Join Our Commissions!

If you have an interest in improving and expanding educational service and volunteerism in the state of Iowa, then you are encouraged to apply for one of our 16vacancies.

Go to the Iowa State Vocational Education website at the following link: www.iowavoc.education

Iowa Volunteer Awards Ceremony

On Tuesday, April 9, the Iowa Volunteer Awards Ceremony was held at the Marriott Downtown in Des Moines. Zero Bar and Grill was the site of the event. Door prizes included the crown of the evening, the Iowa Volunteer of the Year. The event was refreshments and the Iowa Volunteer of the Year. The event was refreshments and attendees were entertained by a balloon artist as well as a singing group. Attendees included students, volunteers, educators, and volunteers who have dedicated their time to helping others. Attendees received certificates of recognition for their contributions to the community. Attendees were also recognized for their dedication to helping others.

Learn more about the 2014 awardees:
- Iowa Volunteer Hall of Fame Inductees
- Lifetime Service Award in Iowa

Empowering Youth Service-Learning Funding Opportunity

Volunteer Iowa is pleased to announce funding to support the development and execution of youth-led service-learning projects. Volunteer Iowa will award $10,000 in funding for six to six youth-led service-learning projects. This opportunity is open to K-12 schools, afterschool programs, and community based service-learning programs, such as community service programs.

Youth-led service-learning projects that will result in volunteerism, job skills development, and a better understanding of the importance of community service.

Interested organizations can learn more about this funding opportunity and apply for Microsoft Excel Applications at the following link: www.iowavolunteer.org

Please contact Karron Rhue at agencyvol@iowavolunteer.org with any questions.

Volunteerism in the News

- The man's name is in quotes after the article's title in current issues
- Battle Creek Student Council: Volunteer at Mulholland Memorial
- American Red Cross: Three Days Provide of Disaster
- Compassion in the Central Valley
- Hemp Council: Consorts To Receive Awards/Events
- WACF: Awarded Grant to Adult Re-entry
- OLCF is to include this Iowa Volunteer Hall of Fame
- Iowa's Longest Running Volunteer Project
- How to be a volunteer in your community
- AmeriCorps Recruits to Support Education, Health, and Community Service
- Youth Service-Learning Opportunities
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- Iowa Volunteer Hall of Fame

Current Volunteer Iowa Opportunities

- Volunteer with a first volunteer opportunity with Volunteer Iowa here: www.iowavolunteer.org

Important Dates

- National Volunteer Action Month
- October 1: Volunteer Action Month
- October 5: Iowa’s Longest Running Volunteer Project
- October 13: National Volunteer Action Month
- October 15: Iowa Veterinary Volunteer Day
- October 17: Memorial Day
- October 22: National Volunteer Action Month
- October 23: National Volunteer Action Month
- October 29: National Volunteer Action Month
- October 31: Halloween Day
- November 1: World Kindness Day
- November 8: Veterans Day
- November 11: Memorial Day
- November 17: Christmas Day