



Adopt - A - Park Program Information

The Adopt-a-Park program is a volunteer supported program that invites citizens to help the Parks and Recreation Department to provide, protect and preserve a Park System that promotes quality recreational, cultural and outdoor experiences for the Boerne community. Through this program a variety of group volunteer opportunities are available.

Volunteers must be able to:

- commit to a minimum of one year of service,
- organize a community based volunteer group,
- provide quarterly reports,
- document volunteer hours and financial contributions or donations

The Parks and Recreation Department will:

- acknowledge adoption with an identification sign after a minimum of 100 hours of service
- confer with volunteers to provide information, options, examples, guidance, support, encouragement
- monitor improvements
- review and consider proposals

Volunteer Opportunities may include (these are examples, other opportunities are available):

- Park/Facility Enhancement (pick up litter, paint furniture, maintain landscaping, beautify facility)
- Education Programs (instructor, guide, mentor, leader for a program, workshop)
- Environmental Protection (remove invasive species and/or re-vegetate areas with native plants, install erosion controls, plant and and/or support a tree planting by installing irrigation, care for existing trees by spreading mulch, monitoring tree conditions, create wildlife habitat)
- Capital Improvements (fund, design, develop and install a park or facility improvement project, i.e. shade structure, picnic table, a trail, erosion control structure, landscaping)

The Adopt-a-Park program is designed to accommodate a variety of needs, budgets and philanthropic goals! Commitment of personnel, facilities, supplies/materials and other requirements will be mutually agreed upon in writing. The application is the first step to getting started, but does not constitute approval to commence work on or for any City parkland. Please submit the Commitment form, Application and Release form to:

Boerne Parks and Recreation
PO Box 1677
Boerne, TX 78006

Or emailed to: bbergmann@ci.boerne.tx.us

Phone: 830-249-9511 Option 5, Option 1

Thank you for your interest in helping make Boerne a greener and better place for our community!