



More than a volunteer program

As a Certified Service Enterprise, HFS adheres to high standards to ensure that you have the best volunteer experience. Additionally, HFS offers opportunities for volunteer appreciation, enrichment, and social gatherings.



I am interested in volunteering.

Take these next steps:

- 1 Complete an online volunteer application
- 2 We will contact you after your application is submitted

Most volunteer positions will require an interview, criminal background check, orientation, and training (requirements vary by position).



SCAN FOR APPLICATION

Volunteer Program

Are you ready to become part of the family?

When you volunteer with HFS, you support the mission of providing help and hope to neighbors. With a wide variety of volunteer positions and shifts to select from, we can help you find the perfect match for your availability, skills and interests.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS CONTACT

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Make a Difference in Your Community


FIND THE POSITION THAT'S RIGHT FOR YOU


Most shifts are for 3.5 hours on a weekly basis.
Substitute shifts are also available.

	DESCRIPTION	DAYS HOURS	REQUIREMENTS NOTES	
VOLUNTEER RECEPTIONIST	Answer phones, assist walk-ins, schedule and assist with appointments, and manage the business center and reception area.	M–F 9AM–12:30PM 12:30–4PM	18+ 	
MARKET FOOD SHELF	Assist neighbors with in-person and drive-up food appointments, prepare orders, stock The Market, load orders into vehicles.	M–F 9am–12:30pm 12:30–4pm	18+  	
FOOD RESCUE PICK UP	Pick up food from rescue partners and deliver to HFS. Drive the HFS Market on the Move van or your own vehicle.	M–F Mornings 9–11am	21+  	
FOOD RESCUE SORTING	Check incoming food for dates and quality, and sort accordingly.	Tues–F Mornings 10am–Noon	18+ 	
MARKET CART	Assist neighbors by distributing produce at local senior residences and the Hastings Senior Center. Load, transport, set up/take down bulk produce.	Monthly Mondays 11:45am–2:30pm	18+ 	
JUST FRIENDS TRANSPORTATION	Drive neighbors to medical, dental, grocery, and other approved appointments. Rides are self-scheduled to match your availability.	Flexible	21+   	
MEALS ON WHEELS	Drive and deliver hot and frozen meals within the community, while providing a welfare check.	M–F Noon–1pm	21+  	
DONATION CENTER	Welcome and assist donors and guests, receive donations, move donations to the proper warehouse location.	M–F 8:45am–12:30pm 12:30–4pm	Sat 9:45am–12:30pm 12:30–3pm	16+  
RIVERTOWN TREASURES THRIFT STORE	Assist neighbors with clothing and household vouchers, and store retail operations.	M–F 9am–12:30pm 12:30–4pm	Sat 10am–12:30pm 12:30–3pm	18+  
RIVERTOWN TREASURES SORTING	Manage the flow of clothing/household donations into the store. Help determine condition, pricing, and preparing items to be sold.	M–F 9am–12:30pm 12:30–4pm	Sat 10am–12:30pm 12:30–3pm	16+ 
SEASONAL PROGRAM SUPPORT	Help with seasonal programs and special events: School Supplies (Aug), Project Share (Oct-Dec), Gobble Gait (Nov), Hastings Tastings (Spring), Drive out Hunger (Summer), food drives, and more.		18+	


16+ **18+** **21+**
Minimum age requirements.

 This is a physical position, requiring the ability to be on your feet, **lift up to 40 lbs** (depending on position), push/pull carts, twist, and bend.

 Requires a current Minnesota driver's license and proof of auto insurance.

 Requires high-level computer, technology, phone, and customer service skills.

 Flexible or shorter shifts available.

 **Winter Subs Needed**
Consider a 3-month seasonal commitment during the winter travel season.