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## **Volunteers needed for 2011 American Folk Festival**

BANGOR, Maine – Thanks to the tremendous support shown by our community, 2011 will mark the 10th year of a traditional arts music festival on Bangor's Waterfront. Each year, volunteers play a crucial role at the Festival - making sure things run smoothly, and that everyone involved has an extraordinary experience.

This year, we are expecting over 90,000 visitors to the Bangor Waterfront for the 2011 AFF. Once again, the Festival will be relying on close to 900 volunteers to help host this celebration of music, dance and performing arts from cultural traditions across the globe. We need you to be one of those volunteers! With 19 different volunteer jobs to choose from, there is something for everyone.

The average volunteer shift is 3.5 hours. Training is provided. All volunteers receive a free, exclusive volunteer t-shirt, an invitation to a private party held Saturday night for performers, volunteers and staff and most importantly, the gratitude of festival goers, performers and staff.

To join the fun and be a part of the event that brings the world to Bangor, contact Debbi at 992-2630 or visit the Festival's website - [www.americanfolkfestival.com](http://www.americanfolkfestival.com).

Volunteer positions fill up fast! Register today!

The American Folk Festival on the Bangor Waterfront is produced by the non-profit Bangor Folk Festival, in partnership with the City of Bangor, Eastern Maine Development Corporation, the Maine Discovery Museum and the Maine Folklife Center at the University of Maine.

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