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MJMC Volunteer Parental Consent & Waiver Form

Dear Parent or Guardian,

We are excited about your child/dependent's interest in volunteering with the Moose Jaw Multicultural Council (MJMC). It is sure to be an enriching experience for them and us! Children who are currently under the age of majority and no younger than 14 years will require parental/guardian consent for their participation in our volunteer program.

As part of the volunteer application process parents/guardian and your child/dependent agree to the following:

1. I understand that the minimum age of a volunteer is 14 and that all volunteers who are the ages of 14 and 15 must have parental/guardian consent in order to volunteer with MJMC.
2. I understand that my child will need to complete the Young Worker Readiness Certificate Course and provide MJMC with a copy of the certificate before they can begin volunteering.
3. I understand that the MJMC is an agency that helps and provides services to newcomers to Canada from all different backgrounds, cultures, and religions. We practice respect and inclusivity towards all of our clients, staff, volunteers and guests regardless of their background.
4. I accept responsibility for my child/dependent's safety and security and personally undertake having my child/dependent act in a responsible and safe manner as well as to adhere to the volunteer code of conduct at MJMC.
5. I understand that volunteer positions have some risk associated with them. While the Moose Jaw Multicultural Council (MJMC) strives to reduce these risks, risks can never be completely eliminated. In consideration of the MJMC accepting this volunteer application, I, for myself and for my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, release MJMC from any claims, demands, damages, actions or cause of action and waive any claims I may have in the future arising out of or in consequence of any loss, injury or damage, which may have arisen by reason of my child's/dependant's involvement as a volunteer or otherwise including, without limitation, any loss, injury or damage arising from the negligence of the MJMC, their administrators, directors, agents, officers, volunteers, contractors, representatives and assigns, funders, partners, and affiliates. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, I further release any recourse, which I may now or hereafter have resulting from any decision of the Moose Jaw Multicultural Council.

I, _____ consent to my child/dependent volunteering with the MJMC and I understand and agree to all of the terms and conditions as outlined above. I also agree that I have been given a fair opportunity to ask questions and clarify any information about this form and also about the volunteering opportunity my child will be taking part in:

Name of child/dependent volunteering: _____ DOB (MM/DD/YY): ____ / ____ / ____

Child/dependent's home address: _____ City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Parent/Guardian's contact (for emergency purposes): _____

Parent/Guardian's printed name: _____

Parent/Guardian's signature: _____ Date: _____ Witness: _____