

# July / August 2012

Sign up to volunteer for all of these PGE-sponsored events and more on the PGE Volunteer Power Tool at **EasyMatch.com/PGEVP**.

### JULY 14 – Be Part of EV Celebration Day.

PGE's Nissan LEAF will be on display, along with a wide variety of electric vehicles at this Oregon Electrical Vehicle Association event, sponsored by PGE. Volunteers are needed to talk about how PGE can help get folks plug-in ready. Pioneer Courthouse Square; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

# JULY 14 – Volunteer at the Marion County Fair.

Volunteers are needed for 3-hour shifts to staff PGE's interactive safety presentations, Spin & Win and Hazard Hamlet to teach kids about electrical safety. This is a great opportunity for the whole family to volunteer together. Admission is free for volunteers.

### JULY 21 - Celebrate Hillsboro.

Volunteers are needed to staff PGE's PGE's Nissan LEAF in 3-hour shifts between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. at this free, family sustainability festival in downtown Hillsboro.

#### JULY 28 - Pacific Northwest Lineman Rodeo.

See our linemen and apprentices put their skills to the test. Or be part of the action by volunteering to help with activities like the women's pole climb or selling memorabilia. Linneman Substation, 3450 W. Powell Blvd., Gresham. 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

# Aug. 4 - Salem RiverFront Festival

Staff a PGE table teaching kids and parents about electrical safety with our Hazard Hamlet display, handing out stickers, being Larry the Lightbulb and running the Spin &Win game. Shifts are 2- to 4-hours.

# AUG. 11 – Volunteer for the Tualatin Crawfish Festival

Talk with customers about our Nissan Leaf and how they can get plug-in ready in 3-hour shifts. Admission is to the festival is free for volunteers.

### Record your Volunteer Hours in the Volunteer Power Tool!

Record your volunteer hours at easymatch.com/pgevp, then apply for a community service grant online today!

### Community Service Grant deadline is July 31

Be among the hundreds of PGE volunteers who have already received a Community Service Grant. All you have to do to be eligible is volunteer 16 or more hours at your favorite qualifying nonprofit organization or accredited school, record your hours in the Volunteer Power Tool, then click on "Request a Grant".

Grants are reviewed for eligibility and check are mailed directly to recipient organizations about 45 days following the deadline.

If you need help entering your hours or applying for a grant, contact Terry Clelen at 503-464-2428/

# AUG. 13 - Family Fun Night.

Visit PGE's safety booth at this fun family event sponsored by PGE at Oaks Park in SE Portland. Volunteers are needed in 3-hour shifts between 4 and 9:30 p.m. for this Monday evening event.

Bring the whole family! Admission is free for all and there is an opportunity to purchase discounted ride bracelets for \$10 by going to the event website and entering promo code 'PGE'

# AUG. 18 - Experience Multnomah Days Parade

Multnomah Village is proud to close its "main street" and celebrate Multnomah Days. The Multnomah Village Business Association organizes "Biggest Little" parade. PGE volunteers will walk alongside our electric vehicle and a select few can wear EV charging station costumes, carry our banner and throw candy to the crowd.

# SEPT. 22 – Save the date for the SOLVE Fall Beach Cleanup

Plan now to attend the SOLVE Fall Beach Cleanup, Saturday, Sept. 22 at Ft. Stevens State Park. PGE Volunteers will scour beaches for debris and help rid the park of invasive species then enjoy a delicious clam chowder or veggie chili lunch following the cleanup. Friends and your entire family are welcome to join the fun.

Employee Giving Campaign - coming Oct. 1 – 19!

Get a new blue Volunteer Power Tshirt when you volunteer – anywhere!



Get your brand-new PGE Volunteer Power T-shirt (we now offer women's sizes, too!) the next time you volunteer for a PGE-sponsored event, receive a Community Service Grant or volunteer on a team-building project!

Contact Melissa Sircy, 503-464-7618, to order your new T-shirt today!