

**City of Albert Lea
Parks & Recreation District
Adopt a Park or Trail Agreement**

The Albert Lea Parks & Recreation District, (“District”) and _____ (“Organization”) agree to the terms set forth in this agreement which govern the services the Organization will perform at _____ (“Park”).

The District desires to provide interested persons with an opportunity for community involvement through voluntary participation in a park maintenance and beautification program by adopting a park, green belt or section of trail mutually agreed upon by the District and the Organization.

1. The Organization’s volunteers will perform the services listed on the “Task Agreement” part of this Agreement without compensation. The Task Agreement can be revised if agreed to by all parties in writing. The Organization will not perform any activity that the District has not previously approved and will not subcontract or hire others to do the work listed in this Agreement. The District may, at its discretion, perform or cause others to perform the services listed in the Task Agreement.
2. The Organization agrees to abide by the safety guidelines accompanying this Agreement. The Organization representative who signs this Agreement, or his/her designee, will ensure that each person performing services under this Agreement reads and abides by the safety guidelines.
3. The Organization agrees that it will not discriminate against any person desiring to perform services under this Agreement due to the person’s age, race, religion, creed, color, sex, national origin, ancestry or disability.
4. Members of the Organization and any other persons who may perform any of the services listed in this Agreement shall not be considered employees by the District. A person performing services for the District under this program will not be held personally liable for any claims based on something he or she did not do, as long as he or she is acting within the scope of his or her duties and performing the tasks approved by the District. However, a person may be held liable for an act or omission that involves intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of the law.
5. Either party may end this Agreement at any time by sending written notice to the other party.

ALBERT LEA PARKS & RECREATION DISTRICT

ORGANIZATION

By _____

BY _____

Date _____

Date _____

**City of Albert Lea
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**Adopt a Park or Trail
Application Form**

Organization Information:

Organization Name _____

Contact Name(s) _____

Title _____ Phone _____

Email Address _____ Fax _____

Mailing Address (address, city and zip)

Approximate Size of Membership _____ Approximate Number of Volunteers _____

Adoption Information:

Name of Preferred Park, Trail Section or Greenbelt _____

Location (intersection or subdivision) _____

Date Available to Start _____ End Date _____

Preferred Time of Day _____

How often can you commit to these days and times (weekly, monthly, seasonally)?

Other information you would like us to know about your organization

**Albert Lea Parks & Recreation District
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Individual Waiver and Release Form**

I verify that, to the best of my knowledge, my physical condition and fitness are adequate for me to safely participate in the Albert Lea Parks & Recreation District's Adopt a Park or Trail program and that no physician or any other qualified individual has advised me against participating in the Adopt a Park or Trail program in similar activities.

I understand that I am participating in this program on a purely voluntary basis and I agree to take safety precautions to protect myself from injury.

I understand that I will not be held personally liable for a claim based on something that I did or did not do, as long as I am acting within the scope of my duties and performing the tasks approved by Albert Lea Parks & Recreation District. I also understand that I may be held liable for an act or omission that involves intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of the law.

I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Albert Lea Parks & Recreation District, its officers and employees and defend against all claims brought or actions filed, for any and all claims, suits, actions, debts, damages, costs, charges, and expenses including court cost and attorney's fees, and against all liability, losses and damages of any nature whatsoever, including but not limited to property damage and personal injury, including death resulting at any time there from, arising from any alleged acts of negligence, either active or passive, or the participant or any person acting on his/her/its behalf arising from the activities which are the subject of this contact.

Parent or legal guardian must sign for participants who are under 18 years of age.

Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

If you have any doubts about your physical capacity for participating in any of the scheduled activities, you should discuss this with your physician.