

PRIDEFEST VOLUNTEER

The Washington Talking Book & Braille Library (WTBBL) builds community and provides equitable access to information and reading materials for Washington residents unable to read standard print. WTBBL has more than 200 volunteers working with us and we are proud of their passion to work in an organization that values and promotes diversity, equity, inclusion and anti-racism.

VOLUNTEER POSITION DESCRIPTION:

WTBBL is tabling at PrideFest (June 29-30, 2024), a two-day event on Capitol Hill and at the Seattle Center that celebrates, advocates, and shares the successes of the LGBTQIA+ community. PrideFest volunteers assist WTBBL staff at the PrideFest in interacting with the public, passing out free swag items, and answering basic questions about the library and service. Volunteers will direct individuals to staff for detailed information about WTBBL services and donations. Volunteers will also assist with setting up and/or taking down the booth.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Available for training in May or June before PrideFest to understand the full expectations and services of WTBBL.
- Able to sit/stand for an extended period.
- Able to assist in setting up and/or taking down the booth, which may involve lifting and carrying large, bulky, and/or heavy items (exception provided to Braillefocused volunteers).
- Able to engage with members of the LGBTQIA+ community in a friendly, respectful, and professional manner that reflects the expectations of WTBBL.
- Able to work at least one <u>full</u> shift, arriving at least 10 minutes before the beginning of the shift.
- Able to work in a loud and crowded environment.

TIME COMMITMENT:

Volunteers must commit to one shift, either Saturday, June 29, 2024 (Capitol Hill) or Sunday, June 30. 2024 (Seattle Center). There are two time slots each day: 11am-3pm and 3pm-7pm.

Go to https://www.volgistics.com/appform/1427973300 to complete an application.

To learn more, please email: wtbblvolunteer@sos.wa.gov.