VOLUNTEER CANDIDATE FORM

Date:______________________

Candidates under the age of 18 must include the signature of a parent or guardian at the end of this form. Please check here whether you at least 18 years old:  ____ Yes  ____ No

If no, please give your date of birth: _____________________

Name: ______________________________________________________________________________________

Last                      First                      Middle

Address: ____________________________________________________________________________________

Street                          City                          State                          ZIP

Phone: __________________________  Email address:________________________________________________

Contact Person (in case of emergency): __________________________________________________________

Contact’s Phone Number: _____________________________  Relation to You: _________________________

TIME COMMITMENT: How many hours are you looking to volunteer?

Do you have a medical condition or mobility restriction that would limit your ability to perform certain tasks without reasonable accommodation?  Yes ____  No _____

If yes, please discuss with the volunteer coordinator.

CRIMINAL HISTORY INFORMATION:  Some volunteer assignments at the Austin Public Library may require more detailed criminal history information and/or formal background checks. You will be notified if further information is required. A conviction does not automatically disqualify you from all volunteer positions.
If you are age 18 or over, have you ever been convicted for a violation of the law other than a minor traffic offense?  ____ No  ____ Yes (If yes, please discuss with the volunteer coordinator.)
I certify that all statements made on this form are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand these statements are subject to verification. I understand that falsification of this application will disqualify me from selection or may result in dismissal.

I understand that I will not be paid for my services as a volunteer, and I am giving my time freely to the Austin Public Library.

I hereby apply to volunteer at the Austin Public Library. I understand that if I am accepted, I will be expected to follow a mutually acceptable schedule and to notify the Library in advance if I am unable to volunteer as scheduled. I also understand that I will be expected to perform my assigned tasks in a businesslike and efficient manner. I agree to attend required training sessions for volunteers, to accept guidance from contact staff and maintain a good working relationship with the library employees and other volunteers. I will comply with library policies and established procedures.

_______________________________________________  ________________________
Signature of Candidate                          Date

IF VOLUNTEER IS UNDER THE AGE OF 18, SIGNATURE OF A PARENT/GUARDIAN IS REQUIRED:

Parent/Guardian: ________________________________  First                      Middle
Last                                                   

_______________________________________________  ________________________
Signature of Parent Guardian                          Date

Home Phone: ___________________________ Other (work/cell): ___________________________

Email address: __________________________________

Thank you for your interest in volunteering at the Austin Public Library! You may return this form in person or by mail to:

Austin Public Library
Volunteer Program
323 4th Avenue NE
Austin, MN 55912

Phone: 507-433-2391
Email: volunteer@aplmn.org
Website: www.austinpubliclibrary.org

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