## NR NORTH LITTLE ROOK

## City of North Little Rock Mayor's Office of Volunteer Service

## **Code of Ethics for Volunteers**

As a volunteer, I realize I am subject to a code of ethics similar to that which binds the professionals in the field in which I work. Like them, I assume certain responsibilities and expect to account for what I do in terms of what I am expected to do:

- 1. I will keep confidential matters confidential.
- 2. I interpret "volunteer" to mean that I have agreed to work without compensation in money, but having been accepted as a worker, I expect to do my work according to thesame standards that paid staff are expected to do their work.
- 3. I promise to take to my work an attitude of "open-mindedness"; to be willing to betrained for the job and to bring to it my interest and attention.
- 4. I realize that I may have assets that my co-workers may not have and that I should usethese to enrich any project at which we are working together.
- 5. I realize also, that I may lack assets that my co-workers have, but I will not let this makeme feel inadequate, but will endeavor to assist in developing good teamwork.
- 6. I plan to find out how I can best serve the activity for which I have volunteered, and tooffer as much as I am sure I can give, but no more.
- 7. I realize that I must live up to my promise and therefore, will be careful that myagreement with my job description is so simple and clear that it cannot be misunderstood.
- 8. I believe that my attitude toward volunteer work should be professional. I believe that Ihave an obligation to do my work, to those who direct it, my colleagues, to the public for whom it is done and to the City of North Little Rock, Arkansas.

Volunteer's Name (print)		
Volunteer's Signature	Date	

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