

SVCC IMPACT PROGRAM

Volunteer Organization Agreement /Waiver

Qualifications

To be approved for acceptance as an eligible outside volunteer organization, for placement on the IMPACT Program List, an Organization must:

1. Provide and maintain proof of liability insurance, covering activities for which volunteers are accepted by Organization. A copy shall be provided to SVCC;
2. If a corporate entity, remain in good standing with the State of Illinois;
3. Provide SVCC with a list of the Board Members of such organization;
4. If an Organization permits use of Volunteers that are minors, certify that appropriate background screening has been undertaken of all adult leaders (volunteer or employed) who will have direct supervisory contact with the minor.

Marketing Authorization

Organization consents to use of its name in any literature, or press / media release (including but not limited to print, electronic, or social media) relating to the IMPACT Program. This consent shall extend to authorizing SVCC personnel to attend Organization's Volunteer activities and photograph the same, using such images for the purpose of promotion and distribution of information about the IMPACT Program. If an Organization desires to use the IMPACT Program name in any media or social media communication by Organization, it shall contact the Coordinator and request permission for the same.

By creating an Impact Program Account, you agree that the Impact Program may send you text messages as part of communications from the Impact Program. You may opt-out of receiving text messages from the Impact Program at any time.

Student Volunteers

Organization acknowledges that SVCC does not actively investigate or conduct background checks of persons seeking to engage in volunteer services within any IMPACT Program community service entity and/or projects. Organization acknowledges that a student on the "approved" list within the SVCC Impact Program simply means that they have submitted an application and committed to completion of the required number of volunteer hours. Neither the SVCC Impact Program or SVCC have investigated the background or suitability of individuals that may elect to provide Organization with volunteer services.

Sale or Dissemination of Information

Organization agrees that it will not sell or redistribute for any commercial purpose the names and identities of individuals providing volunteer services without receiving express permission from the volunteer. In the event Organization has a data breach of any system, in which volunteer names from the SVCC Impact Program are maintained, it agrees to provide prompt notice to SVCC and the Volunteers of the same.

Waiver / Release

Organization acknowledges, as a condition of being placed onto the SVCC Impact Program list of approved outside volunteer organizations, it must agree to release SVCC and all related entities, from any responsibility for liability arising out of underlying activities conducted by Organization for which an individual may choose to volunteer. As a condition of acceptance onto this list the undersigned organization hereby releases and promises not to sue Sauk Valley Community College, the Sauk Valley Community College Foundation, and each entities Board of Directors, employees, agents, for any damages and / or injury caused by or arising out of a volunteer's participation in the Program. This release and waiver expressly extends to the negligence of the Parties released and it is the intent to bind heirs, assigns, and personal representatives.

Miscellaneous

Organization acknowledges that placement onto the list is a privilege and that SVCC may remove them from approved status, at any time and with or without advance notice. If any such removal occurs, written (email or letter) confirmation of the same will be provided by SVCC.

The terms and conditions of this Agreement /Waiver shall be governed by Illinois law and the sole venue for any dispute related to such matters shall be in the Circuit Court of the 15th Judicial Circuit, Lee County, Illinois.