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Volunteer Wheeling Needs Volunteers for WV Make It Shine Day!

WHEELING, W.Va. – April 5, 2023 – Volunteer Wheeling, a program of Wheeling Heritage, is excited to announce its participation in the WV Make it Shine program, a statewide cleanup held each year in April. This year, the organization will be sprucing up three city parks and the surrounding streets to get them ready for spring. The event will take place on Saturday, April 15 from 10 a.m. to noon, and all supplies will be provided.

To ensure that everything goes smoothly, Volunteer Wheeling is calling for interested community members to join them at one of three clean-up events happening across Wheeling on April 15. The events will take place at the JB Chambers Memorial Wheeling YMCA Playground in Elm Grove; 16th Street Sports Complex / JB Chambers Memorial Recreation Park in East Wheeling; and Tank Field, located on Northern Parkway in North Wheeling. Each site will have a team lead that will bring supplies needed for the cleanup.

"We're excited to participate in the WV Make it Shine program and are looking forward to making a positive impact in our community," said Ellen Gano, vice-chair of Wheeling Heritage's board of directors and Volunteer Wheeling representative. "All we need is you! Please sign up to ensure we have enough supplies for everyone."

Interested volunteers can sign up at https://forms.gle/uQVAB8KqZDd2se8u6

Volunteer Wheeling is a community organization that promotes volunteerism and works towards the goal of making Wheeling a better, more beautiful place to live. To learn more about how you can get involved, visit wheelingheritage.org/volunteer.

About Wheeling Heritage:

<u>Wheeling Heritage</u> is a catalyst for the revitalization of Wheeling. Through historic preservation, community development, and the arts, we help to tell Wheeling's story and shape its future. We seek to improve the quality of life in Wheeling by preserving and investing in our city, collaborating with others, and engaging the citizens of Wheeling in our work.

About Volunteer Wheeling

<u>Volunteer Wheeling</u>, a group organized through Wheeling Heritage and the City of Wheeling, tackles small-scale beautification projects in Downtown Wheeling and surrounding neighborhoods. Volunteer Wheeling is an inclusive group open to anyone interested in lending a hand to better our community. To learn more about Volunteer Wheeling or to get involved, you can email us at <u>volunteer@wheelingheritage.org</u>.