



**ALLEGHENY
LAND TRUST**

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Please Read Before Signing

IN CONSIDERATION for being permitted to participate in an Allegheny Land Trust (ALT) volunteer event ("Activity"), I for myself or the person for whom I am signing this agreement agree to be legally bound by the promises set forth below to:

1. ACKNOWLEDGE, agree, and represent that I understand the nature of ALT activities and that I am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such Activity. I further agree and warrant that if at any time I believe conditions to be unsafe, I will immediately discontinue further participation in the Activity.
2. FULLY UNDERSTAND THAT: (a) a volunteer Activity may involve risks and dangers; (b) these risks and dangers may be caused by my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Activity, or the conditions in which the Activity takes place; (c) I am responsible for exercising good judgment and acting responsibly, and to obey all oral or written guidance, instructions (including signage), and warnings given by ALT; (d) I fully accept and assume all such risks and all responsibilities for injuries I incur or even death as a result of my participation in the Activity.
3. HEREBY FOREVER RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the ALT, their respective administrators, directors, officers, and employees, other participants, any sponsors, advertisers, and, owner and lessors of premises on which the activity takes place, (each considered one of the "Releasees" herein) from all liability, claims, or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused by the negligence or conduct of the "Releasees".
4. FULLY GRANT PERMISSION to the ALT, and its agents, employees or assigns, the irrevocable right to produce, reproduce, broadcast and otherwise use, photographs, films, recordings, digital images and other depictions, likeness or images of me, in any media form in connection with my attendance at or participation in the Activity without compensation or notification, for an unlimited duration. Check to *DECLINE* this article
5. AGREE THAT I AM 18 YEARS OF AGE or more, or if not I am signing as parent or guardian of a minor child with the consent of the other parent or guardian (if any). I understand that I may be giving up the rights of my child and spouse to sue as well as giving up my own right to sue.

I have read this agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that this release agreement is unlimited in duration and covers all activities that I participate in at any time in the future, that I have given up substantial rights by signing it, and have signed it freely and without inducement or assurance of any nature.

Participant/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Required information for Signee (Please Print):

Name: _____ E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

If Signing for a minor: Name(s) of minor(s): _____

Special Considerations (if any): _____

General Activity: Volunteering for the ALT often requires physical exertion working on a variety of landscapes doing trail maintenance, invasive removal or other best management practices. You might be working with shovels, pruners, chainsaws, hand saws and other tools to make the job more efficient. You might also be exposed to a variety of elements which may include sudden weather changes, poison ivy, bees, and other wildlife. These are just examples and not an entire list, if you have any concerns; please let ALT stewardship staff know before performing any tasks.