**[*CHORUS NAME*]**

**COVID-19 LIABILITY WAIVER AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby acknowledge and agree to the following:

1) I acknowledge that [*Chorus Name*] (collectively “the Chorus”) are offering me the opportunity to participate, on a volunteer basis, in singing rehearsals and/or performances (collectively “Chorus activities”). I acknowledge that I receive a personal benefit from participating in Chorus activities and do so of my own free will.

2) I recognize that COVID-19, including any variants of that virus that are known or that may arise in the future, is a highly contagious disease and that infection with COVID-19 may result in illness, permanent injury, or death.

3) I recognize that group activities such as choral singing involve an increased risk of exposure to COVID-19 and those infected with COVID-19, and that even with preventive measures in place the Chorus cannot guarantee that I will not contract COVID-19. I knowingly and freely accept all such risks related to my participation in Chorus activities.

4) I acknowledge that it is my personal responsibility to protect my health, my family’s health, and the health of my fellow chorus members. To that end:

a) I confirm that I am fully vaccinated against COVID-19, including having completed the required waiting period post-vaccination;

b) I agree that I will not attend any Chorus activities if I am experiencing any of the symptoms of COVID-19 (including fever, cough, or shortness of breath) or am otherwise feeling sick, or if I have been sick in the past 14 days;

c) I agree that I will not attend any Chorus activities if I or a member of my household has been diagnosed with COVID-19, or if I have otherwise been exposed to COVID-19, within the past 14 days;

d) During all Chorus activities I agree to abide by all required safety measures, which may include mask-wearing, social distancing, and frequent hand washing or sanitizing;

e) I agree that if I travel outside of the United States or to any other area known to have a high incidence of COVID-19 infections or spread I will wait at least 14 days before attending any Chorus activities;

f) I agree to notify the Chorus leadership immediately if I or any member of my immediate household are diagnosed with COVID-19.

5) Knowing the risks described above, I hereby, to the fullest extent allowed by law:

a) voluntarily assume all the risks and responsibilities surrounding my participation in Chorus activities;

b) waive any and all rights or claims against the Chorus, its artistic director and other directors, its officers, board members, members, agents, and assigns (the “Releasees”) that I may have as a result of my participation in Chorus activities;

c) fully release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the Releasees against any and all claims, demands, suits, judgments, losses or expenses of any nature whatsoever (including, without limitation, attorneys’ fees, costs and disbursements), arising from or out of, or relating to, directly or indirectly, the infection of COVID-19 or any other illness or injury, which may accrue to me or my heirs in connection with my participation in Chorus activities, whether a COVID-19 infection, or other illness or injury occurs before, during, or after participation in those Chorus activities; and

d) agree to indemnify, defend, and hold the Releasees harmless from and against any and all claims, demands, suits, judgments, losses or expenses of any nature whatsoever (including, without limitation, attorneys’ fees, costs and disbursements) to which any of the Releasees may become subject arising in any manner from or attributable in any way to my participation in Chorus activities.

**I have read, understand, and agree to the above and am signing of my own free will.**

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**Signature**

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**Printed name**

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**Date**