

Adopt-A-Park Program Application

Date: _____

Name of Group Participating: _____

Name of Group Supervisor : _____

Phone # of Group Supervisor: _____ **Email:** _____

Name of a Secondary Contact Person: _____

Phone # of Primary Contact: _____ **Email:** _____

Name of Park (or City Sign) Requested: _____

Number of Years of Participation (minimum of one year): _____

How many times is your group able to coordinate clean up at the park? (A minimum of 5 times is required per summer/fall months, starting in at the May Recycle Day) _____

Please list the names of known participants within your group (each participant must sign a waiver form contained in this packet):

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Adopt-A-Park Program Agreement

The _____ group (“Group”) wish to adopt _____ Park (or city sign) in order to participate in Minnetrista’s Adopt-A-Park program. As such, we agree to the following terms and conditions, set forth below:

1. The undersigned party agrees that they will accept responsibility to clean up the above stated park a minimum of 5 times during the months of May through October, including participation in the May Recycle Day;
2. The undersigned party agrees to commit a minimum of one year to such activities;
3. The Group Supervisor shall coordinate clean-up days and landscaping or tree installation with the city planning department and shall notify of the city of the clean-up day when garbage pick-up is needed;
4. The Group shall provide themselves with all necessary trash bags, tools, or landscaping materials to be used within the park, and any such landscaping will become the property of the city;
5. The Group agrees to work only daylight hours and in appropriate weather;
6. The Group agrees to wear protective clothing including work gloves, sturdy shoes, long sleeved shirts and pants to prevent injury from objects, insects, sunburn, and poison ivy;
7. The Group agrees to not overexert themselves, drink plenty of water, and take breaks, as needed;
8. The Group agrees to provide adequate supervision of participants under the age of 18.
9. The Group agrees to avoid hazardous areas such as busy roads, parking lots, boat accesses, construction sites, and areas where mowing or other maintenance activities are in progress;
10. The Group agrees to use caution in handling collected trash items, not to crush collected items or pick up broken, jagged or hazardous items that could cause injury, and to notify city staff of these items.

The undersigned does hereby adopt the agreement by and between the City of Minnetrista and _____ (“Group”) this the ____ day of _____, 20____.

Group Supervisor Signature

City of Minnetrista Representative

Adopt A Park Liability Waiver

This waiver must be signed by each person participating in the Minnetrista Adopt-A-Park program. If the participant is under age 18, this waiver must be signed by the participant's parent or guardian.

Participant's name

Participant's group

I intend to participate in the Minnetrista Adopt-A-Park program either individually or with an assigned group. I agree that my participation is voluntary and that I am not entitled to payment for any services rendered.

I understand that participation involves actual maintenance of public spaces and acknowledge the possible risks involved with the nature of the work. I have read and I agree to comply with the Program Agreement signed by the group leader, including the safety guidelines contained therein.

I agree that the City of Minnetrista shall not be liable for any claims, injuries, damage, or causes of action incurred by me as a result of my participation in the Adopt-A-Park program. I also agree to waive and hold harmless the City of Minnetrista, its officials, employees, and agents from and against, any and all claims, injuries, damages, and all causes of action of any nature incurred by me arising out of my participation in the Adopt-A-Parks program. This includes any injuries or other claims that may result from the condition of the City of Minnetrista property where services are rendered.

Signature of Participant or
Minor Participant Parent or Guardian

Date