

GENERAL RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY FOR VOLUNTEERS

I, _____ (hereinafter "the Volunteer"), desire to participate in volunteer activities under the direction of agents for Anne Arundel County, Maryland (hereinafter "the County").

In consideration of being permitted to participate in such activities, I and my personal representatives, executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors and assigns, hereby release, indemnify, and forever hold harmless the County, it's officers, employees or agents from any and all claims, causes of actions, demands, damages and compensation whatsoever, which may accrue on account of or in any way growing out of any personal or bodily injury, property damage, or breach of contracts claims and the consequences thereof resulting from my participation in the activities. I understand that I am assuming any and all risk of injury or other harm from these activities and the County does not assume any responsibility or obligation to provide financial assistance or other assistance for such injury or harm. This release and waiver extends to other volunteers participating in the activities.

I understand that my participation in the activities may be disclosed to other County or State agencies or the public. I give permission for video recordings or photographs to be taken of me during the activities and consent to their publication or broadcast for any purpose without further compensation to me.

I understand that my participation is voluntary and, at any time, I can decline to participate in any or all activities. I agree to abide by all safety instructions and information provided me and to comply with the directions of the agents for the County. Further, I understand that the County may decline to assign or terminate my participation in these activities for any or no reason.

I understand that the County may conduct a criminal background check on me and consent to such a check being conducted.

I understand that, if I am required to operate a motor vehicle during the activities, the County may conduct a check of my motor vehicle record, which I consent to, and require proof of insurance. A Maryland Insurance Certification (FR-19) is the only acceptable form of verification.

If the Volunteer is under eighteen (18) years old, the Parent or Guardian must also sign and agree as follows:

As Parent/Guardian of the Volunteer, a minor, I give permission for his/her participation in such activities. On behalf of the minor, I agree to the General Release and Waiver and that every waiver, hold harmless and consent stated herein applies to him/her to the same extent as it would apply to an adult.

Volunteer

Date

Parent/Guardian

Date

Printed Name/Relationship