COVID-19 Volunteer Liability Waiver

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Tree Pittsburgh is responding to COVID-19 concerns by following these guidelines and precautions, including asking for a health history review from all attendees. However, Tree Pittsburgh cannot guarantee that you or a member of your group will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, attending a Tree Pittsburgh program or event could increase your risk, or the risk of others in your group, of contracting COVID-19. We are asking all attendees to help us prevent the transmission of the virus.

Before you arrive

Agree to the following:

- I, as well as all household members, do not currently have, nor have experienced the symptoms of COVID-19 within the last 14 days.
- I affirm that I, as well as all household members, have not been diagnosed with COVID-19 within the last 14 days.
- I affirm that I, as well as all household members, have not knowingly been exposed to anyone diagnosed with COVID-19 within the last 14 days.
- I affirm that I, as well as all household members, have not traveled outside of the country, or to any city outside of our own that is or has been considered a "hot spot" for COVID-19 infections within the last 14 days.
- I affirm that I am following all CDC recommended guidelines as much as possible and limiting my exposure to the coronavirus/COVID-19.
- I affirm that I will inform Tree Pittsburgh should I develop COVID-like symptoms within 14 days of attending a Tree Pittsburgh event or program.
- I understand that Tree Pittsburgh cannot be held liable for any exposure to the virus or any other contagion caused by misinformation on this form or the health history of other volunteers.

When you arrive

Tree Pittsburgh has increased its sanitary/disinfecting procedures in compliance with CDC guidelines. We request all volunteers to follow these enhanced procedures, as well, to help prevent the spread of COVID 19:

- Practice safe physical distancing protocols, 6 feet minimum, at all times.
- Provide your own face masks and wear masks over mouth and nose when social distancing is not possible in groups of people outside of your own household.
- Please wash or sanitize your hands frequently and wear gloves provided to you by Tree Pittsburgh.
- Please avoid all physical contact with other volunteers or staff, including handshakes and hugs.
- Please do not share tools with other volunteers or staff members.

Acknowledgement

I acknowledge the contagious nature of the coronavirus/COVID-19 and further acknowledge that Tree Pittsburgh has put into practice preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19. I further acknowledge that Tree Pittsburgh cannot guarantee that I will not become infected by COVID-19. I acknowledge the above statements and safety protocols set by Tree Pittsburgh and will do my best to adhere to them. Should I violate these terms I acknowledge that Tree Pittsburgh staff may ask me to leave. By acknowledging this policy on Signup Genius or a sign-in sheet at a volunteer event, I release Tree Pittsburgh from all liability for unintentional exposure or harm due to COVID-19.