



VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Volunteers are the heartbeat of our ministry.

Minimum Requirements

- Two Forms of ID (one must be picture ID) and your Social Security Number
- A one-time, non-refundable fee of \$10 to process applicant's background check
- Completed Application and New Volunteer Orientation
- Reference Checks (to be completed by God's Pit Crew)
- Two Character Witnesses (to be contacted by God's Pit Crew)
- Anyone under 16 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. The parent or guardian must sign a release on the application on behalf of the minor.

God's Pit Crew is honored to have new volunteers who believe in our mission of serving others in their time of need. The safety and well-being of our volunteers take precedence and we appreciate your patience while we process your application for approval. Before becoming an active volunteer, God's Pit Crew, Inc. will conduct a background check and verify work and character reference witnesses. Although having a criminal record may not exclude you from becoming a volunteer, all factors will be considered.

Any applicant with a conviction of a violent crime or a crime of a sexual nature will not be permitted to volunteer at God's Pit Crew.

Contract of Volunteerism *(Note: This is not a contract of employment.)*

As a volunteer, I understand and am aware of the risk associated therewith and voluntarily assume such risk as a volunteer by participation in and aiding God's Pit Crew, Inc. in rendering services to their mission both at 2499 North Main Street, Danville, VA 24540 or various locations off-site. If accepted as a member of this team, I agree to release and discharge the organization and individuals which helped make these arrangements, including God's Pit Crew, their agents, employees, officers and other volunteers from all claims, demands, actions, judgments or executions that I have ever had, or now have, or may have or which my heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns may have or claim to have, against this organization, their agents, employees, officers and other volunteers, and their successors or assigns for all personal injuries, known or unknown and injuries to property, real or personal, caused by, or arising out of this journey.

As a volunteer, I agree to represent God's Pit Crew, Inc. to the highest standard. I realize that I not only represent God's Pit Crew, Inc. but the Lord Jesus Christ and will conduct myself accordingly. I understand that God's Pit Crew, Inc. reserves the right to deny or dismiss my volunteerism at any time for any reason, which would hinder the ministry or unity of God's Pit Crew.

I fully understand that backpacks and/or large bags are not permitted at God's Pit Crew, Inc. and no items shall be removed from the warehouse without permission and required paperwork completed in its entirety. All bags are subject to search with reasonable suspicion.

Confidential information provided by volunteer applicants will be kept in a secured location with limited access by God's Pit Crew staff only.

I have read, understand and agree to the Contract of Volunteerism as well as certify that all information included in my application is true to the best of my knowledge.

Printed Name of Applicant _____ Signature _____ Today's Date _____

For applicants under 16, a signature from a parent or guardian is required.

Printed Name of Applicant _____ Parent or Guardian Signature _____ Today's Date _____

Character Witnesses

Please provide two character witnesses other than family members:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

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Can we contact the two character witnesses provided? _____

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Reference Checks Completed Y N Background Check Completed Y N Approved Not Approved

Authorized Signature: _____



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Personal Information

Full Legal Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Preferred Phone: _____ Email: _____

Official Citizenship: _____

Emergency Contact

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

Work/Volunteer History and Education

Please include both paid and volunteer work experience beginning with most recent

Organization Name: _____ Address: _____

Dates: From _____ to _____ Supervisor Name and Title: _____

Reason for Leaving: _____

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Education

Highest Level of Education Completed: _____ Institution: _____

Are you currently enrolled in school? If so, where? _____

Medical Information

The work of God's Pit Crew volunteers requires the following physical activities: (ie: sitting, standing, lifting, bending, squatting, kneeling, as well as climbing ladders, scaffolding or trusses.) Would you be able to perform all of these physical activities? If not, which of the listed physical requirements would you not perform and what, if any, limits would you place upon your own activities if involved as a volunteer?

Family Physician: _____ Phone: _____

Do you have medical insurance? _____ Company Name: _____ Policy Number: _____

Are you allergic to any medicine? If so, explain: _____



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Please initial next to the area(s) where you feel you can best serve God's Pit Crew

_____ Cleaning	_____ Forklift Operator	_____ Electrical
_____ Grounds/ Maintenance	_____ Wood Working	_____ Construction
_____ Sorting/Separating Product	_____ Vehicle Maintenance	_____ HVAC
_____ Receptionist	_____ Chainsaw Sharpening	_____ Heavy Equipment Operator
_____ Office Duties	_____ Chainsaw Operation	_____ Class A CDL Truck Driver
_____ Photography	_____ Wash/Wax Trucks/Equipment	_____ Disaster Response
_____ Archive/Data Entry	_____ Plumbing	_____ Other: _____

How did you learn about volunteer opportunities at GPC?

In your own words, what do you hope to gain by becoming a GPC Volunteer?

Availability

Please circle all times that you are available to volunteer:

Monday:	Morning	Afternoon	All Day
Tuesday:	Morning	Afternoon	All Day
Wednesday:	Morning	Afternoon	All Day
Thursday:	Morning	Afternoon	All Day
Other:	_____		

Disaster Response

Do you have an interest in participating in disaster response with God's Pit Crew? Teams generally go to a devastated area for several days at a time.

Thank you so much for being willing to serve!



In connection with my application to serve as a volunteer with **God's Pit Crew, Inc.** ("Client"), I understand that a "consumer report" and/or "investigative consumer report", as defined by the Fair Credit Reporting Act, will be requested by Client for volunteer purposes, from Protect My Ministry, Inc., ("Protect My Ministry"), a consumer reporting agency as defined by the Fair Credit Reporting Act. These reports may include information as to my character, general reputation, personal characteristics or mode of living, whichever are applicable. They may involve interviews with sources such as my neighbors, friends or associates. The report may also contain information about me relating to my criminal history, credit history, driving and/or motor vehicle records, social security number verification, verification of education or employment history, worker's compensation or other background checks. Such reports may be obtained at any time after receipt of this Disclosure and Authorization and if I am chosen to serve as a volunteer, throughout the course of my volunteer service, as permitted by law and unless revoked by me in writing. Before any adverse action is taken on the application for volunteerism, a copy of the report received by God's Pit Crew, Inc. will be delivered to the applicant. I understand that I have the right, upon written request made within a reasonable amount time after the receipt of this notice, to request disclosure of the nature and scope of any investigative consumer report to Protect My Ministry, Inc., 14499 N. Dale Mabry Hwy., Suite 201 South, Tampa, FL 33618 or 1-800-319-5581. For information about Protect My Ministry's privacy practices, see www.protectmyministry.com.

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Acknowledgement and Authorization

By signing below, I voluntarily and knowingly authorize Client or its authorized agents to obtain or prepare consumer reports or investigative consumer reports about me. I acknowledge receipt of a copy of *A Summary of Your Rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act* and certify that I have read this Disclosure and Authorization as well as the summary explaining my rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act.

I wish to receive a copy of any report on me that is requested.

TODAY'S DATE _____ Signature _____

LAST NAME _____ FIRST NAME _____ MIDDLE NAME/INITIAL _____

HOME ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ COUNTY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

SSN *(Required)*

D/L or STATE ID

STATE ISSUED

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

For identification purposes only, please provide FULL DOB: _____

Please List All Other Names Used _____

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