Park Bench Donation Program

Northampton Township **Honor a Person or Event** Municipal/**Civic** Center Parks

Honor your loved ones or memorialize a significant event by dedicating an inscribed bench to be installed in one of Northampton Township's beautiful parks.

To dedicate a bench in honor of a loved one or to memorialize a significant event, complete the attached application form.

Benches may be placed in Northampton Township's Civic Center located at 345 Newtown-Richboro Road in Richboro or at its Municipal Park located at Hatboro and Bristol Roads in Churchville. Other park locations may be available upon request. The specific location of the bench will be agreed upon by the donor and the Township prior to finalizing the order.

The cost to donate a bench is typically upwards of $1,300. The exact cost varies depending on the current market price, shipping and the number of inscribed boards selected.

The cost consists of purchase of the bench, shipping, installation and upkeep. The Township guarantees that the bench will be maintained in its location and for a period of ten (10) years.

Payment may be made by cash, credit card or check. Checks must be made payable to "Northampton Township." Full payment must be made at the time the application is submitted.

For additional information or to discuss locations, contact the Parks and Recreation Department
215-357-6800 ext. 249

Bench Facts

The Champion Lightweight Memorial model benches are six (6) feet long and constructed of durable, maintenance-free recycled plastic. The cedar colored boards are 2" x 4" with 2" high engraved lettering in black glossy colored inlay. Donors select custom inscriptions of up to 32 characters per line, including spaces, for a maximum of three (3) lines. Engravings are located in the back boards of the benches. The benches are supported by heavy – duty powder coated black steel frames and are mounted on a concrete surface, also installed by Northampton Township. The location of the bench will be agreed upon by the donor and the Township prior to finalizing the order. Benches will be maintained for a period of ten (10) years, after which the Township will re-evaluate the bench to determine its need for replacement.

Park Bench Donation Program Application Form

Application must be submitted together with full payment to Northampton Township Parks and Recreation located at 55 Township Road, Richboro, PA 18954. Once the application has been reviewed and accepted, an order will be submitted. Engraving proof must be approved by the donor before the order is finalized. Weather permitting, bench installation by Northampton Township should be completed within 8 weeks of finalized order.

DONOR INFORMATION

Name_____

Adress_____**City**_____

State _____ **Zip Code**_____ **Telephone Number**_____

Email Adress_____

Desired Park/Location_____

BENCH INFORMATION

This bench is being donated in recognition of _____

Inscription Requested (32 characters per line including spaces, maximum 3 lines)

OVERALL COST: Includes the purchase of one (1) 6 foot Champion Lightweight Memorial model bench, shipping, installation and upkeep in agreed upon location for a period of 10 years.

With one custom engraved board = $1,275

With two custom engraved boards = $1,355

With three custom engraved boards = $1,450

DONOR SIGNATURE_____ **DATE**_____

Parks and Recreation Use Only----------

Date Received_____ Payment Amount_____P&R Signature_____