

# NEBRASKA CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT JUNIOR FIREFIGHTER PROGRAM APPLICATION

## Participant's Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## Parent or Legal Guardian Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you consent to your child's application to be a Junior Firefighter? Yes No

## Emergency Contact Information:

Contact #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## Medical Information:

Doctor: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical \_\_\_\_\_ Conditions:

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Allergies:

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Do you take any medication? Yes No

If Yes, list the medication and what condition it is for:

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**Background Information (use another sheet of paper if more space needed)**

*A background check will be done as well; a felony will prevent anyone from becoming a member of the NCFD*

Have you ever been arrested, ticketed, fined, etc.? (Felonies, Traffic Tickets, Misdemeanors, etc.)

Yes No

If Yes, Please list the date(s) and what the charge(s) were/was:

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**Additional Information (use another sheet of paper if more space needed)**

What interests you the most about becoming involved with the Nebraska City Fire Department?

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Please list other activities, in detail, that you are involved in (Sports, Volunteer Work, Church, etc.):

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Signature of Participant

Date

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Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

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Fire Chief Approval

Date

## PARENTAL CONSENT

My child, \_\_\_\_\_, has my permission to be a Junior Firefighter with the Nebraska City Fire Department. I give my consent to allow my child, to be a Junior Firefighter and do not hold the Nebraska City Fire Department and First Responders or the City of Nebraska City responsible for any actions caused by my son/daughter that is not under the direction of an Officer.

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Signature of Participant

Date

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Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

I, \_\_\_\_\_, fully understand that the NCFD Junior Fire Fighter Program will be monitoring my child's grades at school, while are they are part of the program. I give permission to the NCFD Junior Fire Fighter Program to obtain those records.

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Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

## **CONTRACT OF UNDERSTANDING**

We have read all of the Junior Firefighter Guidelines and understand the guidelines set up to outline the purpose of the Junior Firefighters. We understand that Junior Firefighters serve as supporters of the Nebraska City Firefighters to learn the basics of Firefighting and to prepare to become a full member at the age of 18. We understand that Junior Firefighters are to follow all instructions from members of the NCFD and that the general standard of conduct is to act in the manner of a professional. We understand that the participant is expected to be courteous and respectful of other members (Junior and Regular) and to all citizens as they are representing the Nebraska City Fire Department. We understand there is a “zero tolerance” policy regarding drug and alcohol use. We understand that by signing this Contract of Understanding we are declaring that any violation of the guidelines is grounds for immediate dismissal. We understand that any acts that violate the guidelines or laws will be referred to the Otoe County Sheriff’s Department.

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Signature of Participant

Date

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Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

### **Acknowledge Receipt of Guidelines**

We acknowledge that we have received a copy of the Nebraska City Fire Department Junior Firefighter Program Guidelines and have reviewed them prior to signing these documents.

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Signature of Participant

Date

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Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

I acknowledge that the above received a copy of the Nebraska City Fire Department Junior Firefighter Program Guidelines.

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Fire Chief Approval

Date

# PARTICIPANT WAIVER AND RELEASE FORM

In return for being allowed to participate in City of Nebraska City Fire Department Junior Firefighter Program activities and all related activities, including any activities incidental to such participation (“Activities”), the undersigned Participant (and Parent/Legal Guardian of Participant if Participant is under age 19) hereby **RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES, and HOLDS HARMLESS** the City of Nebraska City, the Nebraska City Fire Department, or their officers, directors, employees, sub-contractors, sponsors, agents and affiliates (“the City”) from all present and future claims that may be made by me, my family, estate, heirs, or assigns for property damage, personal injury, or wrongful death arising as a result of my participation in the Activities wherever, whenever, or however the same may occur and agrees not to sue the City therefore.

I understand and agree that the City is not responsible for any injury or property damage arising out of the Activities, even if caused by ordinary negligence or otherwise. I understand and agree that if I am injured in any way, I may be transported by the Nebraska City Fire Department for emergency reasons, and I authorize the administration of any and all treatment deemed appropriate by emergency medical personnel.

I understand that participation in the Activities involves certain risks, including, but not limited to, serious injury and death. I AM VOLUNTARILY PARTICIPATING IN THE ACTIVITIES WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THE DANGER INVOLVED AND I AGREE TO ACCEPT ALL RISKS OF PARTICIPATION.

I also AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS the City for all claims arising out of my participation in the Activities.

I understand that this document is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Nebraska and agree that if any portion of this Agreement is invalid, the remainder will continue in full legal force and effect.

I represent that, to my knowledge, I am in good health and suffer no physical impairment that would or should prevent my participation in Activities.

**I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS DOCUMENT IS A CONTRACT WHICH GRANTS CERTAIN RIGHTS TO AND ELIMINATES THE LIABILITY OF THE CITY.**

I have read this form and understand that by signing this form, I am giving up legal rights and remedies.

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Signature of Participant Date

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Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian Date

## PUBLICITY RELEASE

In return for being allowed to participate in City of Nebraska City Fire Department Junior Firefighter Program Activities, as defined in the Release of Liability, the undersigned Participant hereby grants to the City, and each of its subsidiaries, affiliates, agents, advertising or promotional agencies, and partners, and all such entities' officers, directors, agents, employees, respective successors and assigns (collectively, "Authorized Parties"), the absolute and irrevocable right and permission to use, publish, broadcast and/or copyright the use of Participant's name, voice, photograph and/or likeness in any and all promotional or other materials based upon or derived from the Activities in any manner, in any media whatsoever for any and all purposes, including by way of example but without limitation on the City's website and its social media accounts, in perpetuity, without additional compensation.

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Signature of Participant

Date

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Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date