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Volunteer Waiver of Liability Agreement

This Document Affects Your Legal Rights. Read Carefully Before Signing

I wish to participate in Volunteer Activity with the Mississippi Watershed Management Organization (MWMO). I state and affirm that:

- My participation is voluntary. No one is forcing me to participate.
- I acknowledge the Activity is NOT an ESSENTIAL service provided by the MWMO.
- I understand and acknowledge the Activity I am about to voluntarily engage in as a participant has certain risks, including but not limited to physical injury. I understand these risks known or unknown, anticipated or unanticipated may result in injury, death, illness, disease or damage to myself or my property, or to other persons and their property.
- I hereby personally assume all risks in connection with this Activity and I hereby agree to hold the MWMO, its officials, employees, agents and contractors harmless and I waive any right to make claims or bring lawsuits against the MWMO or anyone working on behalf of the MWMO for any injuries or damages related to the alleged negligence of the MWMO.
- This waiver does not apply to any injuries or damages that are the result of any willful, wanton, or intentional misconduct by the MWMO or anyone acting on behalf of the MWMO.
- I understand that entering into and signing this agreement affects my legal rights and result in my giving up or waiving certain legal rights, and I accept this and sign this agreement of my own free will.
- The terms of this agreement shall bind the members of my family, if I am alive, and my heirs, assigns and personal representatives if I am deceased.

My signature indicates I have read this entire document, understand it completely, acknowledge that it cannot be modified or changed in any way by oral representations, and agree to be bound by its terms.

Name _____ Date(s) of Activity _____
(Please Print Full Name)

Address _____
City State Zip Code

Signature _____ Date _____

Notice: If participant is under 18 years old or has a legal guardian, this release must be co-signed by a parent or guardian.

I certify that I am the parent or legal guardian of the above individual and hereby consent to his or her participation in the Activity. I have read and understand the above Volunteer Waiver of Liability Agreement and I agree to be bound by the terms stated therein.

Name of Parent/Guardian (Please Print) Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

Photograph Release and Waiver

I, _____, hereby grant permission to the Mississippi Watershed Management Organization (“MWMO”) to use, reproduce or publish photographs or video of my minor child/children’s image, likeness or voice without compensation, to be used for MWMO educational and other public purpose programs or projects. I understand that my minor child/children’s likeness may be used in MWMO publications, literature, the internet, or other means that the MWMO may choose to promote its educational and other public purpose programs and projects. I hereby grant permission to the MWMO to edit, crop, or retouch such images, and waive any right to inspect or approve the images now or in the future. I understand that the MWMO may use such images with or without associating names thereto.

I hereby fully release the MWMO, and waive any claim against the MWMO, on behalf of my minor child or children for damages of any kind arising out of the use or the publication of images of my child or children by the MWMO. I agree not to sue or otherwise initiate legal proceedings on behalf of my minor child or children against the MWMO for use or publication as described above. All grants of permission and consent, and all agreements contained herein are irrevocable.

I acknowledge and represent that I am over the age of 18, that have read the entire document and understand its terms and provisions, and that I have signed it knowingly and voluntarily on behalf of my minor child or children.

Name of Minor Participant(s) (Please Print) Age(s)

Signature of Parent/Guardian Date