Code and will not be permitted to participate in any public employee retirement program and are not eligible for benefits under Chapter 4141 of the Revised Code.

Obligations of the state are subject to the provisions of the Revised Code Section 126.07.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this agreement and all duplicate copies are effective upon execution by all intended parties.

By:			
Campground Host	Date	Park Manager	Date
		Chief for the Director, Ohio Department of Natural Resources	Date



Ohio Department of Natural Resources Division of Parks and Recreation

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