

Please complete the following form to apply to be a torchbearer in the **Manitoba Hydro Torch Relay** in your community.

Please send your completed form to:

**Torch Relay Coordinator**  
Box 2160 270-240 Graham Ave  
Winnipeg, MB R3C 3R5  
T : 204-594-4250  
[torchrelay@2017canadagames.ca](mailto:torchrelay@2017canadagames.ca)

### The following criteria are required for becoming a torchbearer:

- Be at least 12 years of age on or before June 1, 2017
- Be a Canadian citizen or legal resident of Canada
- Be able to complete (run/walk/wheel) your assigned 200-500m segment on the assigned day
- Be prepared to participate in the 2-3 hour torchbearer experience in your community
- Be willing to travel at your own expense to the assigned community meeting point and then from the finish point of the relay
- Wear the provided torchbearer uniform for the duration of your torchbearer experience
- Consent to undertake and successfully complete a security background check
- Sign the participation waiver on or before your assigned relay day
- Agree to have your photo, profile and story published by 2017 Canada Summer Games, sponsors or media for the purpose of promoting the Manitoba Hydro Torch Relay events

### A. Community you are applying to be a torchbearer in:

- Steinbach (Torch Relay on June 23)
- Kenora, ON (Torch Relay on June 24)
- Morden (Torch Relay on June 29)
- Gillam / Fox Lake (Torch Relay on July 1)
- Thompson (Torch Relay on July 6)
- The Pas / Opaskwayak Cree Nation (Torch Relay on July 10)
- Dauphin (Torch Relay on July 11)
- Gimli (Torch Relay on July 15)
- Brandon (Torch Relay on July 20)
- Sagkeeng / Great Falls (TBD)
- Winnipeg (Torch Relay on July 26)

### B. Do you belong to any of the following categories?

- Canada Games alumni
- Present Canada Games athlete
- Coach
- Community volunteer
- Community athlete (individual or team sport)
- Elected official
- Educator

### C. Applicant Information

First Name: ..... Last Name: .....

Home address: ..... City/Town: .....

Province/Territory: ..... Postal Code: .....

Phone (Primary): ..... Phone (Secondary): .....

Email address: .....

Are you under the age of 18?  Yes  No Date of birth: MM / DD / YYYY

Do you have your parent's/legal guardian's permission to apply to be a torchbearer?  Yes  No

**T-shirt size** (please check one): **Youth**  XS  S  M  L  XL

**Adult**  XS  S  M  L  XL

### D. Additional information

Do you have a disability or limitation which will prevent you from taking part in the Manitoba Hydro Torch Relay on your own?

Yes  No If yes, who will accompany you?

First Name: ..... Last Name: .....

Phone (Primary): .....

### E. Self Declaration:

Women, Peoples of indigenous descent, visible minorities, and persons with disabilities are invited to voluntarily identify. The information provided will be kept confidential and may be used for statistical analysis and reporting.

Are you of Indigenous Descent? (Persons of North American Aboriginal ancestry including First Nation, status and non-status Indians, Inuit, and Métis.)  Yes  No

Are you a member of visible minority? (Persons other than those of Indigenous decent, who because of their race or colour, are a visible minority)  Yes  No

Are you a person with a disability? (Persons who have a long-term or recurring impairment)  Yes  No

## F. Nomination Statement

Please describe, in no more than 250 words, how you feel you embody and demonstrate the Canada Games spirit and dedication to sport, youth, culture and community and should be considered for this opportunity.

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