

## SPECIAL EVENT AUTHORIZATION FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION Northeast Regional Office 1239 SW 10th Street Ocala, FL 34471 (352) 732-1225 GENERAL RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I, (Print name) \_\_\_\_\_\_, am aware of and understand the inherent risks and dangers, as well as the presence of potential risks of which I may not yet be aware of, including serious injury or death, property damage, and unanticipated or unexpected dangers that may arise related to my participation in the following activity:

## **Adventure Races**

Due to the risks and dangers of participating in the above activity, I recognize the importance of and agree to fully comply with the applicable permit, laws, rules, regulations, and any instructions, orders or commands given to me by the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's (FWC) officers, employees, agents, assigns, volunteers, or partners during my participation in the above activity.

WHEREFORE, in consideration for my voluntary participation in the above activity, I hereby, for myself, my agents, administrators, and assigns, agree to release, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue FWC, the State of Florida, or their respective employees, agents, assigns, volunteers and partners for all liability, claims, demands, and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss to me for personal injury, death, or property damage sustained during participation in the above activity, including damages or injuries resulting from any negligent acts or omissions. I further hereby agree to hold harmless FWC from any loss, liability, damage, or costs, including court costs and attorneys' fees that FWC may incur due to my participation in this activity, whether caused by negligence of FWC or otherwise, to the fullest extent allowed by law.

IN SIGNING THIS GENERAL RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, I ACKNOWLEDGE AND REPRESENT THAT I have carefully read the foregoing Release and Wavier, understand it and sign it voluntarily as my own free act and deed; no oral representations, statements, or inducements, apart from the foregoing written Release and Wavier, have been made; I am at least eighteen (18) years of age and fully competent or, if I am under the age of 18 years of age or a dependant, I represent and certify that I have the permission of my parents and/or guardian to participate in this activity; and I execute this Release and Waiver for full, adequate, and complete consideration fully intending to be bound by same.

(Participant's Signature) (Date)

(Printed Name) (Date)

If under 18, parent or guardian signature is required:

(Parent/Guardian's Signature) (Date)