

VOLUNTEER CAMPGROUND HOSTS

The Gogebic County Forestry and Parks Commission is seeking applicants for a volunteer campground host for our Lake Gogebic County Park located on beautiful Lake Gogebic at N8598 State Hwy M-64, Marenisco, Michigan 49947. In exchange, camping fees are waived. Each volunteer campground host is responsible for 15-20 hours of service work per week such as answering camper inquiries and performing light park maintenance duties.

SELECTION PROCESS

Campground hosts are required to fill all applicable documents. Campground hosts will be selected based on availability, familiarity of camping and county parks, special skills and knowledge of the area.

ELIGIBILITY

- Both individuals and couples may apply.
- Must be 18 or older and provide your own camping equipment, food, and other personal items.
- Ability to work at least 4 days per week including weekends (totaling 15-20 hours per week)
- Must be available for a minimum of 30 days. (Positions available May 13 thru October 2, 2022)
- Must receive a favorable criminal background check.

HOW TO APPLY

Complete the application documents below and email or mail to the Gogebic County Forestry and Parks Commission office.

ahamel@gogebiccountymi.gov

Gogebic County Forestry & Parks Commission
CAMPGROUND HOST POSITION
500 North Moore Street
Bessemer, MI 49911





GOGEBIC COUNTY FORESTRY & PARKS COMMISSION

VOLUNTEER CAMPGROUND HOST APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION				Co-APPLICANT INFORMATION			
Applicant's Name			Retired? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Co-Applicant's Name			Retired? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Address				Address			
City, State, ZIP				City, State, ZIP			
Telephone		Date of Birth	Driver License Number	Telephone		Date of Birth	Driver License Number
Email			T-Shirt Size	Email			T-Shirt Size
Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, when? _____				Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, when? _____			
List names of family members who will reside full time on the campsite: _____							
Will any pets reside with you? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, what kind? <input type="checkbox"/> Dogs <input type="checkbox"/> Cats <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ How Many? _____							
Have you served as a Volunteer Host before? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, where? _____ Dates Served: _____							
Have you completed campground host training? If yes, when? _____							
What kind of camping equipment will you use? <input type="checkbox"/> Tent <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Home <input type="checkbox"/> Trailer/Camper Length of Unit: _____							
List dates you would be available to serve as Volunteer Campground Host(s): Available From _____ To _____ Available From _____ To _____							
List any special interests and/or talents that can help you in carrying out your host duties. _____							
PERSONAL REFERENCES (please list two)							
Name _____				Name _____			
Address _____				Address _____			
City, State, ZIP _____				City, State, ZIP _____			
Telephone _____		Relationship _____		Telephone _____		Relationship _____	
EMERGENCY CONTACT							
Person's Name (not living with you) to be notified _____						Telephone _____	

Please read the following conditions of employment and sign below:

I/we will reside during my agreement period as campground host in the Gogebic County Park to which I have been assigned.

I/we will stay at the facility for the convenience of the Gogebic County Forestry & Parks Commission.

I/we will accept residence arrangements established by my assigned facility as a condition of my being accepted to perform volunteer services as a campground host.

I/we understand that this agreement can be terminated at any time by either party in writing and that past volunteer status does not obligate Gogebic County Forestry and Parks Commission to place me as a Campground Host in the future.

I/we understand that I may not be entitled to workers' compensation or liability protection.

I/we understand that all the information I have willfully provided on this application is required under the authority of the Gogebic County Forestry and Parks Commission for the safety and well being of all persons who utilize public campground facilities and that this information will become public record. I understand that a criminal history check may be obtained prior to my appointment as a campground host. I agree to perform the minimum required activities. I certify that this information is complete and true.

I/we agree to abide by Commission Policy, State and Federal laws which prohibit discrimination in employment, education, housing, public accommodations; law enforcement or public service based on religion, race, color, national origin, age, sex, marital status, height, weight, or disability.

I/we certify that I have read, understand, and have signed the Gogebic County Indemnification Agreement.

I/we further certify that I have read, understand and agree to abide by the Campground Host employment conditions as set forth in this agreement.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Co-applicant's Signature

Date

Director's Signature

Date

Campground Location

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:

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INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

The volunteer agrees to protect, indemnify and save harmless the Gogebic County Forestry and Parks Commission and the County of Gogebic and their agents, servants and employees from and against all causes of action, claims, demands, suits, liability or expense by reason of loss or damage to any property or bodily injury to any person, including death, as a direct or indirect result of the identified use or uses of this county park in connection with any action or omission of the volunteer, who shall defend the Gogebic County Forestry and Parks Commission or any of its employees in any such cause of actions or claims.

Applicant Signature/Date

Co-Applicant Signature/Date

Director of Forestry and Parks Signature/Date

**Gogebic County Forestry & Parks Commission
Criminal Background Check Waiver Form**

I hereby give the Gogebic County Forestry and Parks Commission (GCFPC) permission to obtain information relating to my criminal history record. The criminal history record, as received from reporting agencies, may include arrest and conviction data as well as a plea-bargaining and deferred adjudication. I understand that this information will be used, in part to determine my eligibility for employment with the GCFPC. I understand that I will have an opportunity to view the criminal history, and a procedure is available for clarification, if I dispute the record as received. The information received will remain confidential and only the Forestry and Parks Commission will be party to this information. This information is for internal use only and will not be released to anyone outside of the GCFPC.

I, the undersigned, do release, discharge and hold harmless GCFPC from all causes of action, suits, liabilities, costs, claims and any related legal fees resulting from investigation of my background. The following is my true and complete legal name and all information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Print: Last First M.I.

(Maiden Name or Other Names Used)

Present Address How Long?

City/State Zip Code

Former Address How Long?

City/State Zip Code

Date of Birth Social Security/Insurance Number

Driver's License Number State/Province of Issue

Have you ever been convicted of a crime? Yes No

What was the nature of the offense? _____

Are there any criminal charges pending against you? _____

Applicant Signature Date