



Waiver of Liability

First Farragut United Methodist Church (FFUMC) Trustees grant the use of the building and grounds to non-member "Groups" as a service to the community for a nominal fee as delineated in the Building Use Policy. The fee covers the cost of utilities and building operation during the time the building is in use by these groups. General liability is not included in the fee and is assumed by the group using the building and/or grounds. The purpose of this form is to hold FFUMC harmless during activities by these groups in the building or on the grounds.

This Release and Waiver of Liability (the "Release") executed on this ____ day of _____ 20____,

For _____ (the "Group")

By _____ who is an authorized member of the Group, in favor of FFUMC, a non-incorporated United Methodist Church located at 12733 Kingston Pike, Farragut, TN, its Trustees, Council Members, staff, agents, and affiliates (collectively "FFUMC").

The Group wishes to utilize the FFUMC building and/or grounds to engage in activities related to the function of the Group. The Group hereby freely, voluntarily, and without duress executes this Release under the following terms:

Release and Waiver: The Group does hereby waive, release, and forever discharge and hold harmless FFUMC and its successors and assigns from any and all liability, claims, and demands of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from the Groups activities at FFUMC. The Group understands that this Release discharges FFUMC from any liability or claim that the Group may have against FFUMC with respect to any bodily injury, personal injury, illness, death, or property damage that may result from the Groups activities at FFUMC, whether caused by the negligence of FFUMC or its Trustees, Council Members, staff, agents, and affiliates or otherwise. The Group also understands that FFUMC does not assume any responsibility for or obligation to provide financial assistance or other assistance, including but not limited to medical, health, or disability insurance or medical expense reimbursement in the event of injury or illness.

Medical Treatment: The Group does hereby release and forever discharge FFUMC from any claim whatsoever which arises or may hereafter arise on account of any first aid, treatment, or service rendered by FFUMC or any other provider in connection with the Group's activities at FFUMC.

Assumption of the Risk: The Group hereby expressly and specifically assumes the risk of injury or harm in the activities and releases FFUMC from all liability for injury, illness, death, or property damage resulting from the activities.

No Warranties: The Group understands and agrees that the FFUMC facilities are being provided as is, with no representations or warranties regarding any matter.

Insurance: The Group understands that FFUMC does not carry or maintain health, medical, or disability insurance for the Group. Each Group is encouraged to obtain their own medical or health and liability insurance coverage.

The Group expressly agrees that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Tennessee and that this Release shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Tennessee. The Group agrees that in the event that any clause or provision of this release shall be held as invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision of this Release shall not otherwise affect the remaining provisions of this release which shall continue to be enforceable.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The undersign, is an authorized agent of the Group and, executes this Release as of the day and the year first written above:

Signature of Authorized Individual: _____ Date: _____

Signature of FFUMC Agent accepting this Release: _____

**12733 Kingston Pike
Knoxville, TN 37934**