

## **WASHINGTON TOWN & COUNTRY FAIR BOARD REQUIREMENTS AND EXPECTATIONS**

The Washington Town & Country Fair is a 5-day fair, beginning every first Wednesday of August each year for the purpose of the betterment of Washington, Missouri, and its trade and farm area. The Fair Board is a group of volunteers that consists of no less than 22, and no more than 25 members. Below is a list of requirements and expectations for members of the Fair Board. \*\*It is highly recommended that you have volunteered on a fair board committee for at least two (2) years prior to applying.

### **REQUIREMENTS**

- ❖ Must meet the required age of twenty-one (21)
- ❖ Must agree to serve three (3) successive three (3) year terms – (9 years total)
- ❖ Attend monthly meeting on the first Wednesday
- ❖ Attend committee meetings throughout year
- ❖ Include picture with application
- ❖ Application due by August 31

### **EXPECTATIONS**

- ❖ Present for fair set-up two (2) weeks prior to fair in the evening
- ❖ Present during day on Monday/Tuesday of fair week for final set-up
- ❖ Present every day of the fair for the entire day
- ❖ Present for tear down on Monday morning/afternoon following fair
- ❖ Participate in any Chamber activities that your schedule allows

# WASHINGTON TOWN & COUNTRY FAIR FAIR BOARD APPLICATION

*Completed Application Due by August 31*

Please Fill in All Blanks

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Is your employer a member of the Washington Chamber of Commerce? \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark three areas of fair operations below that you would want to be involved with. Note: This does not mean that you will be on these committees throughout term.

Agriland	Gates/Admissions	Motorsports
Concessions	Home Ec	Parade
Entertainment	IT	Parking
Family Fun Center	Livestock	

**Please answer each question on the application giving your thoughts, ideas, and opinions. (If additional space is needed, please use the back of the application or attach an additional page.)**

1. What interests you in serving on the Washington Town & Country Fair Board?

2. Please describe your involvement with the Fair up to this point.

3. What skill strengths (ex: heavy equipment operation, management, technical, public relations, etc.) would you bring to the Fair Board?

4. Please describe other volunteer organizations that you have been involved with and/or are currently involved with, and your role in them.

5. Why is community involvement and leadership important to you?