

SHM Volunteer Opportunities:

- **Guest Services/Greeter:** Greet Museum patrons, answer phones, transfer calls to the appropriate Museum employee and assisting with Museum store purchases. Provide orientation information to all guests.
- **Exhibit Tours: provide a general overview of a current exhibit or dive into a specific topic and share your knowledge with museum visitors**
- **Education Programs: assist with school groups or group tours with educational opportunities**
- **Research Center:** Assist the Research Center staff with research and photograph projects, transcribing oral histories, etc.
- **History Characters:** Volunteers who develop a character and then act in that role during educational tours through exhibits.
- **Special Events:** Volunteer at Museum-sponsored events including, but not limited to: County Fairs, Living History weekends, bus tours, etc.
- **Facilities:** Performing outdoor maintenance including: weed, trim, plant, landscape, sweep, etc.

SHM Volunteer Release:

Photography Release

The undersigned volunteer hereby grants the Stearns History Museum, (hereafter referred to as the Museum), permission to take or have taken still or moving images both digital and print. The undersigned authorizes the Museum, its advertising agencies, news media, and any other person interested in the Museum and its work, to use and reproduce the images for the sole purpose of promoting the work of the Museum and its programming.

Waive and Release of Liability

In consideration of my choosing to volunteer for the Museum, I hereby acknowledge that there are certain risks of injury involved, and I knowingly and freely assume all such risks and responsibility for my participation. To the extent allowed by law, I agree to hold harmless the Museum, its staff, volunteers, board of directors, and representatives of all liabilities and all loss or damage to person or property which may occur while volunteering at or for the Museum.

Volunteer Confidentiality Agreement

I recognize that as a volunteer of the Museum, I may have access to confidential information concerning the Stearns History Museum, its patrons, members, donors, vendors, volunteers, board of directors, or other representatives. I consent to protect the confidentiality of the aforementioned Museum parties during and after volunteering for the Museum and agree that I will not reveal any information to a party exterior to the Museum that may interfere with the business of the Museum or injure its parties both directly and indirectly.

I certify that the information I have freely given in this application is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Name _____