

# VOLUNTEER APPLICATION



## Personal Information

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Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_

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Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ County/Parish \_\_\_\_\_

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Preferred Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Are you volunteering as part of a group? If yes, which one? \_\_\_\_\_

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## Select the type of activities you wish to participate in. (Opp's = Opportunities)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Advocacy                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Graphics Design                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Photography                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Habitat/Biodiversity                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Project Planning              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Board Member (age 18+)                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing   | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Speaking/Presentations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Media Relations                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Research                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Related<br>(programming, website) | <input type="checkbox"/> Nature Education                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Opp's (age 55+)        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising Team Member                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Nature Literacy                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Special Events                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Grant Writing Team Member                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Office Work (data-entry, filing,<br>special projects) | <input type="checkbox"/> Writing and Editing           |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  |  | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Opp's (under age 18)    |

If you know the name of the specific opportunity(ies) (like IceWatch USA, Watch the Wild, Senior Environment Corps, Turtle Ambassador) you are interested in, please list it here: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Skills & Knowledge

Please list any specific skills you feel would help you as a volunteer for **Nature Abounds**.

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## Background

Have you ever been convicted of a crime excluding misdemeanors and summary offenses? Yes No

If yes, please describe in full \_\_\_\_\_

## Reference

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Organization (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

## Statement of Volunteer Commitment and Release

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I certify the statements made in this volunteer application are true and correct, and have been given voluntarily. I authorize Nature Abounds to verify, in whole or in part, any information provided on this application. I understand that this information may be disclosed to any party with legal and proper interest, and I release Nature Abounds from any liability whatsoever for supplying such information. Furthermore, I recognize my right, as a volunteer, to discontinue my service at any time and for any reason. I also understand that Nature Abounds, reserves the right to discontinue my volunteer relationship. Additionally, I understand and agree that I shall not expect to receive any form of payment, including cash (wages), food, clothing, or shelter for talents and services I contribute to Nature Abounds.

Likewise, I acknowledge that my activities as a volunteer may expose me to risks and dangers too numerous to describe, and that I am aware of the nature of the risks and dangers. I voluntarily assume all of the risks and dangers inherent in such undertakings.

Also, I agree that photographs taken of me by Nature Abounds, its agents or other third parties may be used by Nature Abounds for purposes that support Nature Abounds' mission. I give Nature Abounds, including its partner organizations, the right to use, publish, display, copy, modify, and distribute such images at any time, in any manner or medium now existing or later discovered, including without limitation use in print, Internet, television, and mailed promotions. Likewise, Nature Abounds may publish the images with quotations provided or submitted by me. I agree that Nature Abounds does not need my consent or approval of finished products, copy, or other matter used in connection with the images, or the use to which the images might be applied.

I have read this document and understand it. My submission to the terms of this Agreement is my free and voluntary act and deed, and I acknowledge that this Agreement shall be binding upon myself and my heirs, and legal representatives. I have the right and ability to enter into this Agreement, and to grant the rights and furnish all images submitted by me pursuant to this Agreement. I am eighteen years of age or older, and, if acting on behalf of a minor, have every right to contract for the minor in the above regard.

Signature of Volunteer \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Signature of Parent or Guardian (if under 18 years old) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Please return this form to **Nature Abounds** at:  
If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at:

**MAIL TO:**  
Nature Abounds  
PO Box 12752  
Olympia, WA 98508

**EMAIL or WEBSITE**  
volunteer@NatureAbounds.org  
www.NatureAbounds.org

*Thank you for your interest in **Nature Abounds**! We will be in touch with you to help find a volunteer placement that meets your special skills.*

# Nature Abounds - "I'm Volunteering" Kit \$24.99

Start the "I'm volunteering" conversation with your friends and family by wearing a Nature Abounds t-shirt or by sporting a car decal. A basic "I'm Volunteering" kit consists of the following:

- one t-shirt (100% organic cotton), either with the "Nature Abounds logo" or with the "Watch the Wild" logo,
- one decal,
- one volunteering identification card

## Step 1 - Choose Your T-shirt

Nature Abounds Logo T-shirt

\_\_\_ off-white

Watch the Wild T-shirt

\_\_\_ off-white

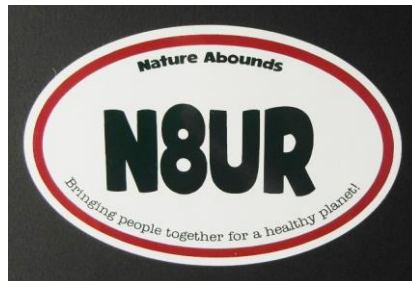
\_\_\_ white



## Step 2 - Choose Your Decal (see choices below)

\_\_\_ N8UR (Nature) decal

\_\_\_ VOL (volunteer) decal



Send check or money order for \$24.99 (includes shipping) to **Nature Abounds, PO Box 12752, Olympia, WA 98508**. Add \$15 for any additional shirt you would like and/or \$5 for any additional decals you would like. If adding anything, make sure to include information pertaining to what you would like.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

\$ 24.99 included for basic "I'm Volunteering" package

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ included for any additional shirts (\$15) or decals (\$5) - \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ included as a donation, showing my support of Nature Abounds.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ **TOTAL INCLUDED** (checks or money order payable to Nature Abounds)

**\*\* Purchases and donations are OPTIONAL. We have provided this information to new volunteers based on feedback from current volunteers.**