Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19

Disclaimer

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, provincial, and local governments and federal and provincial health agencies recommend physical distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

The Municipality of Bluewater (“the Municipality”) has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, the Municipality cannot guarantee that you or your child(ren) will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, attending the Municipality could increase your risk and your child(ren)’s risk of contracting COVID-19.

Waiver

I acknowledge the contagious nature of the COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that my child(ren) and I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by attending municipal programs at facilities.

I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at the municipal facilities may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself or others, including but not limited to municipal employees, and program participants.

I acknowledge that many public health authorities are still recommending the practice of social distancing.

I hereby release and agree to hold the Municipality of Bluewater harmless from, and waive on my behalf, my heirs, and any personal representatives any and all causes of actions, claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses, and compensation for damage or loss to myself and/or property that may be caused by any act, or failure to act of the Municipality, or that may otherwise arise in any way in connection with any services received from the Municipality of Bluewater. I understand that this release discharges the Municipality of Bluewater from any liability or claim that I, my heirs, or any personal representatives may have against the Municipality of Bluewater with respect to any bodily injury, illness, death, medical treatment, or property damage that may arise from, or in connection to, any services from the Municipality of Bluewater.

I hereby accept and consent to the collection, use, and potential disclosure of personal information regarding measures aimed at preventing and mitigating COVID-19 exposure at the Municipality, including this waiver.

Event: ___________________________  Facility: ___________________________

Name: ___________________________  Phone ___________________________

Signature: _________________________