

Wichita Fire Department

Participant Release of Liability

WHEREAS, the undersigned is registered for one or more Hands-on Training programs ("HOT") through the City of Wichita and the Wichita Fire Department; NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the privilege of participating in such Training provided by or on behalf of Wichita Fire Department at the Wichita Fire Department Training Academy or remote locations, the undersigned, for himself/herself, his/her personal representative, heirs, and next of kin:

1. hereby releases, waives, discharges, and covenants not to sue the City of Wichita or the Wichita Fire Department, their employees, officers, directors, trainers, equipment suppliers, agents, representatives, and management ("Releasees") for any and all loss or damage, and any claim or demands therefore on account of accident, injury, illness, death, or harm of any type arising out of or related to the training, whether caused by the negligence of any Releasee or otherwise.

2. hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees and each of them from any loss, liability, damage, or cost they may incur arising out of or related to the Training whether caused by the negligence of Releasees or otherwise.

3. hereby assumes full responsibility for any risk of bodily injury, death, or property damage arising out of or related to the training whether caused by the negligence of Releasees or otherwise.

4. hereby acknowledges that the activities involved in the training are of a hazardous nature and contain inherent risks of serious injury and/or death and/or property damage. The undersigned also expressly acknowledges that injuries received may be compounded or increased by negligent rescue operations or procedures of the Releasees.

5. hereby agrees that this Liability Waiver extends to all acts of negligence by the Releasees, including negligent rescue operations, and is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of the State and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, the undersigned agrees that the balance shall continue in full force and effect.

Print Name and Title _____ Signature _____

Liability Waiver for Training the Wichita Fire Training Academy

4780 E. 31st South, Wichita, Kansas 67210

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVE READ THIS WAIVER OF LIABILITY, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND HAVE SIGNED IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT, ASSURANCE, OR GUARANTEE BEING MADE TO ME AND INTEND MY SIGNATURE TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW.

Print Name and Title _____ Signature _____

WFD Academy Course # Department Name _____

PREREQUISITE TRAINING REQUIREMENTS (This Section to be Signed By Your Agency

Representative) All students in the classes indicated above must meet a minimum standard of training. Students must meet the qualifications of the National Fire Protection Association, Standard 1001 – Fire Fighter Professional Qualifications. By signing below, the Representative of your Department is indicating that you meet the qualifications of NFPA Standard 1001 – Fire Fighter Professional Qualifications.

Date ___/___/___ Printed Name of Representative _____

Representative's Signature _____