



**CourtWatch**  
**MONTGOMERY**  
A Public Eye on Domestic Violence

Improving domestic violence victim and child safety by improving court process

**Contact information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**Availability**

How soon would you be available to volunteer? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have weekday mornings available? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours/month do you hope to volunteer? \_\_\_\_\_

**Projects of possible interest**

What attracted you to Court Watch Montgomery?

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All Court Watch volunteers are trained to monitor protective order hearings and all spend time in District Court doing so in order to understand and contribute to our core mission. Many

volunteers remain court monitors; others shift focus or take on additional volunteer roles as well. Given what you know currently about our volunteer opportunities, please check all projects listed below that you might potentially be interested in. We won't hold your feet to the fire!

- Monitor protective and peace order hearings
- Monitor domestic violence criminal cases
- Enter monitor data into Excel spreadsheets
- Research using court files to flesh out case histories
- Print and compile training notebooks for new volunteers
- Listen to court cd's and write short verbatim quotes in key cases
- Oversee or contribute to website or social media
- Identify community education opportunities, be part of a Speaker's Bureau
- Identify possible grants and/or help apply for grants
- Help with community fundraising efforts
- Research important topics using online databases, search engines or phone

Other? \_\_\_\_\_

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### **Education, Employment and Special Skills or Qualifications**

List three personal attributes you feel would contribute as a volunteer:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

Employer/School \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation/Field of study \_\_\_\_\_

Education \_\_\_\_\_

Brief employment history \_\_\_\_\_

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**Education, Employment and Special Skills or Qualifications (con't)**

Volunteer experience \_\_\_\_\_

Organizational affiliations \_\_\_\_\_

Do you speak any other languages in addition to English? If so, what?

**Agreement and Signature**

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete.

Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please send hard copy applications to Volunteer Training Coordinator, Eileen Bernstein, at 2418 Henslowe Drive, Rockville, MD 20854.