

VOLUNTEER RELEASE AND WAIVER FORM

This is a waiver and release. Please read it carefully before signing.



PROJECT: Alberta Main Street Earth Day Clean Up **DATE:** April 22, 2107

I, the undersigned, enter this Release and Waiver of Liability and Assumption of Risk Agreement (“Agreement”) on behalf of myself, my personal representatives, next of kin, heirs, successors, and assigns. This is a combined Agreement on behalf of Alberta Main Street, SOLVE and City of Portland – Office of Neighborhood Involvement (“Project Partners”).

- I make this Agreement in consideration of the Released Parties providing me with the opportunity to **participate as a volunteer** in this project.
- I understand that the Project may include **dangerous or hazardous** activities and that the Project may take place on a location or under conditions that may be dangerous to me.
- **I accept full personal responsibility** for all risks arising from or relating to this Project.
- My participation in this Project is **completely voluntary** and I have neither received nor expect to receive any compensation for my participation in it.
- I agree to read, listen to and follow all **safety instructions and procedures** presented in conjunction with this Project and to **use my best judgment** based upon my physical and mental abilities at all times, and to immediately terminate participation in this Project if activities become too strenuous, difficult or hazardous for me.
- I agree that the activities necessary to complete the Project have been **fully and adequately explained** to me and that I am **physically and mentally capable** of participating in the Project without injuring myself in any manner.
- I agree to **waive all liability** of the Released Parties, **discharge them, and covenant not to sue them** for any liability, claims, sums, costs, or other expenses on my account that may be caused in whole or in part by my participation in the Project.
- I agree that this Agreement shall act as a **complete bar against all actions or claims** that I might otherwise bring against the Released Parties, including negligence claims, arising from or related to this project.
- I understand that a **photographer may be present** to photograph the activities at the Project and that I may be photographed while participating in the Project. I agree that I will contact the photographer **if I do not wish to be photographed**.
- I hereby grant the Project Partners the irrevocable and unrestricted right to **use and publish photographs of me**, or in which I may be included. I hereby release Photographer and his/her legal representatives and assigns and the Project Partners from all claims and liability relating to any such photographs.
- I have read this Agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that I have **given up substantial rights** by signing it, and have **signed it freely** and without any inducement or assurance of any nature. I intend this Agreement to be a **complete and unconditional release of all liability** to the greatest extent allowed by law, and I further agree that if any portion of this Agreement is held invalid, then the balance of the Agreement shall continue in full force and effect.
- I understand my duties may include **removing graffiti** from certain properties - using materials provided and/or approved by the Graffiti Abatement Program. I am responsible to follow safe practices and will wear protective gear and masks and that I **may not** remove graffiti from private property without first obtaining written permission from the property owner (Graffiti Removal Permission Form). I agree to not attempt graffiti removal from: the **fronts** of any street signs or bus stop signs, or advertising benches at bus stops. I will report these sites to the Graffiti Abatement Coordinator by phone 503-823-5860 or other means.
- While performing my duties as a volunteer for the Project Partners, I will not engage in confrontations with the public, nor will I carry any type weapon – including pepper spray, mace, firearm or knife.
- I make this Agreement for the benefit of the Project Partners, other individual volunteers, project coordinators, sponsors, suppliers, supporters, and all private and public land owners on whose property the project described above may be located (collectively the “Released Parties), including, without limitation, the Released Parties’ employees, agents, personal representatives, next of kin, heirs, successors and assigns.

THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTERING PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY (The Project Partners will never sell or trade your information.)

Name																								
Email																								
Address																								
City																	State					Zip		
Organization																								

Emergency Contact Name & Phone:

<input type="checkbox"/> I am over the age of 18		
	Signature	Date

I am 18 – 35 Years Old 36 – 64 Years Old 65+ Years Old

If you are signing this for youth volunteers, please also complete below:

<input type="checkbox"/> I am authorized, responsible and signing this waiver for the following volunteers under the age of 18.		
	Name of group or individuals (use back if necessary)	# of youth signed for

May we add you to our monthly electronic newsletter?

YES NO Alberta Main Street YES NO SOLVE YES NO Graffiti Abatement Office

Alberta Main Street - 1722 NE Alberta Street - Portland, OR 97211

SOLVE - 2000 SW 1st Avenue, #400 - Portland, OR 97201

Graffiti Abatement Program, Office of Neighborhood Involvement - 1221 SW 4th Avenue, Room 110 - Portland, OR 97204