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Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19 While Participating in Palo Alto College Youth Summer Programs

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. Alamo Colleges and Palo Alto College has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, Alamo Colleges District **cannot guarantee that participants in summer programs will not become infected with COVID-19**. Further, participation could increase the risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that my child(ren) and I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by attending any of the Palo Alto College youth summer programs and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at Palo Alto College may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, employees, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to my child(ren) or myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I or my child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with my child(ren)'s attendance at Palo Alto College or participation in College programming ("Claims"). On my behalf, and on behalf of my children, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the College, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of the College, its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any College program.

By signing this document, I agree that if my child(ren) or I am exposed or infected by COVID-19 during participation in this activity, then I may be found by a court of law to have waived my right to maintain a lawsuit against the parties being released on the basis of any claim for negligence.

If I have signed a separate general waiver of liability connected to my participation at Palo Alto College, I agree that the terms of that waiver are wholly incorporated into this document and that the terms of this document are incorporated into the separate general waiver.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian

Date

Print Name(s) of Child(ren)