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| Volunteer Application**for Natural Resources Agencies** | Instructions: Mark **🗹** in the appropriate boxes**,** for other items either print or type responses. If extra space is needed use item 18. |
| 1. Name (Last, First, Middle)       | 2. Age    | 3. Telephone Number (   )     -      | 4. Email Address      |
| 5. Street Address (include apartment no., if any)       | 6. City, State, and Zip Code      |
| 7. Which general volunteer work categories are you most interested in? |
|  [ ]  Archeology  [ ]  Botany  [ ]  Campground Host  [ ]  Construction Maintenance  [ ]  Computers  [ ]  Conservation Education [ ]  Fish/Wildlife  | [ ]  Historical/ Preservation[ ]  Pest/Disease Control [ ]  Minerals/ Geology [ ]  Natural Resources Planning [ ]  Office/Clerical [ ]  Range/Livestock [ ]  Research/Librarian  | [ ]  Soil/ Watershed[ ]  Timber/Fire Prevention[ ]  Trail/Campground Maintenance[ ]  Tour Guide/Interpretation[ ]  Visitor Information[ ]  Other (Please specify)       |
| 8. What qualifications/skills/experience/education do you have that you would like to use in your volunteer work? |
|  [ ]  Backpacking/Camping  [ ]  Biology  [ ]  Boat Operation  [ ]  Carpentry  [ ]  Clerical/Office Machines  [ ]  Computer Programming  [ ]  Drafting/Graphics  [ ]  Driver’s License  [ ]  First Aid Certificate  [ ]  Hand/Power Tools  | [ ]  Heavy Equipment Operation [ ]  Horses – Care/ Riding [ ]  Landscaping/Reforestation [ ]  Land Surveying [ ]  Livestock/Ranching [ ]  Map reading [ ]  Mountaineering [ ]  Photography [ ]  Public Speaking [ ]  Research/Librarian  | [ ]  Sign Language [ ]  Supervision[ ]  Other Trade skills (Please specify)      [ ]  Teaching[ ]  Working with People[ ]  Writing/Editing[ ]  Other (Please specify)        |
| 9. Based on boxes checked in items 7 and 8, what particular type of volunteer work would you like to do? (Please describe any specific qualifications, skills, experience, or education that apply)       |
| 1. Are you a United States Citizen? [ ]  Yes [ ]  No (If no, additional information may be required)
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| 1. a. Have you volunteered before? [ ]  Yes [ ]  No

b. If Yes, please briefly describe your volunteer experience.       |
| 1. Would you like to supervise other volunteers? [ ]  Yes [ ]  No
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| 1. What are some of your objectives for working as a volunteer? (Optional)

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| 1. Please specify any physical limitations that may influence your volunteer work activities:

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| 1. a. Which months would you be available for volunteer work?
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| [ ]  January [ ]  July  | [ ]  February [ ]  August  | [ ]  March [ ]  September  | [ ]  April [ ]  October  | [ ]  May [ ]  November  | [ ]  June [ ]  December |
| 15b. How many hours per week would you be available for volunteer work? Hours    15c. Which days per week would you be available for volunteer work?[ ]  Monday [ ]  Tuesday [ ]  Wednesday [ ]  Thursday [ ]  Friday [ ]  Saturday [ ]  Sunday  |
| 1. Specify at least three states or specific locations within a state where you would like to do volunteer work.

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| 1. Specify your lodging needs:

[ ]  I will furnish my own lodging (such as tent; camper; own, relative’s, or friend’s place)[ ]  I will require assistance in finding lodging |
| 1. If a volunteer assignment is not available at the location specified in item 16, do you want your application forwarded to another location or Federal agency seeking volunteers with your background/interests?

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No (Please specify)       |
| 1. This is provided for more detailed responses. Please indicate the item numbers to which these responses apply:

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| 1. Signature (Sign in ink)
 | 20. Date      |