

HORICON POLICE DEPARTMENT

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CITIZEN RIDE ALONG PROGRAM

Citizens may ride along in Horicon Police patrol vehicles providing the following requirements are met:

- A. They must be eighteen (18) years of age or over.
- B. They must secure permission from a Supervisor of the Department **prior to the ride along.**
- C. They must sign a Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement.
- D. They will at all times be under the direction of the officer with whom they are riding.
- E. They will not have consumed alcohol for a minimum of eight (8) hours prior to riding.
- F. No more than one (1) marked squad will have a rider at any one time and no car will have more than one rider at any time.
- G. They will not exhibit extremes in dress, grooming or demeanor.
- H. They will not bear arms.
- I. They will not discuss confidential activities encountered while riding, outside of discussing it with the officer present.

"RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT"

I understand the nature of the activity I am participating in. I understand that the activity involves risks of serious bodily injury, including permanent disability and death which may be caused by my own actions, or inactions, those of other individuals, the condition in which the Ride Along takes place or the negligence of the RELEASEES named below; and that there may be other risks either not known to me or not readily foreseeable at this time. I understand that the Ride Along will be conducted over public roads and facilities open to the public during the Ride Along and upon which traffic hazards are to be expected. I acknowledge that if I believe conditions may be unsafe, I may immediately discontinue participation in the Ride Along.

I, _____, do hereby release the City of Horicon, the Horicon Police Department, the Chief of Police and the members of the enforcement section from any civil liability and fully accept and assume all such risks and responsibility for losses, costs and damages I may incur as a result of my participation in the Ride Along activity.

I hereby release, discharge and promise not to sue the City of Horicon, it's respective administrators, officials, officers, volunteers and employees, other participants, sponsors and if applicable, owners and landlords of premises on which the Ride Along takes place (each considered one of the "Releasees" herein) from all liability, claims, demands, losses

or damages that I suffer which are caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise, including negligent rescue operations.

I will indemnify, save and hold harmless each Releasee from any loss, liability, damage or cost which any may incur, if, despite this release and waiver of liability, and assumption of risk, I or anyone on my behalf, makes a claim against any Releasee.

I have read this release and waiver of liability, assumption of risk and indemnity agreement, fully understand its terms and that I have given up substantial rights by signing it and have signed it freely without any inducement or assurance of any nature. I intend it to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent of the law. If any portion of this Agreement is held to be invalid, the balance shall continue in full force and effect.

This release covers all enforcement actions and all times when the above-named person is riding in the City of Horicon Police Department vehicle.

Name

Address

Date of Birth

Telephone Number

Emergency Contact & Telephone Number

Date of ride along

Signature

Time of ride along
(Beginning and Ending)

Witness, Horicon Police Dept.

Approving Supervisor
