



ROAM Application for Assistance Packet

Thank you for considering the ROAM ministry to assist in your next building project. Projects may be new construction, remodel of an existing building, and sometimes in the case of a campground, may include maintenance and landscaping.

ROAM members live in their RV while working on the project. They have a heart for ministry, donating their time and talents to the building of God's Kingdom. ROAM Projects are limited to properties owned and operated by the Church of the Nazarene and may include churches/parsonages/schools, campgrounds and compassionate ministry centers.

ROAM projects are 3 weeks long, with men working 6-hour days, four days per week. The ladies work 3 hours per day. Projects generally start the first Monday of the month. Several three-week stays may be needed to complete the project. Sometimes the same people stay for several months to complete the project, but some may move on after a month or two and others may come to take their place.

From a list of projects published on the www.rvsonamission.org website, members choose the projects most suited for them including climate, proximity to their home or to other projects where they plan to work. About one-fourth of ROAM members are "full-timers" living in their RVs full-time with no other home. They are available to work several three-week projects during the year.

Application for Assistance

Please read over the following pages to further understand the ROAM Mission, and the Member Commitment each members has agreed to. The last two pages, ***Application for Assistance***, are to be printed, completed and mailed to the address on the form. If you are unable to print in the Acrobat Reader file format, let us know and we will send you a form by US mail.

Thanks again for considering ROAM for your upcoming project.

J. Harold Allen
Office Manager



A Nazarene Lay Ministry

ROAM Mission Statement

RVs on a Mission is an outreach ministry of the Church of the Nazarene through the Center for Lay Ministry. ROAM provides the opportunity for persons to volunteer their time and skills in meaningful Christian service through Church of the Nazarene related mission agencies, camps, churches, disaster relief, compassionate ministries projects and other designated areas of service.

ROAM Objectives

- *To provide a central clearing house to match volunteers with mission opportunities*
- *To be responsive to volunteers' desire to serve*
- *To be responsive to the expressed needs of local communities, churches, camps and other church related projects*

Membership

Membership is open to any person willing to support the purpose of the ROAM Ministry, agreeing to abide by the ROAM Mission Statement and Membership Commitment and profess to be a follower of Jesus Christ

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ROAM Membership Commitment

ROAM members shall:

1. Be in agreement with ROAM Statement of Faith and Guidelines
2. Carry their own insurance and release project hosts from responsibility for personal injury or damage to their property.
3. Not solicit funds for any reason, personal or otherwise.
4. Keep pets on leash at all times; clean up after them; be certain pets are allowed at project site before arriving.
5. Not attempt jobs that they feel are beyond their ability.
6. Make no unauthorized purchases.
7. Understand that a work project will normally start the first Monday of the month, with ROAM members arriving on the Friday or Saturday before.
8. Abide by the recommended work hours, a minimum three-week work project, men at least 6 hours per day and wives are encouraged to work at least 3 hours per day.
9. Work at least 4 days per week.
10. Inform the office when unable to work a complete three-week work project.
11. Work within the established schedule except for personal emergencies or urgent circumstances.
12. Adjust work hours to accommodate host.
13. Be permitted to work beyond the established hours.
14. Understand that they are to do the jobs as the host desires them to be done.
15. Work with the Team Leader to determine how best the project work should be done.
16. Attend group devotions and be prepared to take their turn in leading morning devotions.
17. Have a record of personal emergency medical data in their vehicle.
18. Carry a slip with local name and phone number with their driver's license while on a project and an additional slip in your vehicle.

I have read, agree with and will abide by the ROAM Membership Commitment as shown above:

Signature

Spouse Signature

Date

Date

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Project #

ROAM
Application for Assistance
(Revised 1/20/11)

Contact Info

- 1. Ministry Name Phone
2. Pastor/Director Phone
3. Contact Person Phone
4. Ministry Address Fax
Street or PO Box
City State Zip
E-mail Website

The Work

- 5. District
6. Work Site Address Phone
Street City/State
7. Please enclose written directions and a map showing the location of the work site and how to reach it from a main road. Please describe the condition of the road if there will be any problems for the larger rigs. Please include the altitude of the work site, if significant.
8. Has the work to be done and the budget been approved by your District Superintendent?
Yes No (Circle one) (Required for 10% Giving Credit Approval)
9. Do you have in hand the city/county permits necessary for work to begin? Yes No
10. Are the required funds for purchase of materials on hand? Yes No
11. What work do you wish to accomplish during this project?
12. Do you have work for the ladies? What type?

RV Info

- 13. Circle the months you wish assistance : Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec
14. How many RV's per month?
15. Is RV parking on the project site? Yes: No: if not, where?
16. What is the longest RV you can accommodate?
17. What type of sewer hook-up is available? Permanent PVC Honey Wagon
Macerator Pump Dump Station (If no sewer, you may provide a "honey wagon," macerator pump or PVC pipe.)
18. What type of electrical RV hookup is available? 30 amp 50 amp

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19. Phone available for ROAM 24 hours a day. Phone # (____)_____
- Location of messages _____ **Please deliver emergency messages immediately.**
20. Circle types of Internet connection available for ROAM members' use: Wireless Cable Dialup
Available: Inside RV Other location: _____ None
21. Do you have a dress code? (Description, if any – men & ladies) _____
22. Do you allow pets on leash? Yes _____ No _____
23. Area Attractions (Optional): List any attractions in your area that might encourage someone to consider your project
- _____
- _____
- _____

24. Additional Comments

25. You will need to supply and have on hand all the materials and permits required.
26. ROAM has rules limiting work on Steep Roofs & Heavy Concrete work. The ROAM workweek is four (4) six-hour days, and a three-week month. Our length of stay can be more than one three-week month with your approval as host. ROAM lady spouses work only if they care to and then just 3 hours a day. Singles are required to work six (6) hours per day. Upon completion of the project month at the host's discretion, the ROAMers occupying an RV space may stay at their site an additional week usually the last week of the month until Friday of that week without charge.
27. You agree to notify the ROAM office 1) of any major changes in the project 2) if you no longer have any space available for RVs or 3) project finished ahead of schedule. The project will be updated on the website and/or pulled from the active listing of projects as appropriate.
28. ROAM is willing to work with any other Christian groups on the project.
29. Waiver of liability: We have read all of the Application for Assistance and understand it. We have, to the best of our knowledge, answered all the questions honestly and correctly. We agree to reimburse any ROAM member for materials purchased with the authorization from us. We agree to hold harmless ROAM and its members from any and all responsibilities and/or liabilities connected with any work project in which they are involved.

30.

This agreement signed by _____ Date _____
(Please Print)

Signature _____ Title _____

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