

COVID-19 Release and Hold Harmless Agreement

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the gathering of groups of people. We are doing everything we can to be compliant with all regulations and ensure your safety. We have put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19, but we cannot guarantee that you or family members will not become infected with COVID-19.

By participating in programs, services, activities, and events of **Cedar Park First United Methodist Church**, Cedar Park, Williamson County, Texas, and/or participating in any events held by outside groups in the Church-owned facilities or on the Church grounds, you agree to the following:

On behalf of (your organization), _____, you and all the individuals of the organization release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold-harmless **Cedar Park First United Methodist Church** its pastors, employees, agents, volunteers, and representatives, of and from all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating to all individuals of your organization while participating in any programs, services or activities held on or in church-owned properties. You and your organization understand and agree that this release includes any claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of this church, its pastors, employees, agents, volunteers, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any church or outside groups hosted or scheduled event(s).

In signing this Agreement, I/we represent the organization above and warrants that I/we are authorized and has/have the legal capacity to execute and deliver this Agreement on behalf of the organization. Due to the anonymity of the organizations' membership, I/we agree to maintain each individual's signed COVID-19 Release and Hold-Harmless Agreement within our organization. Each party represents and warrants to the other that the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of such party's obligations have been duly authorized and that the Agreement is a valid and legal agreement binding on the party and enforceable according to its terms.

Church Representatives:

Organization Representatives:

Signature

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