



Volunteer Leaders Program Application Form 2008- 2009

Name: _____

Home address:

E mail contact: _____

Home phone number: _____

Work phone number: _____

Education background:

Employment experience:

Please respond to the following statements and questions. (Limit your responses to one typed page per question)

1. Describe one or two experiences in your professional, community or personal endeavors where you demonstrated leadership initiative in an effective manner. What made the situations unique? What did you learn from the situations?
2. Describe any experience or knowledge you have of working in the environmental/conservation field.
3. How do you see the Volunteer Leaders Program fitting in with your personal and professional goals?
4. What, in your judgment, are the three most significant challenges facing both CPAWS and the broader conservation community? Please explain how you would address these issues in your role as a volunteer leader.
5. What motivates you to become a volunteer leader with CPAWS?

Statement of commitment to the Volunteer Leaders Program

If selected to be a participant in the Volunteer Leaders Program, I will devote the time necessary to complete the Program and act in a leadership role within CPAWS and the greater conservation community. If I am unable to attend training sessions and commit to other activities related to the Volunteer Leaders Program, I will be required to withdraw from the Program.

As a requirement for admission to the Volunteer Leaders Program, I will be responsible for raising \$ 500.00 to support my participation.

Applicant signature

Date: _____

Please include the following documents with the application form:

- **Resume**, including relevant work, volunteer and education experience
- Three contact **references**
- One **letter of support** submitted by a personal acquaintance, employer or teacher. The reference should speak to your character and personal initiative and attest to your leadership for the CPAWS Volunteer Leaders Program

The CPAWS Outreach Manager will contact appropriate applicants for a personal interview.

Thank you for your interest.

The DEADLINE for 2008 – 2009 applications is November 9, 2008

Please submit applications by mail:

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