

VOLUNTEER CONSENT FORM

Participation and Release Form

I, _____, execute this release voluntarily and on my own behalf. In consideration of being allowed to participate in volunteer activities with Mountain Ranch Property Owners Association (MRPOA), I hereby release the MRPOA, its officers and members from any and all claims for damages, injuries or sickness, which may result either directly or indirectly from those activities.

I am aware that potentially dangerous conditions exist where the volunteer activities are to occur, including but not limited to the use of hand tools and powered landscaping tools (e.g., small chain saws, etc.), handling vegetation cuttings of various species and sizes, including thorn-bearing or poisonous plants, fallen trees, limbs, rocks, debris and other materials on uneven or slippery ground. I have satisfied myself that the risk of harm from participating in these activities is acceptable. I have also satisfied myself that I am physically able to undertake these activities.

I agree that I will only operate equipment that I am qualified to use, I will wear appropriate protective equipment (e.g., goggles, gloves, ear protection), and I will immediately stop work if I observe unsafe conditions.

I understand and acknowledge that the MRPOA is not responsible for any injuries, damages or sickness that may result from my participation in these activities, and if I am incapacitated or otherwise unable to consent, I agree to a reasonable degree of emergency medical treatment as may be necessary. I understand that I would not be allowed to participate in the activities if I did not execute this consent and release.

Description of volunteer activities: _____

Timeframe of activities: _____

Further, I release the MRPOA and its officers and members from any and all claims for injuries sustained to personal property resulting from participation in the volunteer activities described above and agree to defend, with an attorney acceptable to the MRPOA, indemnify and save the MRPOA and its officers and members from any and all claims, costs and damages, including attorney fees and costs incurred in the evaluation, defense or appeal of any claim resulting from injury to any person or damage to property of whatsoever nature arising out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or entities released, except for injury to person or damage to property arising out of the intentional misconduct or the recklessness of the MRPOA.

I understand that the MRPOA does not provide medical, health, disability, accident, or workers' compensation insurance coverage for volunteers, and I am responsible for any insurance coverage I consider necessary.

I have carefully read this Participation and Release Form and fully understand its content. I am aware that this is a release of liability for negligence and a contract between me and MRPOA, and I sign it voluntarily and of my own free will.

Volunteer Name: _____

Volunteer Signature: _____ Date: _____

Contact Information

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Street Address: _____ City _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Emergency Contact Phone: _____

Minor Release

If the volunteer is a minor (under age 18), a parent or legal guardian must read the entire agreement and complete this section:

Volunteer Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Relationship: _____

I have carefully read this Participation and Release Form and fully understand its content. I have authority to sign this agreement on the minor’s behalf, and I consent to the minor’s participation in the volunteer activities. I understand that such activities involve risks described in this Participation and Release form. On behalf of myself and the minor, I voluntarily assume all risks associated with the minor’s participation and I authorize emergency medical treatment if necessary.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____