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## Why join RSVP?

- Flexibility: dedicate as much or as little time as you choose
- Supplemental volunteer liability insurance
- Health benefits - research has proven that those who volunteer live longer!
- The opportunity to be a positive role model
- Give back to a cause that is important to you
- Annual recognition luncheon to honor your dedicated service
- Gain new skills and explore your interests
- Develop meaningful relationships
- Personalized, ongoing support from RSVP staff
- The ability to volunteer for a one-time opportunity or special events

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## Find us online!

Facebook: **NCCCRSVP**

Email: **SHaggard@neosho.edu**

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## AMERICORPS SENIORS

We are an AmeriCorps Seniors grantee, receiving funds through the RSVP, a federal grant program.

In our four county region, our 200 volunteers serve assisting in food banks, providing information about opioid abuse prevention, recruiting volunteers for blood drives, providing referrals to veterans, greeting students coming to school, reading to children, and helping at community events with non-profit agencies.



## What are the requirements?

Volunteers must be 55 years of age and older to benefit from the services of RSVP. There are no restrictions based on level of education, work history, income or experience.



# AmeriCorps Seniors

RSVP: RETIRED SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Engaging volunteers 55+ who serve in Allen, Bourbon, Neosho and Woodson Counties in southeast Kansas

RSVP's sponsor:

 **NEOSHO COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**



## What's the benefit for me?

- Rewarding service that makes a difference in the community.
- Recognition lunch and small tokens of appreciation.
- There is no reimbursement for travel or other expenses.

## Time commitment:

- You can decide how often and how long you can serve.
- Some volunteer stations have 4 hour shifts.
- Some volunteer activities are periodic such as folding newsletters or helping at specific holiday events.



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## Am I insured?

DURING MY VOLUNTEER SERVICE

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RSVP volunteers are eligible for no-cost personal liability, accident and excess automobile liability insurance. This insurance applies when you are performing your assignment as an RSVP volunteer, and while on your way to and from your volunteer station. To be covered under our insurance policy, you must provide RSVP with an emergency contact/beneficiary on the registration form.

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## Contact us:

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## How do I enroll in RSVP?

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- If you know of a volunteer station that partners with NCCC RSVP that you'd like to volunteer for, ask the manager for an RSVP Volunteer Registration Form to enroll.
- If you want to volunteer in the community and aren't sure where, you can contact the RSVP office for a referral to a volunteer station in one of our four counties.
- Complete the RSVP Registration Form. Be sure to provide your birthdate so we can prove you're 55+ and the contact info for a relative so you can be enrolled in the excess liability insurance coverage.
- Monthly reporting of hours: Most volunteer station managers submit volunteer hours, but if you are serving individually, you might be asked to submit hours via email or a self-stamped envelope we'll provide.

**Thank you for  
volunteering!**