

**RELEASE OF LIABILITY FORM**

THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY made and entered into this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_\_\_, by and between Riverwood Therapeutic Riding Center, hereinafter designated as "The Company" and \_\_\_\_\_, hereinafter designated as "Volunteer".

**WITNESSETH:**

WHEREAS, the company is pleased to provide certain corporate services, including the use of its ponies for certain specified designated occasion; and

WHEREAS, the Volunteer is desirous of availing himself/herself as a volunteer for such services.

NOW, THEREFORE, In consideration of the above and for good and valuable considerations the parties agree as follows:

1. Volunteer agrees to release the Company, its heirs, successors, employees, directors, officers, and agents, jointly and severally, from any and all claims, causes of action, injuries, damages, costs or expenses arising out of Volunteer's use of or presence upon the Company's property and facilities, including without limitation, those based on death, bodily injury, property damage, including consequential damages, except if caused by the direct willful and wanton negligence of the Company. Further, Volunteer agrees to indemnify and save harmless the Company and its heirs, successors, employees, directors, officers, and agents, jointly and severally, from any costs, expenses, legal fees, which either may or at any time arise in connection with the use of the Company's property and/or facilities.
2. Volunteer agrees and understands that there are certain inherent risks involved in working around horses and does hereby agree to assume any and all risk involved in or arising from Volunteer's use of or presence upon the Company's property or facilities including without limitation, those based on death, bodily injury, property damage, including consequential damages, except if caused by the direct willful and wanton negligence of the Company.
3. Volunteer agrees to abide by any and all of the Company's rules and regulations as explained to or furnished by the Company to Volunteer.
4. The interpretation of this Agreement and enforcement of same shall be as interpreted by the laws of the State of North Carolina.
5. Volunteer does hereby certify as attested by the signature below that they have read and understand the above Release and do enter into the same voluntarily without any duress or coercion whatsoever.
6. The terms and provisions of this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of the respective parties hereto, their heirs, successors, and assigns.

RIVERWOOD THERAPEUTIC RIDING CENTER, INC.

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature and Title of Riverwood Representative

\_\_\_\_\_(SEAL)  
Volunteer's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_(SEAL)  
Parent or Guardian (if Volunteer is a minor)

Address & Telephone of Volunteer:  
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