

2018 MJ COMMUNITY SERVICE LIST

THIS LIST MEETS REQUIREMENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING:

1. Reading Police Department Juvenile Diversion Program (refer to your diversion contract)
2. Marijuana State By-Law Violations (10 hrs. community service from this acceptable list, 1 state class and \$100 fine payable to Town of Reading)

COMMUNITY SERVICE ACCEPTABLE

COMMUNITY SERVICE (READING, MA):

- ✓ Town of Reading: Conservation, Elder/Human Services Dept., and/or Veterans Services Departments
- ✓ EMARC
- ✓ Mission of Deeds
- ✓ Reading Senior Center
- ✓ Places of Worship
- ✓ Contact READING CARES at info@ReadingCares.org

COMMUNITY SERVICES (LOCAL):

- ✓ American Red Cross
- ✓ Any YMCA
- ✓ Any Boys and Girls Club
- ✓ Goodwill Industries
- ✓ Salvation Army
- ✓ Office of Social Concern (Woburn)
- ✓ Any Place of Worship
- ✓ Any Senior Center
- ✓ Any Public Library (other than Reading Public Library)
- ✓ Homeless Shelters
- ✓ Food Pantries
- ✓ Animal Shelters or Hospitals
- ✓ Melrose-Wakefield, Winchester, Lahey Clinic, Lawrence Memorial Hospitals

Resources for locating service opportunities:

- www.volunteermatch.org
- www.idealists.org
- www.mass-service.org

Documentation Requirements:

Each program has **different requirements** for tracking your service hours. Please refer to your diversion contract and/or marijuana citation packet. Due dates for service hours vary by contract.

COMMUNITY SERVICE NOT ACCEPTABLE

THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED:

- ⊗ Any Public/Private School, University (PTO, sports teams, student clubs, teachers, or custodians)
- ⊗ Sports Organization and Private or Social Clubs
- ⊗ Family, friends or neighbors (i.e. cleaning, errands or yard work) unless it is connected to a human services organization

Questions?

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