



SHAWNEE FIRE DEPARTMENT

RIDE-ALONG PROGRAM ATTIRE

As a ride-along observer you will be representing the City of Shawnee and the Shawnee Fire Department. Therefore we ask that you present yourself in a respectful and professional manner whether you are at the station, on the apparatus or on the scene of an incident. When you arrive for your ride-along shift participants are required to wear a collared shirt and slacks. Failure to wear proper attire may result in the cancellation of the ride-along.

You should be given a Shawnee Fire Department Observer Identification Badge upon arriving at the fire station. This badge shall be worn for the duration of your ride-along shift and returned as you leave.

As a reminder, the maximum ride-along shift length is:
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**This page to go to Ride-Along Applicant at time
of Application Submission**

If there are any questions prior to the Ride-Along, contact the Shawnee Fire Department at 913.631.1080 during regular business hours: Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (excluding holidays).



SHAWNEE FIRE DEPARTMENT
RIDE-ALONG APPLICATION

PRINT OR TYPE ALL ANSWERS

ALL FIELDS MUST COMPLETED

DATE:		
NAME:		
DATE OF BIRTH:		AGE:
CURRENT ADDRESS:		
EMAIL ADDRESS: (if there is one)		
HOME PHONE NO.:		CELL PHONE NO.:
PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT:		
OR		
IF STUDENT, SCHOOL ATTENDING:		

REASON FOR REQUEST TO RIDE:

****NOTE! PLEASE ALLOW AT LEAST SEVEN DAYS BETWEEN APPLICATION SUBMISSION DATE AND EACH DATE OF RIDE-ALONG PREFERENCE****

DATE PREFER TO RIDE:	DAY:	TIME:
ALTERNATIVE DATE:	DAY:	TIME:

NOTE: HOURS AVAILABLE FOR RIDE ALONG ARE 9:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M.

****FIRE SCIENCE STUDENTS UNDER THE AGE OF 18 – PARENT SIGNATURE REQUIRED****

PARENT SIGNATURE:

SIGNATURE OF RIDE-ALONG PARTICIPANT:

ONE OF TWO REQUIRED FORMS

**BRING THIS FORM WITH YOU TO RIDE ALONG. FORM TO BE
COMPLETED DAY OF RIDE ALONG IN PRESENCE OF AN OFFICER**



**Individual Adult Participant
Ride-Along Program**

**CITY OF SHAWNEE
FIRE DEPARTMENT COMMUNITY RIDE-ALONG PROGRAM
INDIVIDUAL AGREEMENT
WAIVER AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT**

_____ (hereinafter referred to as "Participant") wishes to participate in the City of Shawnee Fire Department Ride-Along Program. Participant understands the activities are voluntary. It is understood that these activities are potentially dangerous or harmful to Participant, and that by participating, Participant accepts and assumes the risk of injury to the Participant or damage to the Participant's property.

It is understood the City does not provide any insurance coverage for the Participant's person or property; and that Participant is responsible for Participant's safety and own health care needs, and for the protection of Participant's property.

Participant agrees that during Shawnee Fire Department Ride-Along Program activities, appropriate and safe shoes, trousers and shirts shall be worn at all times, and that Participant will wear appropriate safety clothing if requested by the City at all times. Participant agrees he or she shall not use controlled substances, including cereal malt beverages and alcoholic liquor, during all Shawnee Fire Department Ride-Along Program activities.

**RELEASE OF LIABILITY
READ BEFORE SIGNING BELOW:**

By signing this Agreement, I hereby further certify that I have carefully read this Agreement, fully understand its contents, and am aware that I am releasing certain legal rights that I otherwise may have, and that I enter into this Agreement on behalf of myself, my family and heirs, and that I do so of my own free will. I acknowledge and agree that:

The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant, including the potential for permanent disability and death, and while particular rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and,

If I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,

I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, hereby release and hold harmless the City of Shawnee, its directors, officers, officials, agents, employees, volunteers, other participants, ("Releasees"), with respect to any and all injury, disability, death, or loss or damage to person or property incident to my involvement or participation in this program, whether arising from the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise, to the fullest extent permitted by law; and,

I knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the Releasees or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,

I hereby further agree that this Consent to Participate, Waiver and Hold Harmless Agreement shall be construed in accordance solely with the laws of the State of Kansas and if any part, term or provision of this release is held invalid, it is agreed that the remainder shall continue in full legal force and effect.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

The parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

CITY OF SHAWNEE, KANSAS

By: _____

BY EXECUTING THIS AGREEMENT, THE PARTICIPANT ACKNOWLEDGES THE POSSIBLE DANGERS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ACTIVITIES AND ASSUMES THE RISK OF THE HAZARDS POSED BY THE NATURE OF THE ACTIVITIES.

PARTICIPANT

By: _____

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SECOND OF TWO REQUIRED FORMS