**Waiver of Liability relevant to COVID-19, while participating in SGMC functions**

I acknowledge that COVID-19 is contagious and that public health authorities recommend practicing social distancing to avoid exposure to the virus.

I understand that I may increase my risk of exposure to COVID-19 by participating in SGMC functions like rehearsals, performances, retreats, and other functions (hereafter referred to as “functions”) whether outdoors or inside a building.

I acknowledge that SGMC makes no guarantee that I will not become infected with COVID-19 if I choose to participate in an SGMC function. I assume all risk associated with participation in an SGMC function.

I will not participate in an SGMC function if any of the following apply to me:

* I have not received a COVID-19 vaccine, or
* I experience any symptom of illness related to COVID-19 such as cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fever, chills, repeated shaking with chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, or new loss of taste or smell, or
* I have traveled within 14 days of the function to any location within or outside the United States of America that has a significant COVID-19infection rate, or
* I believe I have been exposed to someone with a suspected and/or confirmed case of COVID-19 within 14 days of the function, or
* I have been diagnosed with COVID-19 and not yet cleared as non-contagious by my physician, or a State or local public health authority.

I further acknowledge that, if I participate in an SGMC function, I do so voluntarily.

I hereby release and agree to hold the Sacramento Gay Men’s Chorus, it’s employees, agents, representatives, board members, heirs, successors, and assigns, harmless from, and waive on behalf of myself, my heirs, and any personal representatives, any and all causes of action, claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses and compensation for damage or loss of income resulting from exposure to COVID-19 that may be caused by any act, or failure to act, or negligence by SGMC staff, contractors, or volunteers, or that may otherwise arise in connection with my participation in an SGMC function. I understand that my signature on this release discharges the Sacramento Gay Men’s Chorus from any liability or claim that I, my heirs, or any personal representatives may have against SGMC with respect to any exposure or infection from COVID-19, including illness, death, medical treatment, or loss of income, that may arise from, or in connection to, my participation in an SGMC function.

Signature: Date: