



The Indianapolis Hiking Club

Happiness – A Step at a Time

Trail Maintenance Opportunities

To earn the Trail Maintenance Achievement award you must complete 16 hours of trail maintenance with an organization such as the IHC, Hoosier Hikers Council, National Forest Service, National Park Service, Indiana DNR, American Hiking Society, the Nature Conservancy or any of the many other trails organizations sponsoring volunteer trail work. To count toward the award the hours must be completed by September 30. Listed below are some organizations performing trail maintenance that you may want to contract.

American Hiking Society	www.americanhiking.org/
American Volkssport Assn	www.ava.org/
Boy Scouts - Crossroads Council	www.crossroadsbsa.org/
Central Indiana Bicycling Assn	www.cibaride.org/
Central Indiana Wilderness Club	ciwclub.org/
Friends of the White River	friendsofwhiteriver.org/
Hoosier Canoe Club	hoosiercanoecub.org/
Hoosier Hikers Council	www.hoosierhikerscouncil.org/
Hoosier Mountain Bike Association	www.hmba.org/
Hoosier Sierra Club	hoosier.sierraclub.org/
Indiana Audubon Society	www.indianaaudubon.org/
Indiana Crossroads Orienteering	www.indyo.org
Indiana Hiking Clubs	www.in.gov/dnr/outdoor/5399.htm
Indiana Race Walkers Club	www.irwc.org/
Indiana Snowmobilers	www.indianasnowmobilers.com/
Indianapolis Sailing Club	indianapolissailing.org/
Indy Runners	www.indyrunners.org/
Indianapolis Ski Club	www.indyskiclub.org/
Knobstone Hiking Trail Assn.	www.KnobstoneHikingTrailAssociation.org/
Leave No Trace	www.lnt.org/
Nature Conservancy	nature.org/

Not all volunteer work with the organizations listed above qualifies as Trail Maintenance. If you have any questions about whether the work you are considering qualifies please contact Chuck Turner, Director of Conservation at 317-777-2594 or by email at chasleee08@yahoo.com. To keep track of your volunteer hours please print the Trail Maintenance Award form on the Club website forms page (www.indyhike.org/forms). Follow the instructions on that form.