

**CITY OF БЕЛОIT, WISCONSIN  
WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK  
DIRTY DASH 2019**

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY! THIS IS A LEGAL DOCUMENT THAT AFFECTS YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS.**

**BEFORE SIGNING THIS WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, READ THIS ENTIRE DOCUMENT CAREFULLY. IF YOU SIGN THIS WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND AN INCIDENT OCCURS RESULTING IN INJURY OR LOSS OF PROPERTY, THEN YOU WILL BE GIVING UP LEGAL RIGHTS THAT YOU MIGHT OTHERWISE HAVE. IF YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND ANYTHING IN THIS DOCUMENT, OR IF YOU OBJECT TO ANY PROVISION CONTAINED IN THIS DOCUMENT, YOU SHOULD NOT SIGN THIS DOCUMENT AS IT IS DRAFTED, BUT RATHER SEEK ADVICE FROM YOUR LEGAL COUNSEL. REQUESTS FOR MODIFICATIONS MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE AT (608) 364-6623 WEEKDAYS BETWEEN 8:00 AM AND 12:00 NOON AND 1:00 PM AND 5:00 PM.**

This Waiver and Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk ("Release"), is executed on this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019, by \_\_\_\_\_ (the "undersigned") in favor of the City of Beloit and its elected officials, officers, employees, and agents (collectively "Municipality").

**Waiver and Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk**

The undersigned freely, voluntarily, and without duress executes this Release under the following terms:

The undersigned does hereby release and forever discharge and hold the Municipality harmless from any and all liability, claims, and demands, either in law or in equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from the undersigned's activities with the Municipality.

The undersigned understands that this Release discharges the Municipality from any liability or claim that the undersigned may have against the Municipality with respect to any bodily injury, personal injury, illness, death, or property damage that may result from undersigned's activities with the Municipality, **whether caused by the undersigned or by the negligence of the Municipality or its officers, directors, employees, agents, or otherwise. In accordance with Wisconsin law, nothing in this Release should be construed as releasing, discharging or waiving any claims the undersigned may have for reckless or intentional acts on the part of the Municipality.**

The undersigned understands that the Municipality 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 in the event of injury or illness to the undersigned.

**Activities**

The undersigned desires to engage in physical activity(ies) ("Activities") related to "Dirty Dash 2019" and is sufficiently aware of the risks involved in participation in walk/run events of this kind/distance and in any outdoor activity with regards to weather, automobile traffic, pedestrian traffic, etc. The undersigned understands that the Activities may include: **Climbing obstacles made out of wood, large mud puddles, adverse weather conditions, equipment and devices that may result in eye injuries, facial injuries, bruises, broken bones, muscular sprains and strains, and stress to the nervous system, skeletal system, circulatory system and respiratory system, etc.** I understand and acknowledge that the inherent risks of such activity(ies) include, but are not limited to: 1) contact or collision with persons or objects (e.g., collision with spectators or course personnel), contact with other participants, contact or collision with motor vehicles or machinery, and contact with natural or man-made fixed objects or obstacles; 2) encounter with obstacles (e.g., wood obstacles, natural and man-made water or muddy areas, road and surface hazards); 3) equipment related hazards (e.g., broken, defective, unexpected equipment failure, imperfect course conditions); 4) weather-related hazards (e.g., extreme heat, extreme cold, humidity, ice, rain, fog); 5) inadequate or negligent first aid and/or emergency measures; 6) judgment- and/or behavior-related problems (e.g., erratic or inappropriate co-participant or spectator behavior, erratic or inappropriate behavior by the participant, errors in judgment by personnel working the event; and 7) natural hazards (e.g. uneven terrain, contact with poisonous plants, wild life and/or ticks).

The undersigned hereby expressly and specifically assumes the risk of injury or harm in the Activities and releases the Municipality from any and all liability for injury, illness, death, or property damage resulting from the Activities and caused by the undersigned or by the negligence of the Municipality.

**Medical Treatment**

The undersigned does hereby release and forever discharge the Municipality from any claims whatsoever which arise or may hereafter arise on account of any first aid, treatment, or service rendered in connection with the undersigned's activities with the Municipality.

**Photographic Release**

The undersigned does hereby grant and convey unto the Municipality all right, title, and interest in any and all photographic images and video or audio recordings made by the Municipality during the undersigned's Activities with the Municipality, including, but not limited to, any royalties, proceeds, or other benefits derived from such photographs or recordings.

**Construction of Waiver and Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk and Severability**

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

The undersigned has read this Release and thoroughly and fully understand its contents and enter into it on behalf of myself, my heirs, next of kin, assigns, and personal representatives. No one has made any representations, statements, or inducements that change or modify anything written in this Release.

**PRINT LEGIBLY**

**Full Name of Adult**

**Participant:**

\_\_\_\_\_

(First Name)

(Middle Initial)

(Last Name)

**Street Address :** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Emergency Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the participant named above has executed this Release as of the date above written.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Witness Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Printed Name of Witness**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

**FREE: Participating with (child's name):** \_\_\_\_\_

**I would like to purchase a t-shirt (optional) for \$15.00:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Size T-shirt:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Paid:** \_\_\_\_\_

***This option is available until August 1<sup>st</sup>.***