

Volunteer Opportunities at Bonneville Lock and Dam



"[We] in America are wiser in using our wealth on projects like this which will give us more wealth, better living and greater happiness for our children."

Franklin D. Roosevelt, Bonneville Dam Dedication, September 28, 1937

Volunteers support the missions of Bonneville Lock and Dam by enhancing visitor experiences and by assisting with natural resource management goals. 1 million visitors per year enjoy fish viewing, tours, hiking, fishing, picnicking and other activities. Volunteer opportunities include:

VISITOR CENTER HOST: Be a part of the team! Greet, orient and answer questions from visitors at an information desk, makes sales in a bookstore, and explain a working navigation lock. Available March 15 – November 15. 2 month commitment required. Teams of two preferred. Six full hook-up sites available. Free Wi-Fi and laundry. Minimum 18 work hours per week.

LOCAL COMMUTER VOLUNTEER: Give back to your community! Conduct interpretive tours of two working powerhouses, staff an information desk, and make sales in a bookstore. Available all year. Reimbursement for mileage may be available.

NATURAL RESOURCE VOLUNTEER: Protect nature! Get involved in environmental projects or invasive species management. Reimbursement for mileage may be available.

COMMUNITY SERVICE VOLUNTEER: Get involved! This would be ideal for those who can only make a short time commitment or for those who need a group project or activity. Activities might include: litter pickup, invasive species management, and environmental stewardship projects.

HOW TO APPLY: Complete the application online at:
<http://www.nwp.usace.army.mil/About/Volunteers.aspx>

Send a completed application to the Volunteer Coordinator at Bonneville Lock and Dam. Cover letters and resumes are optional but encouraged. References may be required. A background check may be conducted.



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