

December

Reservoir Woods Restoration Project

Saturday, December 17, 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Reservoir Woods, 1901 Alta Vista Drive

Join an amazing group of volunteers on the third Saturday of every month for a Natural Resources event. Volunteers gather this month to help with the ongoing restoration at Reservoir Woods. Tasks may include removal of invasives or snow seeding. A great way to build community and make a big impact with minimal time investment. Bring garden gloves and a water bottle; sturdy shoes or boots are recommended.

January

The Martin Luther King Jr. holiday on Jan. 16, 2023, is the 28th anniversary of the day of service that celebrates the Civil Rights leader's life and legacy. Did you know that MLK Day is the only federal holiday designated as a national day of service to encourage all Americans to volunteer to improve their communities? Martin Luther King, Jr. Day became a national holiday in 1983, and in 1994, President Clinton signed the Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Holiday and Service Act. This made the holiday a day of community service. While the MLK Day of Service continues to grow each year, many people are not aware of the volunteer component to the holiday. Choosing to serve others creates solutions for stronger communities.

While some volunteer activities are still limited due to the pandemic, there are still ways that you can honor Dr. King's legacy through service. Volunteering can be a monetary donation to a cause you care about, providing virtual support through mentoring or tutoring, or physically engaging in a volunteer activity. Please visit the website below for expanded local opportunities, or here are ways that you can honor Dr. King's legacy:

- Have a family discussion on Dr. King's life and teachings
- Volunteer with a local, state, or national park
- Serve meals at a homeless shelter
- Shovel a neighbor's walkway

MLK Day of Service Project – SAVE THE DATE

Monday, January 16, 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Project and Location TBD

Make it a day on, not a day off! Please save the date for our annual natural resource event as we honor MLK with a day of service. Details coming soon.

Candlelight Snowshoe Event
Friday, January 27, 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Cedarholm Golf Course, 2323 Hamline Avenue

Volunteers are needed to help prepare for this Park and Rec event where participants snowshoe along candlelit trails at Cedarholm Golf Course. Help prep the bonfire, check in participants and serve refreshments. Help is also needed with trail supervision and clean up. This is a great volunteer event for a scout group or other group, but all winter weather enthusiasts are welcome to help.

Sweetheart Dance
Friday, February 24, 5:45 p.m. – 8:45 p.m.
Roseville Skating Center

Help create lifelong special memories for participants at the Sweetheart Dance, sponsored by Parks and Rec. Volunteers will help with registration, crafts, and snacks.

Contact Rachel Boggs, Rachel.boggs@cityofroseville.com or **651.792.7028** for more information. THANK YOU for volunteering!

ALL ARE WELCOME

The City of Roseville strongly encourages and welcomes community members who are people of color, indigenous, immigrants and refugees, LGBTQ+ and people with disabilities to volunteer.