ASSUMPTION OF THE RISK AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

RELATING TO CORONAVIRUS/COVID-19

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

I acknowledge and understand the risks of hosting an event involving groups of people given the current impact and potential impact of the novel coronavirus, COVID-19, pandemic. The waiver, release and other representations and covenants set forth herein are given in consideration for the City of Grand Mound, Iowa and the Grand Mound Community Club. permitting me, my children guests and invitees to host an event at the Community Center in Grand Mound, Iowa.

1. Acceptance of Risk; Release; Indemnification. I am fully aware that there are a number of risks associated with me, my children, guest and invitees entering on the Grand Mound Community Center property, hosting an event (such as a graduation party) during the COVID-19 pandemic, including without limitation: (a) I, my children, guests and invitees or our visitors could contract COVID-19 or other diseases such as the flu or legionnaires disease which could result in a serious medical condition requiring medical treatment in a hospital or could possibly lead to death; and (b) I, my children, guests or invitees or our visitors will be subject to normal risks associated with hosting a group event such as physical injuries, including without limitation, from slips or falls, food poisoning or allergic reaction to food. On behalf of myself and/or my children and our heirs, successors and assigns, I knowingly and freely, assume all such risks, both known and unknown, relating to my and/or my children’s use of the Grand Mound Community Center and hosting of an event at the Grand Mound Community Center, as described above, and I hereby forever release, waive, relinquish, and discharge the City of Grand Mound, Iowa and the Grand Mound Community Club, along with its officers, directors, agents, employees, or other representatives, and their successors and assigns (collectively, the “GM Representatives”), from any and all claims, demands, liabilities, rights, damages, expenses, and causes of action of whatever kind or nature, and other losses of any kind, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, (collectively, “Damages”) as a result of me, my children, guests or invitees being a guest at the Grand Mound Community Center, and hosting a group event at the Grand Mound Community Center, as described above, including but not limited to those related to the above described personal Injuries, death, disease or property losses, or any other loss, and including but not limited to claims based on the alleged negligence of the City of Grand Mound, Iowa and the Grand Mound Community Club, a GM Representative or any other person. I further promise not to sue the City of Grand Mound, Iowa or the Grand Mound Community Club, or GM Representative, and agree to indemnify and hold them harmless from any and all Damages resulting from my, my children’s, guests’ or invitees’ being a guest or attending a group event hosted by me at the Grand Mound Community Center, Grand Mound, Iowa.

I recognize and acknowledge that the City of Grand Mound, Iowa and the Grand Mound Community Center has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, neither can guarantee that you, your child(ren), guests or invitees will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, hosting a group event at the Grand Mound Community Center in Grand Mound, Iowa could increase your risk, your child(ren)’s risk and your guests and invitee’s risk of contracting COVID-19.

**READ CAREFULLY -- BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT YOU MAY GIVE UP IMPORTANT LEGAL RIGHTS.**

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