

PLEASE BE AWARE: 1 MILLION BOOK DRIVE INVOLVES EXPERIENCES WHICH HAVE CERTAIN RISKS AND HAZARDS ASSOCIATED WITH IT. THESE RISKS INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, THE USE LIFTING OBJECTS, FALL HAZARDS, NORMAL HOUSEHOLD HAZARDS, AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

CONSENT FOR PARTICIPATION, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

I/we hereby give approval for _____ (Participant's Name) to attend and participate in the 1 Million Book Drive of the South Carolina Conference of The United Methodist Church. In consideration for me or my youth participant being allowed to attend and participate in this activity, I/we, for myself/ourselves and on behalf of my/our child, KNOWINGLY AND FREELY **ASSUME ALL RISKS AND HAZARDS** related to the 1 Million Book Drive activities including, but not limited to, transportation to and from the 1 Million Book Drive and service sites, **EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THOSE ENTITIES AND PERSONS RELEASED FROM LIABILITY BELOW**, and **ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION** in 1 Million Book Drive; further, I/we, for myself/ourselves and on behalf of our child and my/our heirs, do **HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND HOLD HARMLESS** the South Carolina Conference of The United Methodist Church and its trustees, officers, employees, and agents, as well as the organizers, sponsors, supervisors, counselors, chaperons, and other support staff persons for the 1 Million Book Drive (collectively referred to hereinafter as the "Releasees"), **WITH RESPECT TO ANY LOSS, INJURY, OR OTHER DAMAGE to me/us and my child arising out of or in any way related to activities at 1 Million Book Drive. Service 'including, but not limited to, transportation to and from the 1 Million Book Drive service sites, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE, GROSS NEGLIGENCE, and/or WILLFUL OR WANTON OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE. I/we further agree to INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS** the Releasees from any claims, losses, injuries, or other damages related to or arising from the above named participant's attendance or participation in 1 Million Book Drive including, but not limited to, any claims submitted by or on behalf of the participant. **I/WE HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I/WE HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.**

MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION

TO: THE ATTENDING PHYSICIAN AND/OR HOSPITAL

I/we hereby authorize reasonable and necessary medical care, including, but not limited to, any emergency surgical procedure or hospitalization deemed necessary by a qualified and licensed physician for the welfare of the above named participant until such time as you are able to reach me/us personally.

CONSENT TO DISCLOSE MEDICAL INFORMATION

I/we further authorize the Releasees and their authorized representatives to disclose any health-related information of the above named participant to any healthcare provider.

PUBLICITY RELEASE

In consideration for the participant being allowed to attend and participate in this activity, I/we, for myself/ourselves and our child, hereby authorize the Releasees to record the participant's picture and voice on or in photographs, films, audiotapes, and/or videotapes and to incorporate and use these recordings in any manner of media whatsoever, including unrestricted use of the recordings for purposes of publicity and advertising, and hereby release, discharge, and hold harmless the Releasees from any and all claims and liability for damages, losses, or expenses of any sort relating to the recordings.

BEHAVIOR COVENANT

I/We understand that participation in this 1 Million Dollar Book Drive requires the participant to respect the rights of others, to carry about their assignment with diligence, to behave respectfully and reverently towards all other participants and leaders. I/We understand that violation of this behavior covenant may in the sole discretion of the Releasees requires participation to end and I/We will be solely responsible for arranging to be transported back to

my home church and all costs so associated.

I/WE HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS DOCUMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS.

In witness whereof, I/we have executed this form on the date indicated below.

Date _____ Signature of Participant _____

Telephone Number where I can be reached _____

Printed Name of Participant _____

Date _____ Signature of Father/Guardian _____

Telephone Number where I can be reached _____

Printed Name of Father/Guardian _____

Date _____ Signature of Mother/Guardian _____

Telephone Number where I can be reached _____

Printed Name of Mother/Guardian _____

Completion of this form is necessary for participation in 1 Million Book Drive.

**THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PARENT(S) OR GUARDIAN(S)
IF THE PARTICIPANT IS A MINOR.**