

## VOLUNTEER AGREEMENT AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY FORM

**COMPLETED WAIVERS CAN BE EMAILED TO**  
**[info@rebuildingtogetherneo.org](mailto:info@rebuildingtogetherneo.org)**

### Volunteer Information

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you part of a work group? ☐ Yes ☐ No Which group? \_\_\_\_\_

### Contact Information (please check preferred method of contact)

☐ Home PH \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Email \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Work PH \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ I'd like to receive periodic updates from RT

☐ Cell PH \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Person #: \_\_\_\_\_

*Rebuilding Together Northeast Ohio is committed to your privacy. Contact information will not be sold or given to any person or agency for any purpose unrelated to Rebuilding Together volunteer events.*

### Demographics (used in grant reporting-all information is optional and confidential):

Military Status? ☐ None ☐ Veteran ☐ Active Branch? \_\_\_\_\_  
Gender? ☐ Male ☐ Female  
Age? ☐ <18 ☐ 18-25 ☐ 25-35 ☐ 35-45 ☐ 45-55 ☐ 55-65 ☐ >65

**Voluntary Participation:** I acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to participate in this *Rebuilding Together Project*, a project in which multiple home(s) will be repaired by volunteers. I understand that as a volunteer I will not be paid for my services. I further agree that my participation in the project may be terminated at any time by *Rebuilding Together*.

**Assumptions of Risks:** I AM AWARE THAT BY PARTICIPATING IN THE PROJECT, I MAY BE EXPOSED TO PERSONAL INJURY, DEATH OR DAMAGE TO MY PROPERTY AS A RESULT OF MY ACTIVITIES, THE ACTIVITIES OF OTHER VOLUNTEERS, OR THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH MY VOLUNTEER SERVICES ARE PERFORMED. I FURTHER UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT BY PARTICIPATING IN THE PROJECT, THAT I MAY BE EXPOSED TO BIOLOGICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS UNIQUE TO THIS EVENT. WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THESE RISKS, I AGREE TO ACCEPT ANY AND ALL RISKS OF PERSONAL INJURY, DEATH OR DAMAGE TO MY PROPERTY, AND I VERIFY THIS STATEMENT **BY PLACING MY INITIALS HERE** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Release:** In consideration of the opportunity afforded me to participate in the project, I hereby agree that I, my successors, assignees, heirs, guardians and legal representatives, will not make any claim against *Rebuilding Together*, any of its affiliated organizations (including local affiliates) or their officers,

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directors, or employees, any suppliers of any materials or equipment that are used during the project, any of the project volunteers, partners, or sponsors, or of any service recipients participating in the project, for injury, death, or damage resulting from the act or omissions of any person or entity, however caused, arising from my participation in the project. I will further assume the complete risk of any activity done in violation of any rule or directive or instruction.

**Media/Photographic Release:** I do hereby grant and convey unto *Rebuilding Together* and/or any person authorized by them all rights, title and interest in any photographs, recordings, interview, videotapes, motion pictures or similar visual or auditory recordings made by *Rebuilding Together* during my activities with respect to the project, including, but not limited to, any royalties, proceeds, or other benefits derived from such photographs or recordings. Images may be used in social media outreach.

**Medical Treatment:** I do hereby release and forever discharge the *Rebuilding Together* parties named above from any claim whatsoever which arises on account of any first aid, treatment or services rendered in connection with my work on the project.

**Code of Conduct:** It is expected that every volunteer will conduct him/herself as an ambassador of his/her organization or company and as such will treat others with respect, courtesy and dignity. In addition all volunteers at any *Rebuilding Together* event will be expected to:

- a. Obey all local, state and federal laws.
- b. Respect local customs, culture and practices.
- c. Behave in courteous and respectful manner, refraining from language and actions contrary to *Rebuilding Together* expectations.
- d. Refrain from the use of illicit drugs, and any other illegal substances according to local, state and federal laws. These items must not be used or possessed at any time or under any circumstances and are prohibited at all times by volunteers throughout the duration of the event. Use or possession of such substances may result in criminal prosecution.
- e. Refrain from sexual harassment consisting of but not limited to, unwelcome sexual advances, request for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature. These actions will not be tolerated in any manner at the project. Any reported incident of sexual harassment will result in the immediate removal from the project and all related activities.
- f. Refrain from activities that endanger self or others.
- g. Respect at all the times the facilities, equipment, rooms, building and surrounding used throughout the project.
- h. Report accidents, injuries, and illnesses to project organizers immediately. *Rebuilding Together* reserves the right to notify law enforcement as it deems necessary and appropriate.
- i. Become familiar with the rules, regulations and safety guidelines issued by the manufacturer or seller of any tool, project, or material used during the course of the project and not to violate said rules.

**Knowing and Voluntary Execution:** I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A CONTRACT AND A RELEASE OF LIABILITY BETWEEN MYSELF AND *REBUILDING TOGETHER* AND I SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL AND BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, I CERTIFY THAT I AM EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER.

**Volunteer Signature**

**Signed this** \_\_\_\_\_ **day of** \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.