

Permission Form For Minors

Dear Parent or Guardian:

Your child has expressed interest in supporting the efforts of Woodbury for Justice and Equality by volunteering their time or joining as a member. With your permission, we would love to welcome them to the team.



Woodbury for Justice and Equality was founded in June 2020 by residents of Woodbury, Minnesota in response to the murder of George Floyd in May 2020. Our mission is to learn about systemic inequalities and racial injustices in our community in order to seek solutions to change the status quo. Our Vision is to have a Woodbury where everyone has an equal opportunity and feels welcomed. Please check out our website, woodbury4je.com to see examples of our work.

We do have an online social media presence for informational purposes, but most of our work is done in person through committee meetings, monthly core team meetings, and community events. Our main internal communication tool is WhatsApp and we post information to the wider community primarily through NextDoor and Facebook but are expanding to Instagram and X. All of our meetings are held in public, usually at Jerry's Foods, the R.H. Stafford Library in Central Park, or at Stonemill Farms Park.

We operate with integrity and with the safety of all members in mind. Membership to the group is free-will and we do not collect any membership dues. We fully understand that for students, school and family come first. There will always be at least two adults meeting with any minors* and we will meet only in public spaces. All minors must find their own transportation to and from meetings and events. No adult group members will transport minors. When meetings conclude, everyone leaves and no group member will be responsible for waiting with those who have yet to be picked up, so please make arrangements accordingly.

And finally, all parents and guardians are also welcome to attend any meeting or event with their minors at any time. We are always looking for more volunteers. Please reach out with any questions or concerns to our group email, w4jande@gmail.com, or directly to our President, Walter Dobgima at wdobgima80@gmail.com. We look forward to working with your child and appreciate your support.

**minor meaning anyone under age 18*

Please mark one of the following...

- I hereby give permission to my child, _____, (please print child's name) to participate in the work of Woodbury for Justice and Equality.
- I DO NOT give permission to my child, _____, (please print child's name) to participate in the work of Woodbury for Justice and Equality.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

Relationship to Child

Phone Number

In case of Emergency, please contact:

Name (Please print)

Phone Number