



Texas Memorial Illumination Volunteer Sign-up Sheet

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Event date: Saturday, November 13, 2021 at San Jacinto Battleground State Historic Site
5 p.m. to Sunset 5:26 – Sunset Ceremony for Volunteers with Elected officials present
6 p.m. -12 p.m. Battlefield open to the public for viewing.

Mission: We exist to provide a visually inspiring remembrance of those Texans who have given their lives in armed conflict. (from the Texas Revolution through Afghanistan)

You will be part of an inaugural group of volunteers at a commemoration that has never been done in Texas! As a volunteer you will be invited to gather at the steps of the monument 30 minutes prior to dusk for a short but stirring opening ceremony. You will then be able to drive through the battleground prior to the gates opening to the general public.

Total Number of Volunteers: 100 volunteers to bag/box candles and 307 to set out total of 21,500 candles
20 groups of a minimum of 15 volunteers in each group
Each group will have a leader responsible for communicating specifics of the volunteer activities.
One volunteer can place approximately 70 candles.
Each group will be responsible for placing 1,050 candles (about 5.5 acres)
Groups will be assigned specific locations on the battleground for placement and removal

Timeline of Tasks:

Oct 30 - 2-weeks prior volunteers will prepare candles in bags with sand and place in boxes
Location, time and estimated length of activity will be announced later.
Day of Event – Nov 13, 2021
Arrive at pre-determined location on battlefield
Follow detailed instructions on actual placement and lighting of candles
Attend Volunteer Ceremony and drive through prior to public opening.
Volunteer responsibility ends for this day.
Day after Event – Nov 14, 2021
Arrive at the battleground 7 a.m. to remove candles/bags/sand by 9:00 a.m.
Instructions will be given regarding disposal.
*Volunteers will leave all candles and bag remains on the field ready for pick-up.

YES, I will be a team leader. Dates to volunteer Oct 30 Nov 13 Nov 14 select one or more dates
 YES, I will be an individual volunteer. Dates to volunteer Oct 30 Nov 13 Nov 14 select one or more dates

Please fill out the following: Name _____ address _____
cell number _____ --- _____ email _____
Group Affiliation _____

Regarding Personal Information of Volunteers:

Personal contact information will only be shared with the San Jacinto Museum of History.
The museum will add you to our e-communications list, and you will receive museum updates and special invitations to events at the museum. You may opt-out at any time.

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I, the undersigned, expressly agree and understand that I assume full liability for any injury, damage, accident or irregularity with respect to my person or my property occasioned by any cause whatsoever arising out of or in connection with my activities while participating as a volunteer during the Texas Memorial Illumination at the San Jacinto Battleground State Park. For the same consideration and without conflict with the foregoing, I hereby release and discharge The San Jacinto Museum of History, and Texas Historical Commission, its officers, employees, agents, and their heirs, successors and assigns, both in their official and individual capacities, jointly and severally, from any actions, causes of action, claims, demands, damages, costs and expenses on account of or in any way growing out of any and all loss of personal property or injury as the result of any accident or irregularity while volunteering my services. The undersigned further promises to bind himself/herself, and all heirs, administrators and executors to indemnify and forever hold harmless The San Jacinto Museum of History, and Texas Historical Commission, its officers and employees, against loss, damage or expense from any and all claims, demands, actions or causes of action that may at anytime be made or brought against any and all of said parties because of any accident or occurrence while on the grounds of Texas Historical Commission for the aforementioned event and activity.

Signature: _____