

## Parental Consent, Release, and Indemnity Agreement

[Instructions to Troop Leader: After parents sign this form, return the signed form the Parish.]

### Definitions

**Child:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(May list more than one name. The term "Child" will include the plural.)

**Parents:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parish:** St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church – Dripping Springs, Texas, a Texas non-profit corporation, including its employees, contractors, faculty, clergy, agents, facilitators, and volunteers

**Diocese:** The Catholic Diocese of Austin, a Texas non-profit corporation, including its employees, contractors, faculty, clergy, agents, facilitators, and volunteers, as well as its Bishop, the Most Reverend Joe S. Vasquez and his successors in office

**Scouting Unit:** The Pack 280 ("Scouting Unit") of the Capitol Area Council #564 ("Local Council") of the Boy Scouts of America ("BSA"), collectively known as the "Scouting Unit."

**Activity:** All activities, meetings, and events organized by, sponsored by, attended by, or related to the Scouting Unit

### Terms

- A. The undersigned represent that they are the parents or legal guardians of the named child and have full authority under law to sign this document.
- B. Parents acknowledge and agree that:
- (1) Parents voluntarily request for the Child to participate in the Activity;
  - (2) individuals providing leadership and services to the participants in the Activity are volunteers, personnel, leaders, directors, or contractors of the Scouting Unit and not the Parish;
  - (3) neither the Parish, nor any of its clergy or employees, participate in the choosing, training, supervision or retention of such individuals;
  - (4) the Activity may involve physical activity that involves risk of injury;
  - (5) Parents and Child will abide by any policies and rules of the Scouting Unit, as well as any instructions of those persons facilitating, organizing, or overseeing the Activity; and
  - (6) Parents are responsible for Child's conduct and are responsible for any damages, claims, or other costs caused by Child or incurred as a result of Child's conduct.
- C. Parents agree to defend, and to the fullest extent permitted by law, indemnify and hold harmless the Parish and the Diocese from and against any and all claims, demands, causes of action, liability, injuries, losses, damages, or costs (collectively, "Losses" or "Claims"), asserted or sustained by Child or the Parents arising out of or in any way related to: (i) Scouting, Scouting activities, the actions of any Scout leader or Scouting Unit member, visitor, guest or volunteer, or (ii) the use or occupancy of the Parish's or the Diocese's property.

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Parent  
Date:

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