TO REGISTER FOR AND PARTICIPATE IN THE BIG EVENT, YOU MUST READ AND ACCEPT THE FOLLOWING:

PERSONAL IMAGE USE

I hereby grant to the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska, its component campuses, its representatives, employees, agents and assigns, the irrevocable and unrestricted right to use, reproduce and publish photographs of me, including my image and likeness as depicted therein, which are identified in Appendix “A” hereto, for editorial, trade, advertising or any other purpose and in any manner and medium; to alter the same without restriction, and to copyright the same. I hereby release the University of Nebraska, its component campuses and its Regents, officers, employees, agents, legal representatives and assigns from any and all claims, actions and liability related to its use of said photographs.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound hereby sets their hand and seal the date written below.

WARNING OF RISK, WAIVER, RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AGREEMENT

Please read this form carefully and be aware in participating that you will be waiving and releasing all claims for injuries you may sustain, arising out participation.

The Big Event is an off-campus service project sponsored by the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska. Participants will work with staff from service organizations (i.e. agencies, non-profit service organizations and associations) and with private residences. It is scheduled to take place on April 9, 2016, in Lincoln, Nebraska and other areas in Southeast Nebraska. The events will occur in various places to include, but not limited to, property of the City of Lincoln, Downtown Lincoln Association, non-profit organizations, and private residences. Service projects will include, but not be limited to, food preparation; tutoring; street outreach; fund-raising; educational programming; working with under-privileged children, victims, older adults, and/or mentally-impaired individuals, criminal offenders; developing public relations, materials, domestic labor and other needed tasks, as assigned by the service organization or private residences.

Wherefore, a person who participates in The Big Event may be exposed to dangers, risks, and/or hazards associated with performing services projects which include the use of, act of, and/or exposure to, but not limited to the following:

1. Traveling to and from activities;
2. Use of small equipment, hand tools, ladders or basic chemicals (i.e. paint, cleaning supplies);
3. Gardening tasks (i.e. pulling weeds, trimming bushes, clearing debris, tilling);
4. Physical exertion (i.e. shoveling, sweeping, scrubbing, raking, lifting); 5. Uneven terrain, extreme temperatures or conditions;
6. Contact with traffic, pedestrians, and/or other participants.
7. Sprains, abrasions, fractures, and blisters.
8. Ingestion of food provided by The Big Event or any sponsored jobsite.
Wherefore, participants of The Big Event will be given brief orientation sessions by the service organization. The group leader is required to attend orientation session and provide the participant’s full attention. The participant is required to follow instructions from The Big Event Executive Team and Operations Staff and group leaders closely. The likelihood of injury may be reduced by participant adhering to safety rules or procedures, which include but are not limited to the following:

1. Stay with the assigned group;
2. Refrain from the use of power tools or large equipment;
3. Follow instructions given by The Big Event committee members and staff; and
4. Promptly notify The Big Event staff of any dangerous or potentially dangerous condition, including tasks that the participant feels unable to perform safely for any reason.

Wherefore, the undersigned is responsible for determining if he or she is physically fit to participate in The Big Event. It is always advisable, especially if he or she is disabled in any way, or recently suffered an illness, injury or impairment, to consult a physician before participating in any improvement projects or events.

Wherefore, participation by the undersigned in The Big Event is voluntary and the undersigned may withdraw at any time and will be considered a participant as referenced in this Agreement. Wherefore, the undersigned:

1. Recognizes and acknowledges that there are certain risks of physical injury and loss connected to or associated with participating in The Big Event. The undersigned agrees to assume the full risks of any loss or damage to clothing and/or personal equipment; any mental and/or physical injuries, including illness, permanent and/or partial disability; severe social and/or economic loss; attorney’s fees; and/or any other damages or loss which may result not only from his or her actions, inactions or negligence, but the actions, inactions or negligence of others, or in the condition of the premises or of any equipment used. The undersigned further assume all the foregoing risks and accepts personal responsibility for all costs associated with the risks or injuries that the undersigned incurred or causes.
2. Hereby waives and releases any and all claims he or she may have against the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska, University of Nebraska, State of Nebraska, City of Lincoln, and Downtown Lincoln Association, and each entities’ officers, directors, agents, employees, and/or volunteers.
3. Further agrees to indemnify and hold harmless and defend the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska, University of Nebraska, State of Nebraska, City of Lincoln, and Downtown Lincoln Association, and each entities’ officers, directors, agents, employees, and/or volunteers, from any and all claims resulting from any risks or injuries, including death, damages and losses sustained or caused by he or she, or arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with the activities of the undersigned.
4. Further releases, waives or discharges and covenants not to sue the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska, University of Nebraska, State of Nebraska, City of Lincoln, and Downtown Lincoln Association, and each entities’ officers, directors, agents, employees, and/or volunteers, for any and all liability to the undersigned, his or her heirs, next of kin, successors, or assignees, of any and all claims, demands, losses or damages on account of injury, including death or damage to property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska, University of Nebraska, State of Nebraska, City of Lincoln, and Downtown Lincoln Association, and each entities’ officers, directors, agents, employees, and/or volunteers.
5. Where this release is executed by a participant and parent/guardian on behalf of the participant (under age of 19) participating in The Big Event, the undersigned parent/guardian hereby acknowledges and represents his or her unqualified authority to execute the same on behalf of the minor and agrees to hold harmless and indemnify the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska, University of Nebraska, State of Nebraska, City of Lincoln, and Downtown Lincoln Association, and each entities’ officers, directors, agents, employees, and/or volunteers, from and against any claims of such minor or his or her successors, and agrees to all terms and conditions of this Agreement.

6. The undersigned waives all rights to notice of risks associated with The Big Event.

7. Authorizes, but does not require, other participants, service organizations, the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska, University of Nebraska, State of Nebraska, City of Lincoln, and Downtown Lincoln Association, and each entities’ officers, directors, agents, employees, and/or volunteers to provide or obtain emergency or non-emergency medical service on behalf of the undersigned.

The undersigned has read and fully understands this Agreement, and personally assumes all risk and loss associated with such risk, whether known or not known by him or her. The undersigned understands by signing this Agreement that he or she is surrendering valuable rights and is doing so freely and voluntarily.

Printed Name ___________________________________ D/O/B ____________________

Participant Signature______________________________ Date______________________

If you’re under 19, the above signature is not legally binding. Therefore please provide the following information about your parent/guardian so that we may contact them for their consent to these terms:

Parent/Guardian Printed Name__________________________________

Relationship: ____________________

E-mail Address __________________________________

If unable to provide your parent/guardian’s e-mail address, please have your parent/guardian print their name and relationship above and provide their signature below: Parent/Guardian

Signature_________________________________________ Date_____________________