



Groundwork SOMERVILLE

Groundwork Somerville
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GREEN TEAM DESCRIPTION

The Green Team is back for a sixth summer! Groundwork Somerville will be hiring youth ages 15-19 to participate in a 8-week environmental justice training and leadership program. Each participant will commit to working 20 hours per week *as well as* 21 hours of community service over the course of the summer. Specific projects will include: running and maintaining the South Street Farm and school yard gardens, running the “Grown in Somerville” Farmer’s Market booth, parks stewardship and community outreach, and a three day camping trip on the Boston Harbor Islands.

2012 Summer Themes: Urban Agriculture and Parks Stewardship

Job Type: Temporary, part-time, seasonal (summer)

Duration: July 3 through August 24

Must Haves: Somerville Residents ages 15-19
Willing to ride a bike (with training) to work sites
Interest in growing your own food and working outdoors
Sense of humor, motivation
Excellent teamwork skills
Leadership

Average Hours/Week: 20 paid hours/week, \$8.00/hour + community service

Schedule: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday/Saturday

Submit **completed application including two references** to the Green Team Coordinator, Adam Machson-Carter, adam@groundworksomerville.org. You may also mail or drop off your application at the following address:

Groundwork Somerville, Inc.
21 Properzi Way, Suite O
Somerville, MA 02143
Attn: Green Team Coordinator

Applications must be received by Friday, May 11, 2012.

Please call 617-628-9988 with any questions.



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GREEN TEAM SUMMER APPLICATION

Please return all materials to the Groundwork Somerville office by **Friday, May 11th**.

Contact Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: Home: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

Facebook: _____

Personal Information:

Date of Birth: _____ High School and Grade Level: _____

What is your first language? _____ Other languages? _____

Name of Parent/Guardian _____

Contact Information for Parent/Guardian _____

How did you hear about the Green Team? _____

Activities (i.e. jobs, clubs, sports, etc.): _____

Do you own a bike? Yes _____ No _____

Do you own a helmet? Yes _____ No _____

Please answer the following questions (use a separate sheet of paper if necessary)

1. What is one thing you feel needs to be changed in your neighborhood and why?

2. Where do you see yourself in five years? How would being a part of the Green Team help you reach your goals?

3. What are three qualities about yourself that would make you a good part of a team?

Finally, along with your application, please include contact information for (2) professional references who know you well and can speak to how you work in a group (for example: teachers, coaches, mentors, ministers, etc.) Friends or immediate family members are not appropriate for this.

Reference #1

Name: _____ Phone number: _____

How do you know this person? _____

Reference #2

Name: _____ Phone number: _____

How do you know this person? _____

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Our office is located at 21 Properzi Way in Somerville, just outside of Union Square off of Somerville Ave. between the Market Basket and Conway Park

Questions? Contact Adam Machson-Carter, Green Team Coordinator at Groundwork Somerville, 617-628-9988, adam@groundworksomerville.org or drop by the GWS office, 21 Properzi Way, Suite O.
