

Volunteer Waiver and Release of Claim

In consideration of and as a condition to being permitted to participate in the volunteer activities of the _____ (the "Event") for The Diocese of Colorado Springs, or its related organizations* ("the Diocese"), the undersigned hereby waives and releases any claims or causes of action for any damages, personal injury, or property loss which the undersigned may have, or which may subsequently accrue to the undersigned, arising directly or indirectly from participation in the Event.

The undersigned acknowledges and understands that accidents resulting in injury occasionally occur during such activities, as the undersigned will be engaging in during the Event. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the undersigned hereby agrees to fully assume any and all risk of harm or injury which may occur to the undersigned during the Event, and to release and hold harmless the Diocese and its officers, agents, employees and other volunteers from any claims or causes of action as set forth above.

It is further understood that the undersigned is volunteering his or her time and labor to the Event. The undersigned acknowledges and understands that as a volunteer, he or she is not eligible for any wages or other benefits of employment, such as workers' compensation insurance, and the undersigned fully waives any claim for same for any work or activity he or she contributes during the Event.

Finally, it is understood and agreed that this waiver, release, and assumption of risk is binding on the heirs, successors, and assigns of the undersigned.

Event Volunteer Signature

Date

Home phone: _____

Work phone: _____

Mobile phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____

Emergency Contact phone: _____

* "Related Organizations" includes all Diocesan parishes, missions, schools, and ministries and also Catholic Charities of Central Colorado and Partners in Housing, Inc..

(7 years retention)