

Sample Volunteer Release and Waiver of Liability Form

This Release and Waiver of Liability (the “release”) executed on ____ (date) by _____ (“Volunteer”) releases (“Your Organization”), a your organization corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Ontario and each of its directors, officers, employees, and agents. The Volunteer desires to provide volunteer services for your organization and engage in activities related to serving as a volunteer.

Volunteer understands that the scope of Volunteer’s relationship with your organization is limited to a volunteer position and that no compensation is expected in return for services provided by Volunteer; that your organization will not provide any benefits traditionally associated with employment to Volunteer; and that Volunteer is responsible for his/her own insurance coverage in the event of personal injury or illness as a result of Volunteer’s services to your organization.

1. Waiver and Release: I, the Volunteer, release, and forever discharge and hold harmless your organization and its successors and assigns from any and all liability, claims, and demands of whatever kind of nature, either in law or in equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from the services I provide to your organization. I understand and acknowledge that this Release discharges your organization from any liability or claim that I may have against your organization with respect to bodily injury, personal injury, illness, death, or property damage that may result from the services I provide to your organization or occurring while I am providing volunteer services.

2. Insurance: Further I understand that your organization does not assume any responsibility for or obligation to provide me with financial or other assistance, including but not limited to medical, health, or disability benefits or insurance. I expressly waive any such claim for compensation or liability on the part of your organization beyond what may be offered freely by your organization in the event of injury or medical expenses incurred by me.

3. Medical Treatment: I hereby Release and forever discharge your organization from any claim whatsoever which arises or may hereafter arise on account of any first-aid treatment or other medical services rendered in connection with an emergency during my tenure as a volunteer with your organization.

4. Assumption of Risk: I understand that the services I provide to your organization may include activities that may be hazardous to me including, but not limited to involving inherently dangerous activities. As a volunteer, I hereby expressly assume risk of injury or harm from these activities and release your organization from all liability.

5. Photographic Release: I grant and convey to your organization all right, title, and interests in any and all photographs, images, video, or audio recordings of me or my likeness or voice made by your organization in connection with my providing volunteer services to your organization.

6. Other: As a volunteer, I expressly agree that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the Province of _____ and that this Release shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Province of _____. I agree that in the event that any clause or provision of this Release is deemed invalid, the enforceability of the remaining provisions of this Release shall not be affected.

By signing below, I express my understanding and intent to enter into this Release and Waiver of Liability willingly and voluntarily.

Signature (Or parent/guardian if under 18)

Date

Witness

Date