

# APPLICATION FOR GUILFORD DTC MEMBERSHIP

Send this form, with the Skills & Interests Survey and a signed copy of Responsibilities of Membership, to the DTC Membership Committee Chair, PO Box 1420, Guilford CT 06437.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you resided in Guilford? \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

List community activities/organizational memberships:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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If you have had any campaign experience, please describe it:

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Explain why you want to become a member of the Guilford DTC.

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Are you interested in running for public office? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, what position? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you interested in serving on a Town board or commission? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, which one or ones? \_\_\_\_\_

## RESPONSIBILITIES OF DTC MEMBERSHIP

The Guilford DTC consists of Guilford-registered Democrats who espouse Democratic Party principles in support of a constructive, responsive town government. In pursuit of that goal, the DTC recruits committed Guilford Democrats who will:

- ✓ Participate in all scheduled and special DTC meetings unless granted a requested excused absence by the Secretary.
- ✓ Serve on at least one DTC committee.
- ✓ Explore issues to help the DTC clarify policy and campaign positions.
- ✓ Recruit and recommend qualified candidates for the DTC as well as for Town offices, boards, and commissions.
- ✓ Help Democratic Party nominees with election campaign activities by making phone calls, working on mailings, accompanying candidates, and/or making get-out-the-vote contacts
- ✓ Attend campaign fundraising and promotional events, such as the annual Guilford Fair parade and hosted candidate events.
- ✓ Contribute financially to ongoing DTC operations. An annual voluntary contribution is suggested.
- ✓ Resign as active members if circumstances prevent the fulfillment of DTC responsibilities for an extended period of time.

My signature acknowledges that I have reviewed the responsibilities described above and apply for active **DTC Membership**.

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Active Democrats unable to attend DTC meetings and fulfill other critical responsibilities may request DTC mailings (including meeting minutes) by joining **Friends of the DTC** as an Associate Member.

Check here to enroll as an **Associate Member** \_\_\_\_\_

Long-term members unable to continue full participation in DTC activities may resign and still receive all DTC mailings. During this period of reduced participation, they will be known as Emeritus Members.

Check here to enroll as an **Emeritus Member** \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: Neither of the latter categories has any legal standing.*

## SKILLS & INTERESTS SURVEY

To let us know what you can bring to your DTC work, describe your level of experience where applicable.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

### SKILLS/EXPERIENCE

Making Presentations/Acting as Moderator \_\_\_\_\_

Writing/Copy Editing \_\_\_\_\_

Public Relations/PR Campaigns \_\_\_\_\_

Brochure Design/Layout \_\_\_\_\_

Videotaping/TV & Media Production \_\_\_\_\_

Computer Skills/Web Design & Research \_\_\_\_\_

Fundraising \_\_\_\_\_

Event Planning \_\_\_\_\_

Accounting/Financial Planning \_\_\_\_\_

Administration/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Legal \_\_\_\_\_

Political Campaign -- Telephoning \_\_\_\_\_

    Canvassing Door-to-Door \_\_\_\_\_

    Doing Mailings \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### INTERESTS

Engineering/Construction \_\_\_\_\_

Environment/Conservation \_\_\_\_\_

SKILLS & INTERESTS SURVEY, continued

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Healthcare \_\_\_\_\_

Education \_\_\_\_\_

Recreation/Park Management \_\_\_\_\_

Social Services/Youth & Senior Services \_\_\_\_\_

Economic Development \_\_\_\_\_

Land Use/Planning \_\_\_\_\_

Historic Preservation/Guilford Green/Scenic Roads \_\_\_\_\_

Facilities/Housing \_\_\_\_\_

Financial Management \_\_\_\_\_

Agriculture/Harbor & Shellfish Management \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

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YOUR TYPE OF COMPUTER PLATFORM    PC \_\_\_\_    Mac \_\_\_\_