

Dripping Springs Ranch Park 1042 Event Center Drive PO BOX 384

Dripping Springs, TX 78620

## RELEASE & WAIVER OF LIABILITY & PARENTAL/GUARDIAN CONSENT

In consideration of the City of Dripping Springs ("City") allowing myself or my child to participate in horseback/sheep/bull riding and other farm animal related activities ("Farm Animal Activities" as defined in Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code § 87.001) at Dripping Springs Ranch Park ("Park"), I hereby agree as follows:

## A. Acknowledgement of Risks

- 1. I fully understand and hereby acknowledge that Farm Animal Activities and other outdoor related activities have inherent risks, dangers and hazards.
- 2. My own or my child's participation in Farm Animal Activities may result in injury, illness or death.
- 3. These risks may be the result of inherent risks from riding horses or may be caused by the negligence of the City, its agents, or employees, or the sponsors, if any, of Farm Animal Activities at the Park.

### **B.** Assumption of Risks

- 1. I hereby assume all risks of danger or injury to myself and/or my child.
- 2. I hereby assume responsibility for all losses or damages involving myself or my child, regardless of cause.
- 3. I hereby assume responsibility for all losses or damages involving my operation of any motor vehicles while entering and exiting the Park.
- 4. I hereby assume responsibility for all losses or damages involving any horse belonging to me or being used by me or my child at the Park.

# C. Release from Liability

I, on behalf of myself, my child, my personal representatives, my equipment, my heirs and assigns, hereby voluntarily waive, release, discharge, hold harmless, defend and indemnify the City, its agents, employees, and officers from any and all claims, actions, losses for bodily injury, property damage, wrongful death, loss of services, or otherwise, which may arise from my own or my child's participation in Farm Animal activities at the Park regardless of any negligent acts or omissions of the City, its agents, officers, or employees.

#### D. Statutory Warning

**WARNING:** UNDER TEXAS LAW (CHAPTER 87, CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE), A FARM ANIMAL PROFESSIONAL IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES.

**WARNING:** UNDER TEXAS LAW (CHAPTER 87, CIVIL PRACTICE AND REMEDIES CODE), A LIVESTOCK SHOW SPONSOR IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN A LIVESTOCK SHOW RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF LIVESTOCK SHOW ACTIVITIES.

#### E. Venue

The venue for any dispute arising out of this instrument shall be Hays County, Texas.

I have read this Release and Waiver and by signing it agree with its terms. It is my intention to exempt and relieve the City of Dripping Springs from any and all liability related to my own or my child's participation in any Farm Animal Activities. I understand this waiver is only valid for a fiscal year, October 1- September 31, and must be renewed annually.

| First Name:      |  | Last Name:  |       |  |
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| Address:         |  |   |       |  |
| City:            |  | State:  | Zip:  |  |
| Phone:           |  | Email:  |       |  |
| Signature X:     |  |   | Date: |  |
| Printed Name     | of Parent/Guardian (if under           | 18):  |       |  |
| nitial Visit Inf | formation (Event & Date):              |   |       |  |
| Yes N            | Are you interested in joining the Dr   | Are you interested in joining the Dripping Springs Ranch Park Newsletter?   |       |  |
| Yes N            | No Springs Ranch Park. I understand th | The City of Dripping Springs and Dripping Springs Ranch Park have my permission to use my photograph or video publicly to promote Dripping Springs Ranch Park. I understand that the images or videos may be used in print publications, online publications, websites presentations, and social media. I also understand that no royalty, fee, or compensation shall become payable to me by reason of such use. |       |  |