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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
VOLUNTEERS-IN-PARKS PROGRAM

GATE-Jamaica Bay Unit

AREA

Agreement for Sponsored Voluntary Services

NAME OF SPONSOR, ORGANIZATION, OR EVENT

ADDRESS (Street, city, state, zip code)

CONTACT PERSON (Liaison for day-to-day operations)

WORK TELEPHONE (Including area code)

HOME TELEPHONE (Including area code)

Brief description of work to be performed, including minimum time commitment required. (Attach complete job description to this form)

Provide hands-on support for the scientific, educational, and operational aspects of the Jamaica Bay Bioblitz. Activities may include, but are not limited to assisting with data collection in the field, laboratory analysis, educational activities, public outreach, participant registration, commissary coordination, event photography, parking, site set-up and/or clean-up, equipment inventory, and data entry. During the course of the event, volunteers may use the following tools - binoculars, GPS units, digital cameras, computers, kitchen appliances, brooms, microscopes, shovels, and other small hand tools or field equipment. Basic training and guidance will be provided by team leaders and project personnel. Volunteers should wear long pants and closed toe shoes in the field and must agree to handle living organisms collected during the project with extreme care. Volunteers should be prepared to walk for extended periods of time over uneven terrain and work outdoors during inclement weather. It is recommended that volunteers bring sunscreen, a hat, water, and bug repellent.

All work is to be accomplished between the hours of 3PM on Friday, September 11 and 3PM on Saturday, September 12, 2009.

Photos of volunteer activities may be taken during the event and used for park publications. If you require restricted use of your photo, please contact the Event Director at registration so that your request can be noted.

We agree to obtain parental or guardian consent for each individual under 18 years of age and to comply with applicable child labor laws. We understand that the individuals volunteering under this agreement will not receive any compensation for the above work and that they will NOT be considered to be Federal employees for any purpose other than tort claims and injury compensation, and we understand that volunteer service is not creditable for leave accrual or any other employee benefits. We also understand that either the National Park Service, or we, may cancel this agreement at any time by notifying the other party. We agree to provide the National Park Service with a listing of active participants, and the number of hours each contributed, when and as requested.

Signature

Date

The National Park Service agrees, while this arrangement is in effect, to provide such materials, equipment and facilities that are

available and needed to perform the work described above, and to consider you as a Federal employee only for the purpose of tort claims and compensation for work related injuries.

Signature of Park VIP Coordinator

Date

TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

Agreement Terminated on _____
Month, Day, Year

Signature of Park VIP Coordinator