



Volunteer Solicitation Letter - Sample

Dear _____,

The **(name of Local Council)** has been designated by the Michigan Children's Trust Fund (CTF), a chapter of Prevent Child Abuse America (PCAA), as **(Name of County)**'s Local Council. Our charge is to help assure the great childhoods that all children deserve by providing programming to prevent child abuse and neglect. Since 1983 April has been designated by presidential decree as Child Abuse Prevention (CAP) Month. During CAP Month we assert and reinforce the importance of strengthening our families with individuals and communities working together to prevent child maltreatment. This strengths-based approach helps ensure that all our children will be raised in loving and supportive environments that result in them becoming productive, prosperous citizens.

Throughout April we feature our statewide initiative The Power of One. This theme asserts that through the power of one person, one community, one dollar, one action, etc. Michigan residents can help to protect children from abuse and neglect.

We are proud of the contributions our organization has made to our community. Examples of our programming accomplishments of the past year include: **(Insert council accomplishments here)**. Our council's work has positively impacted our community. According to **(Insert any testimonial quotes from those served by the council, not more than 2 or 3)**. Additional information about our organization and/or CTF of Michigan is available upon request.

We ask you at this time to stand with the children and families of our community in the belief that all children deserve a great childhood because they are our future, and consider giving your time to volunteer at the **(name of Local Council)**. For each hour you volunteer at the council you are playing a part in making sure that our community is the best place for children and families to thrive.

Becoming a volunteer is easy! Please call us at the phone number listed below. If you are unable to speak to a person please leave a message and we will return your call in a timely fashion. We value your time and appreciate your consideration to become a volunteer member of this dynamic team. Thank you!

Sincerely,

(Insert Council Salutation including name, organization name and logo, position, email address and phone number)