



Minnesota Mississippi River Parkway Commission Membership Application Form

Please accept my application for membership to the Minnesota Mississippi River Parkway Commission, representing the following Great River Road Destination Area:

- Check One: Lake Itasca to, but not including, Grand Rapids Elk River to, but not including, Hastings
 Grand Rapids to, but not including, Brainerd Hastings to the Iowa border
 Brainerd to, but not including, Elk River

Full Name: _____

Business Address: _____

Business Phone: _____

Preferred E-mail: _____

Home Address: _____

Cell Phone: _____

With which Great River Road community development or tourism organization(s) have you been affiliated?
 (Check all that apply and indicate number of years involved.)

- | State Agencies | Years | National Agencies | Years |
|--|-------|--|-------|
| <input type="radio"/> Department of Transportation | _____ | <input type="radio"/> Army Corps of Engineers | _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> Explore Minnesota Tourism | _____ | <input type="radio"/> Fish & Wildlife Service | _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> Department of Natural Resources | _____ | <input type="radio"/> National Park Service | _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> Department of Agriculture | _____ | <input type="radio"/> U.S. Forest Service | _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> Minnesota Historical Society | _____ | <input type="radio"/> Audubon Society | _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> Minnesota Indian Affairs Council | _____ | <input type="radio"/> Mississippi River Cities | _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> Mississippi Headwaters Board | _____ | & Towns Initiative | |

- | Local/Regional Agencies | Years | Local/Regional Agencies | Years |
|---|-------|--|-------|
| <input type="radio"/> Tribal Councils | _____ | <input type="radio"/> Counties / Municipalities | _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> Convention & Visitors Bureaus | _____ | <input type="radio"/> Chambers of Commerce | _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> River Interest Groups | _____ | <input type="radio"/> Recreational Interest Groups | _____ |

Other: _____

Why are you enthusiastic about the Mississippi River and its Great River Road? What is your river passion?

What prior experience makes you a valuable candidate to represent this region on the Minnesota Mississippi River Parkway Commission?

The Minnesota Mississippi River Parkway Commission (MN-MRPC) is a statutory Commission, recognized in 1963, whose mission is ... To preserve, promote and enhance the scenic, historic and recreational resources of the Mississippi River, to foster economic growth in the corridor and to develop the national, scenic and historic byway known as the Great River Road.

What are the greatest opportunities in this region in regard to the mission of the MN-MRPC?

Please list (3) references:

Name: _____ Title: _____
Organization: _____ Phone: (_____) _____
Address: _____

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I am committed to the development, promotion and preservation of the Mississippi River and its Great River Road in Minnesota, and I certify that all answers herein are true to the best of my knowledge. If selected as a member of the Minnesota Mississippi River Parkway Commission, I am committed to representing my region by regularly attending quarterly Commission meetings and by participating in related byway activities.

Signed _____ Date: _____