



GREATER EAST AUSTIN YOUTH ASSOCIATION VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Please e-mail this completed form to "denise36200@aol.com"

Name _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Email Address: _____ (Best) Phone: _____ (Alt) Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Have you ever been convicted of a violation or attempted violation of Section 243.4 of the Penal Code, a sex offense against a minor, or of any felony, which requires registration pursuant to Section 290 of the Penal Code? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, what/when? _____

References (Two persons not related to you):

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Name: _____ Phone: _____

How did you become interested in the volunteer program? _____

Previous Volunteer Experience: _____

Special Skills, Talents and Languages: _____ Certifications and/ or Licenses Held: _____

Availability: Monday AM ____ PM ____ Tuesday AM ____ PM ____ Wednesday AM ____ PM ____ Thursday AM ____ PM ____
 Friday AM ____ PM ____ Saturday AM ____ PM ____ Sunday AM ____ PM ____

VOLUNTEER INTERESTS

Sports Interests: Coaching _____ Asst. Coaching _____ Team Assistant _____ Team Mom _____ Team Mom Assistant _____ Other _____

Programs : Football _____ Basketball _____ Cheerleading _____ Baseball _____ Softball _____ Other _____

Additional Programs: Tutoring _____ Concession _____ Sports Clinics _____ Camps _____ Other _____

Projects: Fundraising Events _____ Banquets _____ Festivals _____ Other _____

Assignments Preferred: _____



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Do you have any limitations related to health or physical ability? If so, please explain. **Note:** You do **not** need to reveal private health information, only the work limitations relevant to voluntary assignments: _____

Please read carefully. Your initial on each line indicates agreement.

_____ I understand that an appointment to a high-risk volunteer position requires that I provide three references and acquire a Police Background Records Check as part of the screening process.

_____ I understand that in accepting a volunteer position, I am committing myself to act in compliance with the beliefs, values, policies and processes of the G.E.A.Y.A. and the Juneteenth Board.

_____ I have received a copy of the committee description and guidelines for the position and understand the responsibilities associated with it. I am aware of the policies that affect the G.E.A.Y.A. and the Juneteenth Board.

_____ I understand that training and accountability are key support for my position. Therefore, I will attend training, as required by the position, and meet regularly with the Chairperson responsible for the Subcommittee to which I am being appointed.

_____ I know that the G.E.A.Y.A and the Juneteenth Board will maintain a file of persons filling medium and high-risk positions.

_____ This information is private and will be kept in a secure location. Upon request, I shall be given access to that information and be able to challenge the accuracy and completeness of the information and have it amended as appropriate.

Criminal History Record Check Waiver and Agreement and Statement

Due to the well-being and safety of the children and families we serve, Greater East Austin Youth Association (G.E.A.Y.A.) and the Juneteenth Board performs criminal background checks on adult volunteers. G.E.A.Y.A. deems it necessary and advisable as a matter of policy to reserve the right to disqualify and prohibit any person from serving as a volunteer, including one who has been arrested for, convicted of, been on probation for, or received deferred adjudication for any criminal conduct. The right to disqualify applies to any criminal conduct regardless of whether (a) the criminal charges were subsequently dropped and the applicant was never prosecuted for the crime charged, or (b) the criminal charges resulted in a nonconviction such as probation, or (c) the criminal conviction was subsequently expunged from the applicant's record as the result of appropriate legal proceedings.

I hereby authorize GEAYA and or its Service Provider to request and receive any and all background information about or concerning me, including but not limited to my Criminal History under the Fair Credit Reporting Act, 15U.S.C. 1681 I authorize G.E.A.Y.A. or any of its components to make reference checks relating to my volunteer services. I understand that this information will be used to determine my eligibility as a volunteer with the G.E.A.Y.A.

The criminal history, as received from the reporting agencies, may include arrest and conviction data as well as plea bargains and deferred adjudications and delinquent conduct as committed as a juvenile. I understand that this information will be used, in part, to determine my eligibility for a volunteer position with this organization. I also understand that as long as I remain a volunteer here, the criminal history check may be repeated at any time. I understand that I will have an opportunity to review the criminal history as received by client/agency and a procedure is available for clarification, if I dispute the record as received. I also understand that the criminal history could contain information presumed to be expunged.

I further release and discharge G.E.A.Y.A., the Juneteenth Board and their Service Providers and all of their Subsidiaries, Affiliates, Officers, Employees, Contract Personnel, Volunteers or Associates, from and all claims and liability arising out of any request for information or records pursuant to this authorization procurement of an investigative consumer report and understand that it may contain information about my character, general reputation, personal characteristics, and mode of living, whichever are applicable.

I understand that I have the right to make a written request within a reasonable period of the time to G.E.A.Y.A. for additional information concerning the nature and scope of the investigation. I acknowledge that I have voluntarily provided the above information for volunteer purposes, and I have carefully read and understand this authorization.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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