

# 2023 ISLE OF EIGHT FLAGS SHRIMP FESTIVAL, INC.

## VOLUNTEER PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

In consideration of being permitted to participate in such activity, the participant does hereby release and forever discharge the Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival Committee, its Officers, Directors, Sponsors, Partners, Agents, or Assigns, jointly and severally from any and all actions, causes of action, claims and demands for, upon or by reason of any damage, loss or injury, which hereafter may be sustained by the participants, merchants, spectators, or others in consequence of participating in Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival activities. This release extends and applies to, and also covers and includes all unknown, unforeseen, unanticipated and unsuspected injuries, damages, loss and liability, and the consequences thereof, as well as those now disclosed and known to exist. The provisions of any state, federal, local or territorial law or statute providing in substance that releases shall not extend to claims, demands, injuries or damages which are unknown or unsuspected to the person executing such release at the time of such execution, are hereby expressly waived.

I hereby grant the Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival Committee permission to use any photograph or video taken in conjunction with this activity and use it in any and all of its promotions and publications, including website entries, without payment or any other consideration. I understand and agree that any photographic materials will become the property of the Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival Committee and will not be returned. I hereby irrevocably authorize the Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival Committee to edit, alter, copy, exhibit, publish or distribute any photo for purposes of publicizing the Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festivals Committee's programs or for any other lawful purpose. IN addition, I waive the right to inspect or approve the finished product, including written or electronic copy, wherein my likeness appears. Additionally, I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising or relating to the use of the photograph. I hereby hold harmless and release and forever discharge the Isle of Eight Flag Shrimp Festival Committee from all claims, demands, and causes of action which I, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators or any other persons acting on my behalf or on behalf of my estate have or may have by reason of this authorization.

I hereby agree on behalf of my heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, to indemnify the Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival Committee, its Officers, Directors, Sponsors, Partners, Agents, or Assigns, jointly and severally and to hold the same harmless from and against any and all actions, claims, demands, and liabilities, loss, damages and expense of whatever kind or nature, including attorney fees, which may at any time be incurred by them or claimed against them by reason of my participation in the Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival. I further agree that I have received, read, understand and agree that I and my organization (if applicable will abide by all guidelines, rules and regulations as set forth by the Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival Committee. This hold harmless and indemnity provision expressly includes any action, cause of action, claim or demand based upon any omission or negligence by the Isle of Eight Flags Shrimp Festival Committee, its Officer, Directors, Sponsors, Agents, or Assigns. Nothing contained in the foregoing release and indemnification shall be construed to be a waiver of any immunity or limitation of liability the City of Fernandina Beach may have under the doctrine of sovereign immunity or Section 768.28, Florid Statutes.

**I have read and consent to follow the Volunteer Participation Agreement to the best of my ability.**

**Authorized Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**(If participant is a minor, signature must be that of a parent or guardian)**

**Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Participants Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail Address:** \_\_\_\_\_