

READ CAREFULLY

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

In consideration of the Hawkinsville-Pulaski County Chamber of Commerce furnishing services and/or equipment to enable me to participate in the Great Ocmulgee RiverFest event, I agree as follows:

I fully understand and acknowledge that outdoor recreational activities have (a) inherent risks, dangers and hazards and such exists in my participation of HPCCOC activities; (b) my participation in such activities and/or use of such equipment may result in injury or illness including but not limited to bodily injury, disease, sprains, fractures, partial and /or total paralysis, or other ailments that could cause serious disability or death; (c) these risks and dangers may be caused by the negligence of the HPCCOC, employees officers, agents or volunteers of HPCCOC; the negligence of the participants, the negligence of others, accidents, breaches of contract, the forces of nature or other causes. Risks and dangers may arise from foreseeable or unforeseeable causes including, but no limited to, guide decision making, including that a guide may misjudge terrain, weather, trail or river route location and water level, risks of falling out of or drowning while in a canoe or kayak and such other risks, hazards and dangers that are integral to recreational activities and/or use of equipment, I hereby assume all risks and dangers and all responsibility for any losses and/or damages, whether caused in whole or in part by the negligence or other conduct of the HPCCOC, employees, officers, agents or volunteers of the Hawkinsville-Pulaski Co. Chamber of Commerce (HPCCOC), or by any other person.

I, on behalf of myself, my personal representatives and my heirs, hereby voluntarily agree to release, waive, discharge, hold harmless, defend and indemnify HPCCOC and its employees, officers, agents or volunteers from any and all claims which may arise out of my participation in HPCCOC activities. I specifically understand that I am releasing, discharging and waiving any claims or actions that I may have presently or in the future for the negligent acts or other conduct by the HPCCOC, employees, officers, agents or volunteers of the Hawkinsville-Pulaski Co. Chamber of Commerce. The venue of any dispute that may arise out of this agreement otherwise between the parties to which the Hawkinsville-Pulaski Co. Chamber of Commerce or its agents is a party shall be either the Pulaski County Courthouse in the City of Hawkinsville, Pulaski County , Georgia or State Supreme Court in Atlanta, GA,

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE AND BY SIGNING IT AGREE IT IS MY INTENTION TO EXEMPT AND RELIEVE THE HAWKINSVILLE-PULASKI CO. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, ITS BOARD MEMBERS, EMPLOYEES AND ITS VOLUNTEERS OR AGENTS FROM LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR WRONGFUL DEATH CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE OR ANY OTHER CAUSE.

Signature _____ Age _____ Date _____

Print Name _____ Group Name _____

Adress _____

Telephone Number _____

Emergency Contact Name _____ Relationship _____

Telephone Number _____ Date of Event _____

My Canoeing/Kayaking experience is: ___Never been in a canoe or kayak ___Beginner
(CHECK ONE) ___1 to 2 Years paddling ___3 to 10 years paddling ___Expert

Please list any medical problems here: (HBP: high blood pressure; ALL: allergies(what); HRT: heart; RES: Respiratory; OTH: other)
