

Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID -19

The novel coronavirus, COVID 19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is reported to be extremely contagious. The state of medical knowledge is evolving, but the virus is believed to spread from person to person contact and/or by contact with contaminated surfaces and objects. People reportedly can be infected and show no symptoms and therefore spread the disease. The exact methods of spread and contraction are not fully known at this time, and there is no known cure, treatment or vaccine for COVID 19. Evidence has shown that COVID 19 can cause serious and potentially life threatening illness and even death

USD 244 / Burlington Schools cannot prevent you / or your children from becoming exposed to, contracting or spreading COVID -19 while utilizing USD 244 premises. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to utilize USD 244 facilities for this event you may be exposing yourself to and / or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID – 19.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I have read and understood the above warning concerning COVID -19. I hereby choose to accept the risk of contracting COVID – 19 for myself and/or children in order to utilize and participant in USD 244 / Burlington Schools event. These services are of such value to me and/or my children that I accept the risk of being exposed, contracting and or spreading COVID -19.

WAIVER OF LIABILITY: I hereby release and waive my rights to bring suit against USD 244/ Burlington Schools and their employees or other representatives in connection with exposure, infection and / or spread of COVID -19 related to the use and participation in USD 244/Burlington Schools event. I understand that this waiver means I give up my right to bring any claims including for personal injuries, death, disease or property losses, or any other loss, including but not limited to claims of negligence and give up any claim I may have to seek damages whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ALL PROVISIONS OF THIS RELEASE AND FREELY AND KNOWINGLY ASSUME THE RISK AND WAIVE MY RIGHTS CONCERNING LIABILITY AS DESCRIBED ABOVE.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

(Participant)

I am the parent or legal guardian of the minor named above. I have the legal right to consent to and by signing below, I hereby do consent to the terms and conditions of this release.

Signature: _____

Date: _____