



# LAKES REGION CONSERVATION TRUST

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

### **Trail Volunteers**

Trail Volunteers help maintain existing trails, construct new trails, mark trails with blazes and signs, install new kiosks at trailheads, and assist with other needed tasks which ensure that trails will be in good condition for use by visitors to LRCT's conserved properties. Trail Volunteers may choose a single property or trail that they would like to help maintain (see Trail Adopter description) or may volunteer for projects on different properties. The time commitment is completely up to you ... one day a year, one day a month ... this is an area in which we can always use help.

### **Trail Adopters**

With more experience, Trail Volunteers may become Trail Adopters who volunteer to monitor a specific trail on a property, maintain the trail to ensure that it is in good condition for use by visitors, and report larger trail maintenance needs or issues to LRCT. Trail Adopters may be individuals or a group of people (for example: civic groups, service learning classes, hiking clubs, local businesses, or groups of friends). If you'd like to organize a team of Trail Adopters, please let us know.

### **Stewardship Volunteer**

Stewardship Volunteers assist with resource management projects on LRCT's owned properties such as invasive species removal work, habitat restoration projects, recreational access, repairing trailhead kiosks, and much more. The time commitment is completely up to you ... one day a year, one day a month ... this is an area in which we can always use help.

### **Property Adopters**

With more experience, Stewardship Volunteers may become Property Adopters. Each property that LRCT owns has a volunteer Property Adopter who regularly monitors the property, alerts LRCT staff about stewardship issues, and keeps a close watch on the conserved property. Property Adopters maintain trails, identify needed projects, and work diligently to ensure that the protected property is carefully stewarded.

### **Office Volunteers**

Office Volunteers assist with large mailings and other office tasks as needed. Office Volunteers may assist on a particular project or sign up to be called when needs arise.

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**To learn more about the Lakes Region Conservation Trust and to find out about upcoming volunteer opportunities, please visit our website at [www.lrct.org](http://www.lrct.org).**



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## VOLUNTEER INFORMATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Seasonal Address: (Send mail to seasonal address?  No  Yes, from \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Telephone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (for insurance purposes): \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

### Volunteer Interests

Please check the types of volunteer opportunities you are interested in from the following list:

(For more information about each category, please refer to the "Volunteer Opportunities" document.)

**Trail Volunteer** Are you interested in volunteering on one property or trail or volunteering for projects on different properties? Is there a specific trail maintenance task you prefer?  
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**Stewardship Volunteer**

**Office Volunteer**

### Specific Volunteer Skills

#### Stewardship Skills

- Ecological Research
- GPS Skills
- Building Maintenance
- Carpentry/Construction
- Survey Work
- Land Research – registry of deeds, land history, etc.
- Conservation Easement Monitoring
- Operate a Motorized Boat
- Ski Trail Grooming
- Drive a Truck with a Trailer

#### Outreach/Education Skills

- Local History
- Wildlife Tracking
- Ecology
- Photography
- Teaching
- Astronomy
- EMT
- Geology
- Guided Hike Leader
- Guided Paddle Leader
- Interpretive Guide

Please list any additional special skills you have that you have that may be helpful to your LRCT volunteer work:  
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**Please return your completed Volunteer Information Form to:**

Lakes Region Conservation Trust  
PO Box 766, Center Harbor, NH 03226  
or email to: [lrct@lrct.org](mailto:lrct@lrct.org)

***Thank you for your interest in volunteering with the Lakes Region Conservation Trust!***