

Volunteer Position Description

PHOTOGRAPHER

Larimer County Department of Natural Resources
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Position Overview:

Volunteer Photographers donate their time and talents to capture scenic and recreational shots of our parks and open spaces, as well as to help document volunteer activities, educational events, and other specialized requests, which may be used by Larimer County for a wide variety of purposes, including social and news media, calendars, reports, and trainings.

Duties:

- Attend a LCDNR Volunteer Orientation session
- Represent Larimer County in a professional manner and abide by all rules, regulations, and safety guidelines while volunteering on our properties
- If assigned to photograph a property that is not open to the public, it is mandatory to coordinate your session and receive staff approval prior to your visit, and to wear your volunteer name badge. Certain situations may require being accompanied by staff
- Review and edit photography prior to submission and please only submit your best photos
- Submit photographs to the Larimer County Dropbox in the largest format available
- Track and report your own volunteer time using Offero

Schedule:

- Volunteer Photographers work on their own schedule while following property regulations
- Specific photography needs will be requested on occasion and will be coordinated directly with whichever volunteer photographer(s) are available to help

Qualifications:

- Experience with photography and editing – be prepared to show samples of your work
- Access to your own camera and other photography equipment
- Ability to communicate clearly with staff and able to receive and understand assignments
- Friendly, courteous, and respectful to staff, volunteers, and park visitors
- Ability to provide your own reliable transportation
- Understanding and acceptance of the potential risks for this volunteer position such as inclement weather, uneven terrain, and dangerous wildlife encounters

Photography Use Conditions:

- Copyright will remain with the photographer. Larimer County will credit the photographer on the webpage, calendar, social media, or other media where it is placed
- Larimer County may at its discretion crop, reduce, enlarge, darken, lighten, place text over, or otherwise alter the image to suit the form of media in which we are using the photo
- Larimer County is under no obligation to use or publish any submitted photograph that does not meet suitable standards of quality or subject matter
- Larimer County agrees not to sell any submitted image or give permission to anyone to use an image without prior written permission from the photographer

The Larimer County Natural Resources Volunteer Program is not obligated to provide a placement, nor are you obligated to accept the position offered. Opportunities for volunteers are provided without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, sex or age. Larimer County is committed to equality of opportunity.