

# American River Parkway Foundation Adopt-A-Mile Program



Founded in 1993, the ARPF Adopt-A-Mile program gives community members the opportunity to have a direct stake in the well-being of the American River Parkway. Individuals, Families, Businesses, Clubs, Religious Institutions and Athletic Organizations are among the many community members who have adopted a mile either as a volunteer Mile Steward or a Mile Sponsor. There are 46 opportunities for adoption – one for the north bank and one for the south bank of every mile of the Parkway.

## Mile Steward

Mile Stewards are the volunteer component to the Adopt-a Mile program. Mile Stewards make a 2-year commitment of at least 20 volunteer hours per quarter on clean-up and maintenance projects on their mile. Each year, Mile Stewards provide about 3,000 hours of service on the American River Parkway. Volunteer activities include trash pickup, trail maintenance, weed removal, graffiti removal and other special projects.

**More information? Contact ARPF Volunteer Coordinator Jordan Powell at [volunteer@arpf.org](mailto:volunteer@arpf.org) or (916) 486-2773**

## Mile Sponsor

Mile Sponsors are the financial component to the Adopt-a Mile program. Mile Sponsors make a 2-year commitment of \$1,500 per year, which provides Mile Stewards with supplies and equipment to maintain and improve this natural asset. Each year, Mile Sponsors ensure their adopted miles are clean and accessible for the millions of visitors the Parkway receives each year.

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