



PARTICIPANT INFORMATION & PLEDGE FORM

About Us:

As the only nonprofit agency focused specifically on volunteerism in Boulder County, Volunteer Connection connects community members with community needs. Our mission is to engage and connect people as volunteers to service and nonprofit agencies with volunteer opportunities and strengthen these organizations through resources, training and education in Boulder County.

About **I Volunteer! Day**

I Volunteer! Day takes place each year in conjunction with National Volunteer Week, Earth Day and Arbor Day. This year's event is on Saturday, April 25th. This event epitomizes what Volunteer Connection has been doing for 40 years - connecting community members with community needs.

Volunteer Connection's annual **I Volunteer! Day** is a Serve-A-Thon; a county-wide celebration of service engaging hundreds of volunteers at numerous project sites throughout Boulder County. It is Volunteer Connection's primary fundraiser. This event provides an opportunity for individuals, families, groups, businesses and corporations to get out into their communities, learn about various nonprofit and government agencies that serve Boulder County and give something back; while having a great time and supporting the year round efforts of Volunteer Connection.

Serve-A-Thon & Pledge Details

Volunteers are asked to make a minimum pledge of just \$20 per participant for participation in our **I Volunteer! Day** event. Secure your pledge by inviting others to sponsor your 4 hour day of service on April 25th. Sponsors may include friends, family members, teachers/professors, co-workers, business connections, fellow congregants, and/or anyone else in your "sphere of influence." Pledges made in support of just four hours of your volunteer efforts will make a lasting impact. Each dollar will help support Volunteer Connection's year round efforts to connect community members with community needs. Please join in Volunteer Connection's most important fundraiser of the year!

Celebrate your Accomplishments

Volunteers and participating agencies are invited to gather for an afternoon party to celebrate their accomplishments, share experiences of the day, and enjoy food & drink. Winners who collected the most pledges will be announced.

I Volunteer! Day Schedule of Events

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| 8:00 – 8:30am | Check-in at Project Site, Welcome by Volunteer Connection Ambassador, Introduction to Agency and Its work; Explanation of Project |
| 8:30 – Noon | Project Work |
| Immediately After Project Completion | I Volunteer! Day Awards Picnic |

6th Annual

I VOLUNTEER! DAY APRIL 25, 2009



I am participating in Volunteer Connection's **I Volunteer! Day** Serve-A-Thon on Saturday, April 25. My four hours of volunteering will help complete much needed work at a local community service agency or nonprofit organization here in Boulder County. The funds I raise will support volunteerism throughout 2009.

| Sponsor | Phone | Email address | Pledge Per Hour | Total Hours | Amount Collected |
|-----------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------|------------------|
| Friend's Name | xxx.xxx.xxxx | xxx@xxx.xxx | \$5 | 4 | \$20 |
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| Total Collected | | | | | \$ |

Please make checks payable to "Volunteer Connection." Cash welcomed. Pledges should be given to the Volunteer Connection Ambassador at your assigned project site on April 25th. You may use this form for tax deductible donations or ask for a receipt at project sites. Please accept our gift to you, an **I Volunteer! Day** t-shirt, as our show of appreciation for your participation and the commitment you have made to volunteerism. And join us for a post-event celebration party taking place immediately after completing your project.

Please include this information with your pledges:

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| Name: | |
| Address: | |
| Phone #: | |
| Email address: | |
| Should your pledge be eligible for an employer match, please provide employer information: | |
| Employer Name: | |
| Employer Phone #: | |
| Employer Address: | |

Volunteer Connection is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization; all donations are tax deductible to the extent of the law. Our tax identification number is 74-2308415. **Thank You!**

Questions?

Visit us at www.volunteerconnection.net

Call us at **303-444-4904**

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