



VolunteerBloomington!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "The smallest act of kindness is worth more than the grandest intention." ~ Oscar Wilde

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Get on Board - City Board and Commission Vacancies

City Boards and Commissions are citizen staffed and operated, and serve to advise the Common Council and the administration on issues affecting Bloomington. Currently, there are several accepting applications for vacancies including: Commission on the Status of Children and Youth, Environmental Commission, Housing Trust Fund Board of Directors, Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Commission, Telecommunications Council, and Urban Enterprise Association. A complete list and descriptions, in addition to application materials, may be found at www.bloomington.in.gov/apply. Information and applications are also available at the City Clerk's office in City Hall at 401 N. Morton St. Application review will begin June 24 and continue until the positions are filled. Minimum age is 18. For more information, please contact the City Clerk's office at (812) 349-3408 or clerk@bloomington.in.gov.

WFHB Radio Volunteer Orientation- July 6

Volunteers at WFHB Community Radio come from all walks of life, and there are many different volunteer opportunities, including front office administration, CD reviewing, music programming, news headline and feature writing, and production and engineering in both the news and music departments. The next volunteer orientation will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sat. July 6 at WFHB, located at 108 W. 4th St. The minimum age is 14. Please contact Kelly Wherley at (812) 323-1200 or volunteer@wfhb.org. (www.wfhb.org)

SCCAP Circles® Initiative Ally!

Make a direct difference in the life of a family by becoming a South Central Community Action Program "Circles® Initiative" Ally. Allies provide friendship to a person or family working out of poverty. You will provide valuable financial and emotional insight relating to a variety of life circumstances. For more information, check out vimeo.com/30671947. The Circles® Initiative requests an 18 month commitment, and the minimum age is 18. Please contact Linda Patton at (812) 339-3447 ext. 206 or lindap@insccap.org. (www.insccap.org)

Board Treasurer

If you're good with numbers and interested in working with a truly inspiring organization, the Bloomington Symphony Orchestra needs you to consider becoming their treasurer! The Treasurer serves on the Board of Directors and the Finance Committee and reports on the financial status of the organization. The Treasurer also works with the Executive Director to prepare budgets, balance account statements, and produce other financial information on an as-needed basis. Experience with Quickbooks is a plus, but not required. If you can contribute between two and five evenings a month, contact Executive Director Donna Lafferty at 812-331-2320 or bso@bloomingtonsymphony.com. Minimum age is 21. (www.bloomingtonsymphony.com)

Food Pantry - Expanded Hours!

Mother Hubbard's Cupboard has just moved to a new site and is expanding their food pantry hours! The new hours are noon to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday. They are looking for volunteers to serve two hour shifts during these extended hours. Pantry volunteers work together to unload deliveries, stock food, keep the pantry clean and assist patrons. This position requires volunteers to be able to lift a minimum of 25 pounds. Minimum age is 12; younger children are welcome if with an adult. Please contact Stephanie Solomon at (812) 355-6843 or stephanie@mhcfoodpantry.org. (www.mhcfoodpantry.org)

The City of Bloomington Volunteer Network is your source for information about volunteering locally. For a complete listing, visit bloomington.in.gov/volunteer or call 349-3433. The inclusion of an organization in this list does not imply City endorsement or support of the organization's activities or policies.

Community Wish List Spotlight

Girls Incorporated of Monroe County

Inspires all girls to be strong, smart, and bold. To grant a wish, contact Daisy Chew at dchew@monroe.girls-inc.org or (812) 336-7313 (1108 W. 8th St.; www.girlsinc-monroe.org)

Wishes: gift cards to grocery or craft stores, spoons, markers, white copy paper, large chart paper, calculators, LCD projector, stand alone dry erase board

Use the [Community Wish List](#) to start a drive within your school, faith community or other group or take the list along shopping and add a few extra items to your cart. It WILL make a difference to those served by this organization.

