

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

U.S. Geological Survey

**INDIVIDUAL VOLUNTEER SERVICES AGREEMENT**

1a. Name of Volunteer (print or type)	1b. Social Security No.	1c. Date of Birth
1d. Address (include zip code)	1e. Home Telephone No. (include area code)	
2a. Person to Notify in an Emergency	2b. Relationship to Volunteer	
2c. Address (include zip code)	2d. Telephone No. (include area code)	

3. Agreement by Volunteer: I offer and agree to perform the services described below without compensation to assist the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS), in accord with the following understandings:
- a. I will contribute my services from \_\_\_\_\_ (mm/dd/yyyy) to approximately \_\_\_\_\_ (mm/dd/yyyy).
  - b. The volunteer service will not confer on me the status of a Federal employee; however, while acting within the scope of this Agreement, I am covered under the provisions of the:
    - (1) Federal Tort Claims Act, which protects a Federal employee from liability for injury or damage to others while the employee is acting within the scope of his or her duties, and
    - (2) Federal Employees Compensation Act, which authorizes compensation for work-related injury.
  - c. If I am less than 18 years old, my parent or guardian consents to this agreement by signature below.
  - d. I understand the health and physical conditions requirements for performing services described in item 4 below, and certify that I know of no physical condition or limitation that may adversely affect my ability to perform these services.
  - e. Either I or the USGS may terminate this Agreement at any time by notifying the other party in writing.
  - f. Because volunteers are not Federal employees, their volunteer service will not be creditable for leave accrual, retirement, or other benefit purposes if they later accept a Federal appointment.

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

Signature of Parent  
or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*(If volunteer is under 18)*