

## Minnesota D.A.R.E. Youth Advisory Representative

### Qualifications:

- D.A.R.E. Elementary Curriculum Graduate
- Junior or Senior High D.A.R.E. recommended but not required.
- Displays leadership qualities
- Is active in *Positive Alternatives*
- Is a good role model to others in the community
- Is drug-free and is willing to stay drug-free
- Student is willing to serve a two year commitment

### Expectations:

- Attend conference/meetings as mandated by D.A.R.E. America – Costs incurred by D.A.R.E. America
- Will remain drug free/crime free
- Be a good representative for the State of Minnesota
- Attend meetings (whenever possible) for the Minnesota D.A.R.E. Officer's Association
- Attend the annual Fall and Winter Conferences for the Minnesota D.A.R.E. Officer's Association
- Attend special events hosted by Minnesota D.A.R.E., Inc. (when possible).

***\*\*\*D.A.R.E. Officers – please note the D.A.R.E. officer will be expected to attend with and transport the student selected to serve in this role.***

### Process:

- D.A.R.E. Officer will have a teacher or community representative answer the attached questions, in writing.
- The D.A.R.E. Officer will then review what is written. If the D.A.R.E. officer agrees with, and is willing to endorse this applicant, the officer will sign the form and return to address on form.

The nominating party and D.A.R.E. Officer must complete the top nomination page. Upon completion, the D.A.R.E. Officer will review and sign it. Please forward completed and signed nomination for to:

Deputy Ron Boyden--MNDOA  
Douglas County Sheriff's Office  
216 7<sup>th</sup> Ave. W.  
Alexandria, MN 56308

**\*\*To be postmarked no later then May 12, 2008**

## Youth Advisory Board Nomination Information Page

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Student's Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Entering Fall of 2008: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Any different contact info. for parent(s) \_\_\_\_\_

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Nominee's years in D.A.R.E. (Elem. /Jr. High/Senior High/Role Model)  
(Circle all that applies)

Nominating Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominating Person's Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

D.A.R.E. Officer: \_\_\_\_\_

Officer's Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Officer's Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Officer's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominating Person's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

D.A.R.E. Officer's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## **D.A.R.E. America's Youth Advisory Board Nomination**

**Please provide the following information about your applicant:**

- 1) List the nominee's extra curricular activities (include any volunteer activities).**
- 2) Have the nominee write a brief biography.**
- 3) Have the nominee write a one page paper on "Why I Want to Be an Advocate for the D.A.R.E. program.**
- 4) Answer the following two questions:**
  - Why do you think that this applicant would be a good representative to the D.A.R.E. America Youth Advisory Board?**
  - How has this applicant demonstrated these qualities?**

**\*\*\*Please include a photo of the nominee.**