



## Volunteer Agreement and Release

I, the undersigned, wish to volunteer my services to various community service organizations and projects through you, HandsOn South Florida, a not for profit Florida corporation. In consideration for allowing me to participate in HandsOn South Florida projects, and in consideration of HandsOn South Florida locating, arranging, coordinating and/or making available volunteer opportunities, I hereby agree and release HandsOn South Florida as follows:

I acknowledge and agree that the nature of the volunteer services which are typically performed by HandsOn South Florida volunteers and which may be performed by me as a HandsOn South Florida volunteer, may involve a) physical activity (including without limitation work with heavy tools and materials), b) contact with unidentified and unfamiliar persons, c) travel to and from various unspecified locations, and d) other potential risk of injury. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, I willingly and freely agree to volunteer and hereby assume any and all risk in connection with my volunteer efforts or participation, including without limitation risk of any accident or injury to person or property which I may sustain in connection with my participation as a HandsOn South Florida volunteer or in any HandsOn South Florida related project or activity. In addition to the foregoing, I will only participate in HandsOn South Florida activities and projects that I am physically capable of participation without risk of injury to myself.

I hereby acknowledge that HandsOn South Florida is an organization involved in assisting organizations and associations which may from time to time be involved in child care and related matters. I hereby confirm, represent and warrant that I have never been convicted of a violent crime, child abuse or neglect, child pornography, child abduction, kidnapping, rape or sexual offense or any other violation of law, nor have I ever been ordered by a court to receive psychiatric or psychological treatment in connection therewith.

I hereby release HandsOn South Florida and its directors, officers, partners, agents, employees, successors, assigns, licensees, sponsors, donors, representatives, guests, and affiliates from, and covenant not to sue for, any and all claims and causes of action, whether known or unknown, arising out of, based upon or relating to my participation as a HandsOn South Florida volunteer or in any HandsOn South Florida related activity or project, including, without limitations, any negligence of HandsOn South Florida, its officers, directors, partners, employees, agents, successors, assigns, licensees, sponsors, donors, representatives, guests, and affiliates. Furthermore, to the extent I utilize my own vehicle for transportation or other purposes, in connection to a HandsOn South Florida project or activity, I hereby represent and warrant that I am, and the vehicle is, fully insured to the extent required by law.

I hereby agree to indemnify and hold HandsOn South Florida, its directors, officers, partners, agents, employees, successors, assigns, licensees, sponsors, donors, representatives, guests, and affiliates harmless against any and all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, losses, judgments, fines, deficiencies, injuries, suits and proceedings at law or in equity, costs, or any other expense, fee or charge of any character or nature through all levels of appeal and any amounts paid in settlement of the forgoing which may be imposed upon, incurred or threatened by or upon HandsOn South Florida (or any related part as referenced above) or any of its property in respect to, or arising out of, my participation, as a HandsOn South Florida volunteer or in any HandsOn South Florida related project or activity.

I further irrevocably grant to HandsOn South Florida, its assigns and successors, my consent and full right to: use my name, photograph, likeness, image, voice and biography in and all media, publications, advertising and publicity, in connection with my participation with HandsOn South Florida and any HandsOn South Florida related activity or project.

This release shall inure to the benefit of HandsOn South Florida and its successors, licensees, agents, employees, affiliates, and assigns. This release shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida.

NAME (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*For Volunteers under 18 years of age, a parent/guardian must provide name and signature\*\***

PARENT NAME (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_