

National Park Service Community Service Learning Community Partner Application for Local and State Board Approval

School District Information

- Name of the School District Initiating this application: **Hope Public Schools**
- Name of the district/school licensed faculty supervisor(s) with whom non-profit/community organizations will be working: **Joan Crowder**

Community Partner Information

- Name of non-profit/ community organization: **President William Jefferson Clinton Birthplace Home National Historic Site**
- Name of Director/ Contact Person: **Michael Simpson, Training Specialist**
- Address: **117 South Hervey St.
Hope AR 71801**
- Phone Number: **870-777-4455**
- Email Address: **michael_g_simpson@nps.gov**
- Hours of operation: **9:00 am - 4:30 pm**
- What is the mission of the non-profit/community organization? **The National Park Service preserves unimpaired the natural and cultural resources and values of the National Park System for the enjoyment, education, and inspiration of this and future generations. The Park Service cooperates with partners to extend the benefits of natural and cultural resource conservation and outdoor recreation throughout this country and the world.**
- What service(s) does the non-profit/community organization provide? **Provide various workshops, programs and tours as well as many outdoor activities.**
- Please describe the volunteer activities students will participate in at the non-profit/community organization:
Ranger Mike Simpson will assist students and coordinate in trash collection on a city street that has been adopted by our schools. Students are also educated in things that can be recycled as well as what needs to be disposed of.

Curriculum Connections to learning goals:

Real world applications:

- Be dependable

Rational and creative thinking:

- Solve problems
- Play different roles in a group

Social Awareness

- Get along with people different from themselves
- Focus on the needs of others

Work Ethics

Take pride in accomplishing a task

- What are the non-profit/community organization procedures and policies to ensure the safety of student volunteers?

Mrs. Crowder will assess the following components:

- Student responsibilities outlined
- Identify Supervisor willing to give guidance
- Training or instruction that needs to be provided
- Safety Issues or concerns and making sure they are addressed
- Student will be treated with courtesy
- Task assigned is personally rewarding to the student

- List any special considerations of the non-profit/community organization: **There are not any special considerations for this non profit/community organization.**

Local School Board approval of this site as a district partner



Signature of school board president



Date of meeting at which site was approved

Return completed application and this form to

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