



Big Ivy Community Center

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Volunteer Waiver of Liability & Hold Harmless Agreement**

Volunteer Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

1. Purpose

This Waiver of Liability applies to all volunteers assisting on Big Ivy Community Center property, including but not limited to:

- Food pantry operations
 - Sorting, packing, and distributing food
 - Cleaning inside facilities
 - Cleanup and maintenance around outdoor property
 - Loading/unloading donations
 - Assisting with events or community activities
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2. Assumption of Risk

I understand and acknowledge that volunteering may involve physical activity and potential hazards, including but not limited to:

- Lifting, bending, carrying items
- Slips, trips, and falls
- Exposure to weather conditions
- Use of equipment, tools, carts, or cleaning supplies
- Interaction with members of the public

I knowingly and freely assume all risks associated with these activities.

3. Waiver, Release & Hold Harmless

In consideration for being allowed to volunteer on Big Ivy Community Center property, I hereby:

- Release and discharge Big Ivy Community Center, its board, employees, agents, and representatives from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions, or causes of action arising out of any injury, damage, or loss I may sustain while volunteering.
 - Agree to hold harmless and indemnify Big Ivy Community Center from any claims that may result from my actions, conduct, or negligence while volunteering.
 - Understand that this release applies to injuries or damages caused in whole or in part by ordinary negligence, but not gross negligence or intentional misconduct.
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4. Medical Treatment Authorization

I authorize Big Ivy Community Center staff to secure emergency medical treatment on my behalf if necessary. I understand that I am responsible for any associated medical costs.

5. Volunteer Responsibilities

I agree to:

- Follow all staff instructions and safety guidelines
- Use equipment and supplies responsibly
- Report hazards or unsafe conditions promptly

- Maintain respectful behavior toward staff, volunteers, and community members
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6. Photographs & Media Consent (Optional)

I DO give consent

I DO NOT give consent

for Big Ivy Community Center to use photographs or video of me volunteering for promotional or documentation purposes.

7. Duration

This waiver remains in effect for 12 months from the date signed or until revoked in writing.

8. Acknowledgment & Signature

By signing below, I confirm that I have read and understand this agreement, and I voluntarily agree to its terms.

Volunteer Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18): _____ Date: _____

Staff Witness: _____ Date: _____
