

VOLUNTEER DRIVER APPLICATION FORM

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Volunteer Driver for BayRides. Contributions of people like you help make St. Margaret's Bay a supportive and inclusive community.

BayRides offers door-to-door accessible and affordable transportation to all residents of the St. Margaret's Bay area. One of the ways we provide rides is through our *Volunteer Driver Program* in which Volunteer Drivers provide transportation to BayRides' passengers using their own personal vehicles. Volunteer Drivers transport passengers to destinations around St. Margaret's Bay for medical, shopping, social and recreational purposes. Periodically, and if you are in agreement, rides outside of St. Margaret's Bay may be required. Volunteer Drivers using their own vehicles are a very important and valued part of the BayRides system and we truly appreciate your involvement.

Our Volunteer Drivers:

- use their own vehicles* (reimbursed for mileage)
- are screened, trained, insured and supported
- can choose to provide local rides or travel outside the area if required
- have safe, clean, well maintained vehicles

If you are an excellent driver with a clean driving record who puts others at ease with your kind, positive and caring demeanour, we'd love to receive your application! Note that later stages of our screening include an RCMP Vulnerable Sector check, Child Abuse Register check, and a copy of your drivers abstract. If you have any concerns about your eligibility please email info@bayrides.ca.

The application process may seem daunting but the steps of our screening reflect our commitment to the safety and security of our passengers and volunteers as well as industry standard policies. Thank you for your patient and understanding participation in this process. If you meet our volunteering criteria we will contact you about the next steps. Please note that there may be times when we do not require additional drivers in your area but we will keep your application on file for future opportunities.

^{*}If using own vehicle must hold \$2 million liability insurance on their personal vehicles and have the approval of their insurance company to participate as a volunteer (if have less than \$2 million in coverage, assistance available from BayRides to cover cost to increase coverage to \$2 million)

^{*}Option to use a BayRides vehicle if one is available.

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BayRides has the right to verify all information provided on this application form. An applicant whom knowingly misrepresents themselves on this form will not be considered for a volunteer position.

I understand that I am required to provide a satisfactory RCMP Vulnerable Sector check and Child Abuse Register check prior to being accepted as a volunteer. I must also provide a copy of my drivers abstract. I further understand that I must commit to a volunteer training program if I am accepted.

Please initial that you have read, understand and agree to the above APPLICANT INFORMATION Name: Address: Postal Code: City: Province: Email address: Date of Birth: Home phone: Cell phone: DRIVER INFORMATION How many years have you been driving? Do you have a clean driving record? Please state the make, model and year of the car you plan to use: REFERENCES 1. Name: Phone: Relationship: 2. Name: Phone: Relationship: ☐ I give permission for BayRides staff to contact the above references in confidence EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION Name: Relationship:

Cell phone:

Date of Application: ______ Signature: _____

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Home phone: