

Volunteer Release Form (Pg 1)

Volunteer Participant Release and Waiver of Liability Form All volunteers must sign this form and bring it to orientation on the first day. Group leaders: please make sure that all members of your group have completed these forms. Please carefully read before signing, this is a legal document that affects your legal rights as a volunteer with Rebuild Joplin. Please print all information clearly. If you are under 18, please have a parent or guardian sign this agreement ahead of time if they will not be coming with you.

This Release and Waiver of Liability, signed on (date) _____, by (volunteer's name) _____, in favor of Rebuild Joplin, Jasper/Newton county, Joplin City, and their partner organizations, directors, officers, members, and affiliates.

I, the volunteer, desire to work as a volunteer for **Rebuild Joplin** and engage in activities, as coordinated by **Rebuild Joplin**, related to being a volunteer. I freely and voluntarily execute this release under the following terms.

1. Release and Waiver: I understand that I am engaging in this project on my own risk. I hereby release and forever discharge **Rebuild Joplin** from any and all liability, claims and demands of whatever kind either in law or in equity, which arise from my activities with **Rebuild Joplin**. I understand that this Release discharges **Rebuild Joplin** from any liability or claim that I may have against **Rebuild Joplin** with respect to bodily injury, personal injury, or property damages that may result from my activities with **Rebuild Joplin**. I also understand that **Rebuild Joplin** does not assume any responsibility for or obligation to provide financial or other assistance, including but not limited to medical, health, auto or disability insurance in the event of injury or loss.

2. Assumption of Risk: I understand that this work entails a risk of physical injury and often involves hard physical labor, heavy lifting and other strenuous activity; and that some activities may take place on ladders and building framing other than ground level. I certify that I am in good health and physically able to perform this type of work.

3. Medical Treatment: I hereby release and forever discharge **Rebuild Joplin** from any claim which arises or may arise on account of first aid, treatment or any service rendered in connection with my volunteer activities with **Rebuild Joplin**.

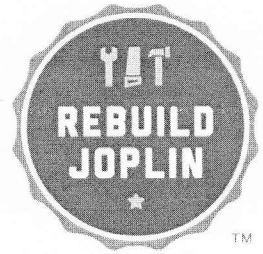
4. Insurance: I understand that **Rebuild Joplin** does not carry or provide health, medical, disability, or auto insurance coverage for any emergent volunteer. Each volunteer is expected and encouraged to obtain their own medical, health, disability, and auto insurance.

5. Photographic Release: I do hereby grant and convey unto the Rebuild Joplin all right, title and interest in any and all photographic images and video or audio recordings made by Rebuild Joplin during my work, including, but not limited to, any royalties, proceeds or other benefits derived from such photographs or recordings.

6. Housing: In the event that my supervising disaster organization arranges accommodations, I understand that they are not responsible or liable for my personal effects and property and that they will not provide lock up security for any items. I will hold them harmless in the event of theft or for loss resulting from any source or cause. I further understand that I am to abide by whatever rules and regulations that may be in effect at that time.

7. Other: I agree that this Release and Waiver is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by local and state laws. I agree that in the event that any provision of this release shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such provision shall not otherwise affect the remainder of the Release and Waiver, which shall continue to be held enforceable.

Initials _____



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By my signature, for myself, my estate and my heirs, I release, discharge, indemnify and forever hold Rebuild Joplin together with its officers, agents, servants and employees, harmless from any and all causes of action arising from my participation in this project and travel or lodging associated therewith.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Parent's Signature (if volunteer is under 18): _____

Dates volunteered: _____ to _____

E-mail: _____ Cell: () _____ - _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT (REQUIRED)

Name: _____

Relationship: _____

Phone: _____

Alternate Phone: _____

Is this your first time volunteering with Rebuild Joplin?

How did you hear about Rebuild Joplin?

- Google Search for volunteering in Joplin
- Newspaper story (online or print): _____
- Television story: _____
- Other online media: _____

- Friend: _____
- Company: _____
- Organization at college/University: _____
- Other (please specify): _____