

ACCIDENT WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY FORM / PHOTO RELEASE

Name of the Activity or Event: **March for Water 09**
Dates of Activities or Events: 3/16/09 through 3/23/09

I HEREBY ASSUME ALL OF THE RISKS OF PARTICIPATING AND/OR VOLUNTEERING IN THIS ACTIVITY OR EVENT, including by way of example and not limitation, any risks that may arise from negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or entities being released, from dangerous or defective equipment or property owned, maintained, or controlled by them, or because of their possible liability without fault.

I certify that I am physically fit, have sufficiently prepared or trained for participation in the activity or event, and have not been advised to not participate by a qualified medical professional. I certify that there are no health-related reasons or problems which preclude my participation in this activity or event.

I acknowledge that this Accident Waiver and Release of Liability Form will be used by the event holders, sponsors, and organizers of the activity or event in which I may participate, and that it will govern my actions and responsibilities at said activity or event. In consideration of my application and permitting me to participate in this event, I hereby take action for myself, my executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors, and assigns as follows: (A) I WAIVE, RELEASE, AND DISCHARGE from any and all liability, including but not limited to, liability arising from the negligence or fault of the entities or persons released, for my death, disability, personal injury, property damage, property theft, or actions of any kind which may hereafter occur to me including my traveling to and from this event, THE FOLLOWING ENTITIES OR PERSONS: March for Water Coalition, Urban Semillas, Anahuak Youth Sports Association, Green LA Coalition, Food & Water Watch, Southern CA Watershed Alliance, Academia Avance, Sierra Club, Environmental Justice Coalition for Water, Arroyo Seco Foundation, Friends of the Los Angeles River, National Hispanic Environmental Council, Heal the Bay, California State Parks, City of Los Angeles Rec and Parks, Los Angeles Conservation Corps, Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy, Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority, City of Los Angeles, Los Angeles Department Water and Power, Jewish Community Foundation, The Nature Conservancy, Water Replenishment District of Southern California, Office of Councilmember Ed Reyes, Office of Senator Alex Padilla, office of Assemblymember Kevin D. Leon, Office of Council president Eric Garcetti, Oscilloscope, trans Africa Forum, Planning and Conservation League Foundation, William C. Velasquez, Mujeres de La Tierra, Unitarian Universalist Legislative Ministry California, North East Trees, Amigos de Los Arios, Ecousable, Bottless, The City Project CA, Ollin, Orchestra Audio, Steven Starr, County of Los Angeles and/or their directors, officers, employees, volunteers, representatives and agents, the activity or event holders, activity or event sponsors, activity or event partners, activity or event volunteers; (B) I INDEMNIFY, HOLD HARMLESS, AND PROMISE NOT TO SUE the entities or persons mentioned in this paragraph from any and all liabilities or claims made as a result of participation in this activity or event, whether caused by the negligence of release or otherwise.

I acknowledge that March for Water Coalition and their directors, officers, volunteers, representatives, partners and agents are NOT responsible for the errors, omissions, acts, or failures to act of any party or entity conducting a specific event or activity on behalf of The March for Water Coalition. I acknowledge that this activity or event may involve a test of a person's physical and mental limits and may carry with it the potential for death, serious injury, and property loss. The risks may include, but are not limited to, those caused by terrain, facilities, temperature, weather, condition of participants, equipment, vehicular traffic, actions of other people including, but not limited to, participants, volunteers, spectators, coaches, event officials, and event monitors, and/or producers of the event, and lack of hydration. These risks are not only inherent to participants, but are also present for volunteers.

I hereby consent to receive medical treatment which may be deemed advisable in the event of injury, accident, and/or illness during this activity or events.

I understand that at this event or related activities, I may be photographed. I agree to allow my photo, video, or film likeness to be used for any legitimate purpose by the event holders, producers, sponsors, organizers, and assigns.

The accident waiver and release of liability shall be construed broadly to provide a release and waiver to the maximum extent permissible under applicable law.

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT, AND I FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENT. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT AND I SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.

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Print Participant's Name Over 18 ? Signature Date

PARENT / GUARDIAN WAIVER FOR MINORS (Under 18 years old)

The undersigned parent and natural guardian does hereby represent that he/she is, in fact, acting in such capacity, has consented to his/her child or ward's participation in the activity or event, and has agreed individually and on behalf of the child or ward, to the terms of the accident waiver and release of liability set forth above. The undersigned parent or guardian further agrees to save and hold harmless and indemnify each and all of the parties referred to above from all liability, loss, cost, claim, or damage whatsoever which may be imposed upon said parties because of any defect in or lack of such capacity to so act and release said parties on behalf of the minor and the parents or legal guardian.

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Parent/Guardian Name Signature Date