

## SAVE THE DATE!

### Volunteer Louisiana 2015 Listening Tour

Volunteer Louisiana is hosting a series of conversations about volunteering and service across Louisiana.

- **Learn** about AmeriCorps, Senior Corps, grant opportunities, and other resources that are available to non-profits, government agencies, educational institutions, and faith-based organizations to expand capacity and increase impact.

- **Share** your thoughts on the issues, successes, and challenges around service and volunteering in your area. Your comments will provide a snapshot of the *State of Volunteerism in Louisiana* and be used to develop a statewide service plan that will guide Volunteer Louisiana priorities, activities, and initiatives over the next three years.

Please join us for a conversation in a city near you! Register today at <http://www.eventbrite.com/o/volunteer-louisiana-commission-8476124428>

#### Tour Stops:

- **October 13, Lake Charles City Hall**
- **October 14, Marksville, LA**
- **October 15, Winnsboro Branch, Franklin Parish Library**
- **October 26, St. Landry Parish Government Community Service Building (Opelousas)**
- **October 27, Morehouse Parish Visitors Center (Bastrop)**
- **October 28, Bossier City**
- **November 2, Houma**
- **November 4, Mandeville**

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**About Volunteer Louisiana:** The mission of Volunteer Louisiana is to assist organizations in building and sustaining high quality programs that meet the needs of Louisiana's citizens while promoting an ethic of service. As the state Service Commission, Volunteer Louisiana is the state's policy making body for the Corporation for National and Community Service and manages 15 AmeriCorps state programs that engage over 1000 members in service. Volunteer Louisiana supports and promotes volunteerism through the Volunteer Generation Fund and is responsible for managing unaffiliated volunteers statewide in times of disaster.

Volunteer Louisiana is housed in the Office of the Lieutenant Governor Jay Dardenne and envisions a future where the people of Louisiana are inspired to serve and be actively engaged in improving the quality of life for their fellow citizens.

