



Parks and Recreation
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Adopt-the-Red Agreement

*Volunteer Once in Spring and Fall
May/June or September/October*

River Reach I would like to Adopt: _____

My Name: _____

Address: _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Please recognize my efforts as: _____

(ex: Smith Family, Bill and Sue Johnson, Arbor Park Neighbors, Neighborhood, Church Youth Group)

The City of Moorhead is allowed to recognize volunteer names/groups on the City Website/publications.

Organizers or Group Leader Responsibilities:

- Bring a first aid kit.
- Encourage participants to carry a cell phone.
- Plan a car pool to clean up site. (Park one car at the beginning and one at the end)
- Do not attempt to remove homeless sites or suspected toxic/hazardous substances, needles, sharp objects or objects too heavy or large to move – note approximate location on the and notify Public Works.
- Be prepared to move out of way of bicyclists, in-line skaters and pedestrians on the recreational paths.
- Do NOT enter the Red River from land to pick up trash.
- Watch footing when close to river, on steep or muddy banks, or near dams.
- Avoid Poison Ivy. (Leaves of three let them be)
- Leave full garbage bags alongside the road, trail or garbage cans for park maintenance to pick up.
- Discontinue work in inclement weather, especially in times of reduced visibility, during electrical storms, and during other daylight conditions.
- Avoid over exertion, drink plenty of water especially on warm, humid days.
- Volunteers under the age of 18 must be supervised by a responsible adult.
- Recommend wearing long pants, shoes or boots (no open toes or sandals), and sunscreen/ bug repellent.
- Suggested ratio: 1 adult to 10 youth (ages 12 and under)

Contact Public Works, 700 15th Ave N, Moorhead, at 218.299.5422 to:

- Schedule your pick up time to get garbage bags, safety vests and disposable gloves.
- Call when clean- up is completed so staff can promptly pick up garbage bags the following day.

Volunteer Coordinator Contact Information:

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Thank you again for your involvement in keeping out river corridors clean!