

Criminal Background

Have you been convicted on committing a felony? ____Yes ____No

If Yes? What type?_____ ; When?_____

Have you been arrested for any crime involving children? ____Yes ____No

If Yes? What type?_____ ; When?_____

Do you have a valid drivers license?_____

Agreement and Signature

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted as a volunteer, any false statements, omissions, or other misrepresentations made by me on this application may result in my immediate dismissal.

Name (printed)	
Signature	
Date	

Our Policy

We are a Christian based organization which believes in God. However, it is the policy of this organization to provide equal opportunities without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, gender, sexual preference, age, or disability.

Thank you for completing this application form and for your interest in volunteering with us.

**VOLUNTEER WAIVER, RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS AND
INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT**

The Making A Difference Foundation (MADF) and _____ (volunteer) agree that in exchange of the opportunity to volunteer in the food bank programs, the following terms shall apply:

1. This agreement begins on the date listed above the participant's signature and is expected to continue for three years.
2. Either party may terminate this agreement at any time for any reason upon immediate notice, oral, or written to the other party.
3. The volunteer is not an employee of MADF and is not entitled to receive a salary, benefits or other compensation. The volunteer understands that he/she does not qualify for worker's compensation benefits and is expected to carry personal medical insurance to cover medical expenses for any injuries he/she incurs while performing volunteer services.
4. Volunteer agrees to undergo and provide MADF a current and complete criminal history investigation. Volunteer further asserts that he/she is not otherwise prohibited by law from being involved with or engaged in any activity involving or in the presence of children.
5. Volunteer waives, releases and holds harmless MADF, its directors, officers, employees, agents and other volunteers from any and all claims, caused of action and damages for bodily injury or death that he/she may suffer as a result of or in any manner connected with the food bank program. He/she understands that this waiver and release precludes his/her rights to recovery of damages in the event he/she is injured in the course of performing volunteer duties.
6. Volunteer shall defend, hold harmless and indemnify MADF, its directors, officers, employees, agents and other volunteers, from and against all damages, claims, liabilities, causes of actions, judgements, settlements, costs and expenses (including reasonable expert witness and attorney fees) that may at any time arise or be claimed by any person as a result of bodily injury death or property damage or as a result of any other claim or cause of action of any nature whatsoever, arising from or in any manner connected with, performing duties related to the safe and secure online program.

I _____ have read, fully understand and agree to the assumption of risk, waiver, release, hold harmless and indemnification terms set forth above.

Date: _____

Volunteer Signature

Volunteer Name

The Making a Difference Foundation



Eloise's Cooking Pot Food Bank Procedures

3543 McKinley Ave E
Tacoma, WA 98404
(253) 426-1994

At this time, Eloise Cooking Pot is experiencing shortages of food due to more clients and fewer donations. With the holidays approaching, we need to conserve and make sure food is being given to our clients. Our policy regarding taking food is as follows:

ALL food and food-related materials and other items donated to or purchased by said agency is to be used solely for the purpose of providing food, food-related material and other items to those who seek help at non-profit agencies designed to help those in need.

The exceptions to this understanding are:

1. Coffee, tea, sugar, and cream, which may be used on-site for staff, visitors, and volunteers.
2. Items on the bread/produce table **ONLY**, which may be taken in limited amounts by staff and volunteers.
3. Those items that can be used to help defray the cost of an event sponsored by or held by ECP.
4. When applicable, lunch of some kind will be provided for volunteers while serving at ECP. If you are in need of food during the lunch break on your day of service, please let the operations manager know and they will gladly assist you.

I, the undersigned, fully acknowledge that any violation of this policy by me, whether it be in the form of barter for service, for money, or for personal use by me or other can result in disciplinary measures or termination.

Printed Name

Signature

Date



Eloise's Cooking Pot Food Bank

Children policy

- Children under 16 must be accompanied by parents at all times during their scheduled shift (usually between four and five hours)
- All volunteers must wear close-toed shoes and clothing that is flexible to move in. No revealing clothing or jewelry is allowed. No profanity, gang, or other questionable attire is allowed.
- Young children must be supervised by the parents at all times for their safety. Eloise Cooking Pot food bank is a busy space with many people moving about and goods being transported. We also ask that children obey all rules of the food bank concerning distribution of food each day, and proper clothing attire.
- Volunteers who are also clients are asked to wait to receive their food until after their shift is completed
- Children who are miss-behaving or caught stealing should be reprimanded by their parents.

For all questions please refer to the food manager for more information or call 253-212-2778.

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Photo Release Form

Participant's Name: _____

I hereby authorize Making A Difference Foundation – Seattle to publish the photographs taken of me, and, for use in the Making A Difference's printed publications and website. I acknowledge that since my participation in publications and websites produced by Making A Difference Foundation – Seattle is voluntary, I will receive no financial compensation. I further agree that my participation in any publication and website produced by Making A Difference Foundation – Seattle confers upon me no right of ownership whatsoever. I release Making A Difference Foundation – Seattle, its contractors and its employees from liability for any claims by me or any third party in connection with my participation.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Street Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____