



MISSISSIPPI PARK CONNECTION

Discover your river

DOLLARS FOR DOERS

Help in supporting your national park!

You may not be aware of a great program that can help support our national park on the Mississippi River-- "Dollars for Doers." It's a way for your company to make a charitable contribution to a non-profit of your choosing based on your volunteer hours served in the community. *Similar programs include: Volunteer Grant Programs, Matching Time Programs, Dollar for Hour Programs, and Grants for Time Programs.*

These programs do not ask you, the volunteer, for any additional funds. They simply ask you to log the hours you have already spent volunteering so your company can reward you and the Mississippi River.

Volunteers help our national park provide some of the best programs on the Mississippi River. By enrolling in your company's "Dollars for Doers Program" and designating the park's charitable, non-profit partner, Mississippi Park Connection as beneficiary, you support park programs. Below are some volunteer hour averages per year by program, just some food for thought:

- Urban Wilderness Canoe Adventures: 16 hours
- Big River Journey/Journey to the Falls: 40 hours
- Volunteer Crew Leader: 78.5 hours
- Trails and Rails: 81 hours

Some companies, like Verizon, will give a charitable gift of \$750.00 for simply volunteering 50 hours a year with the National Park Service and Mississippi Park Connection. Many companies also have special programs for retirees. These donations from your company can be used for things like Big River Journey scholarships, new trees and plants for Coldwater Spring, and the new arts program, River City Revue.

Below, please find a list of all of the companies that we are aware of that support a "Dollars for Doers" program. Please take some time to review the list to see if your

company can reward you and our park for the hours you spend making sure that we preserve, protect and promote our park for generations to come. If you don't see your company listed, check with your HR department to see if they have one.

If your company does support the program, please email Anna Waugh at awaugh@parkconnection.org or call 651-291-8164 to sign up and learn more about how this helps support the Mississippi National River and Recreation Area. Thanks!

Sample "Dollars for Doers" Companies

AAA of CA,NV,UT
Adobe Systems Inc.
Advanced Micro Devices
American Electric Power
Aetna
Allstate
Altria
American Century
American Express
Ameritech
AMP, Inc.
ARAMARK
Aspect Telecomm
AT&T Wireless
Bank of America
Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi
Baxter Allegiance
Bay Networks/Nortel
Becton Dickinson
BellSouth
Best Buy
Binney and Smith Inc.
Blue Cross Blue Shield
Boeing Company
Booz Allen Hamilton
BP
Bright Horizons
Family Solutions
Bristol-Myers Squibb
Butler Manufacturing
C & S Wholesalers
Campbell Soup
Cargill

C.H. Robinson
Champion International
Charles-Schwab
Chase
Chevron Texaco
Chicago Tribune
Cinergy Foundation
Cisco Systems
Citigroup
Clorox
ConocaPhillips
Cooper Industries
CUNA Mutual Group
CVS Pharmacy
Dayton-Hudson
Deluxe Corp
Dreyers Ice Cream
Duke Energy
Eastman Kodak
Easton Corp
Eat N Park Hospitality
Eli Lilly Company
ExxonMobil
Fannie Mae
Federated Dept Stores
Fireman's Fund
First Union Corp
FMC Technologies
Freddie Mac
Foundation
GA Natural Gas
Gap
GEICO
General Motors
Genzyme Corp
Gillette
GTECH
Guidant Foundation
Halliburton
HB Fuller

Hoffman LaRoche
Honeywell Aerospace
Hospital Corp of America
HSBC NA
IBM
International Paper
JCPenney
JM Family Enterprises
Jostens Company
JP Morgan Chase
Kimberly-Clark
Kindmark
Kodak
KPMG
Land O'Lakes
LBG Associates
LCRA Energy
Levi-Strauss
Lincoln Financial Group
Marathon Ashland
Maritime Life
MasterCard
Mattel
McCormick
McGraw-Hill
Mead
Medtronic Inc
Mercury Marine
MGM Mirage Voice
Microsoft
Millimore Foundation
MN Mutual Life Insurance
Mobil Oil
Monsanto Company
MONY
Morgan Stanley
Motorola
Ntl Semiconductor

Corp
New York Life
Insurance
Nike
Northwestern Energy
People Energy Corp
PepsiCo
Pfizer
Pillsbury
Pioneer Investments
Pitney Bowes
PNC Financial Services
Grp
Portland General
Electric
PPG Industries
Foundation
Prevea Healthcare
Procter and Gamble
Providian Financial
Prudential
PSE&G
Quaker Foods
R.R Donnelley and Sons

Readers Digest
Foundation
Reliant Energy
Reliastar Financial Corp
Residential Peoples
Energy
Reynolds & Reynolds
Rodel
Rohm and Haas
Company
Salesforce.com
Salt River Project
Safeco Insurance
Sallie Mae
Sam's Club
S.C Johnson
Shell Oil Company
Siemens
Sprint
StanCorp Financial
Standard Insurance
Starbucks
State Farm Insurance
Saint Paul Travelers

Sun Micro systems
Symantec Corp
The Star Tribune
TGS Nopec
3M
T.Rowe Price
TELUS
Thrivent Financial
Timberland Inc
Time Warner
Tyco
United Defense
UNUM Corp
Verizon
Wal-Mart
Walt Disney
Weyerhauser Company
Whirlpool
WI Public Service Corp
World Bank Group
Zebco-Motorguide
Corp