
VOLUNTEER/SERVICE ACTIVITY ABSTRACT

Volunteers working under this agreement will provide trail maintenance and grooming work. This work will include, but is not limited to: brushing, clearing, tread work, trailhead improvements, and signing of the trail. This work requires strenuous physical exertion including walking outdoors for long distances over uneven terrain in all weather conditions, exposure to abundant insects, lifting and carrying heavy objects, using assorted hand or motorized tools, and repeated bending over as well as other strenuous activities. Volunteers working under this agreement will self-certify on the attached forms that they know of no medical condition or physical limitation that may adversely affect their ability to complete this work. All volunteers will wear appropriate personal protective equipment and will follow all check-in/check-out procedures. This agreement includes volunteer activities conducted while working trails and does not cover travel to or from the worksite.

Forest Service - The Trail partner (BRTA) agrees to:

Maintain the Border Route Trail, Moss Lake Trail and access trails to the Border Route Trail in the Superior National Forest. The Trail partner will organize members and volunteers to remove fallen trees, clear brush, maintain/repair trail tread, and replace/repair structures. Prior to performing any maintenance or volunteer services, the Trail partner will provide a list of names of who will be performing maintenance. All volunteers will self-certify that they are physically able to perform any trail maintenance activities on Form FS301b. Volunteer work under this agreement only applies to work performed on federally owned land.

National Park Service - The Trail partner (BRTA) agrees to:

Maintain the Border Route Trail. The Trail partner will organize members and volunteers to remove fallen trees, clear brush, maintain/repair trail tread, and replace/repair structures. Prior to performing any maintenance or volunteer services, the Trail partner will provide a list of names of who will be performing maintenance. All volunteers will self-certify that they are physically able to perform any trail maintenance activities on Form NPS301b. Volunteer work under this agreement applies to work performed on the Border Route trail without limitation by land ownership.

Forest Service and/or National Park Service provided Tort Coverage and Injury Compensation

I understand that I will not receive any compensation for the above service and that volunteers are NOT considered Federal employees for any purpose other than tort claims and injury compensation.

