



# H.E.L.P. Program

## Helping Everyone In La Grange Park

### **BECOME A H.E.L.P. VOLUNTEER AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD!**

**HELP**, or **Helping Everyone in La Grange Park** is a Village program that matches community volunteers with residents in need of assistance. The program began several years ago as a way to provide help to the many elderly residents who call the Village each year needing help with basic indoor or outdoor household chores. When someone who needs help with tasks, like mowing, snow removal, brush clearing, etc., we are able to send them the list of individuals who have indicated a willingness to be contacted and have signed up for the **HELP** program. The residents needing assistance contact the volunteers directly and oftentimes work out a nominal payment that will be given to the "volunteers" for their service.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Complete this form if you would like to participate in the Village's "HELP" program. Your name will be placed on a list and given to residents seeking help with outdoor maintenance. You are responsible for negotiating the time/date of service, fees (if any), and for securing the equipment and/or tools necessary to do the work.

TODAY'S DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
YOUR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_  
YOUR ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you age 18 or over? Yes  No   
If you answered "No," how old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

What types of work are you interested in doing? (Check all that apply.)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Shoveling snow or snow blowing
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mowing lawns
- \_\_\_\_\_ Weeding
- \_\_\_\_\_ Raking leaves
- \_\_\_\_\_ Trimming shrubs/bushes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Painting
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please sign below. If you are under age 18, please have your parent or guardian sign as well.

"I understand that I am registering for a voluntary program. With my signature below I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Village of La Grange Park and its employees, officers, and appointed officials for any injury or damages which may arise as a result of my participation in the HELP program. I understand that I am responsible for providing my own tools and equipment and/or negotiating with the property owner to use theirs to undertake the work. I authorize the Village to give out my name and phone number to other Village residents interested in hiring me for the services noted above."

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**Parent/Guardian's Signature**

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**HELPer's Signature**

Please return your completed registration form to the Village Hall, 447 N. Catherine Avenue.  
Questions? Call us at 708-354-0225.