



Release and Waiver of Liability

Basset Hound Rescue of Southern California

I, _____, ("the Volunteer"), release, forever discharge, and agree to indemnify and hold harmless Basset Hound Rescue of Southern California (BHRSC) and its officers, directors, representatives, successors, and assigns from and against any and all liability, claims, actions or causes of action, suits, and demands of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from my volunteer work with BHRSC.

I understand that this Waiver discharges BHRSC from any liability or claim that I, the Volunteer, may have against BHRSC with respect to bodily injury, personal injury, illness, death, or property damage that may result from my participation with BHRSC. I also fully understand that BHRSC does not assume any responsibility for or obligation to provide financial assistance or other assistance, including, but not limited to, medical, health or disability insurance, in the event of injury, illness, death or property damage.

I, the Volunteer, understand that I expressly waive any such claim for compensation or liability on the part of BHRSC beyond what may be offered freely by the representative of BHRSC in the event of such injury or medical expense.

I hereby release BHRSC from any claim whatsoever which arises or may arise in the future on account of any first aid treatment or other medical services that are conducted in connection with an emergency during my time with BHRSC.

I understand that my time with BHRSC may include various activities that may be hazardous to me and I hereby expressly and specifically assume the risk of injury or harm in these activities and release BHRSC from all liability for injury, illness, death, or property damage resulting from the activities of my time with BHRSC.

I grant unto BHRSC all right, title, and interest in any and all photographic images and video or audio recordings that are made by BHRSC during my work with BHRSC, including, but not limited to, any royalties, proceeds, or other benefits that are derived from such photographs or recordings.

I, the Volunteer, understand that I am not an employee, agent, subcontractor, or independent contractor of or any agent of BHRSC. I further understand BHRSC will not provide me with any pay, compensation, insurance, worker's compensation, or any other benefit to which an employee may be entitled.

I expressly agree that this Waiver is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of California in the United States of America, and that this Waiver shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of California. I agree that in the event that any clause or provision of this Waiver shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provisions of this Release which shall continue to be enforceable.

By signing below, I express my understanding and intent to enter into this Release and Waiver of Liability willingly and voluntarily.

Clearly print – Volunteer Name

Volunteer Signature

Date