



PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT AND RELEASE

GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES is a registered charitable non-profit organization, which provides educational programs and activities to promote safety and injury prevention to the city of Grande Prairie, Alberta and the surrounding area. We operate Safety City and welcome volunteers to assist in our efforts to promote awareness of safety and injury prevention.

We may be contacted at: 10318 92 Street, Grande Prairie, Alberta, T8V 5K9
Phone: (780) 402-2818
Email: director@gpsafecommunities.com

The youth volunteer described below ("Youth Volunteer") has requested to volunteer for one or more of GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES' programs or activities and may volunteer for other activities or programs in the future.

Your consent is required to allow such participation on an ongoing basis, however your consent may be withdrawn at any time on written notice delivered to GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES.

It is your responsibility to ensure that you are aware of your child's volunteer activities with GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES. GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES will not contact you about such activities, but will provide information on request to you or any other authorized person as set out below.

Information about the Youth Volunteer and the Parent/Guardian/Other Authorized Person

Full Name of Youth Volunteer: _____

Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____
Month Day Year

Youth Volunteer Email Address: _____

Emergency Contacts:

1. Name of parent/legal guardian/other authorized person: _____

Relationship to Youth Volunteer: _____

(Must be Mother, Father, Legal Guardian or other authorized person)

Phone #s: (Home) _____ - _____ (Work) _____ - _____ (Cell) _____ - _____

Street Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

2. Name of parent/legal guardian/other authorized person: _____

Relationship to Youth Volunteer: _____

(Must be Mother, Father, Legal Guardian or other authorized person)

Phone #s: (Home) _____ - _____ (Work) _____ - _____ (Cell) _____ - _____

Street Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

The parent/legal guardian/other authorized persons provided above may be contacted from time to time for GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES marketing, communication and/or fund development purposes.

Safety and Risk Factors

- GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES strives to maintain a safe environment for volunteer activities and Youth Volunteers are to be provided with an orientation and training appropriate to the volunteer activity.
- Adults supervise the activities after the Youth Volunteer has arrived at the GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES office or other location for the volunteer activity. Supervision is not provided with respect to travel to or from any location and such travel does not form part of the volunteer activity or GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES program unless otherwise advised in writing. Similarly, there is no assured supervision for youth volunteers waiting to be picked-up after the project. GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES will request adult supervisors to stay with the youth as long as they can. The Youth Volunteer will be allowed to take public transit after the project if he or she chooses.
- Further information about safety and risk factors associated with specific volunteer opportunities is available by calling the GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES office at 780-402-2818. It is the responsibility of the parent/legal guardian/other authorized person to inform him or herself about such risk factors and to determine whether the Youth Volunteer will be permitted to participate in a particular activity or program.

Consent and Release

In consideration of the Youth Volunteer being permitted to participate in the volunteer activity or program, the parent/legal guardian/other person authorized to provide consent in respect of the Youth Volunteer hereby:

- consents to participation by the Youth Volunteer in any program or activity of GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES in which he or she chooses to volunteer and agrees on behalf of the Youth Volunteer to assume all risks associated with such activities or programs;
- releases GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES, and its directors, officers, employees, agents, contractors and other volunteers from any damage to property, personal injury or death, action, claim, cost, expense or liability whatsoever that they or the Youth Volunteer have, have had, or may have arising out of or occurring in connection with the Youth Volunteer’s participation in any program or activity of GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES; and
- agrees to indemnify and save harmless GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES, and its directors, officers, employees, agents, contractors and other volunteers from any damage to property, personal injury or death, action, claim, cost, expense or liability whatsoever that any other person has, has had or may have against them arising out of or occurring in connection with the Youth Volunteer’s participation in any program or activity of GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES.

Medical Information (This information is confidential. Collection, use and disclosure of this information will be for the purpose of ensuring the safety of the Youth Volunteer and GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES staff.)

Allergies or other pertinent medical conditions that may be barriers to the Youth Volunteer’s participation in certain activities:

Family Physician: _____ Phone #: _____

Medical Care Authorization

At any time due to such circumstances as accidents or sudden illness, I hereby give permission for emergency medical treatment to be obtained for the Youth Volunteer. I understand that a representative of GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES will attempt to contact me prior to leaving the project/activity site, or upon arriving at the emergency destination, and that I will be responsible for any and all related expenses incurred, including ambulance or taxi costs.

Image Release

The parent/legal guardian/other person authorized to provide consent in respect of the Youth Volunteer hereby consents to the use in any of GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES and/or GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES' partner's publications of the Youth Volunteer's image if contained in any photographs or other media created during GRANDE PRAIRIE AND AREA SAFE COMMUNITIES' programs or activities. Printing your name here provides consent.

Do not sign this document unless you understand what you are signing.

The terms of the above Safety and Risk Factors, Consent and Release, Medical Care Authorization, and the Image Release are hereby agreed to this ____ day of _____, 20___. I confirm that I have read and understood the above terms and that I have the authority to sign this document in respect of the youth volunteer.

Name of Parent/Legal Guardian
or other Authorized Person (print full name)

Name of YOUTH VOLUNTEER (print full name)

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian
or other Authorized Person

Witness (print full name)

Signature of Witness