



Police Department

**RIDE-ALONG RELEASE INDEMNITY AGREEMENT
AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE**

I certify that the information contained herein is correct, and acknowledge with my signature below that I do agree to the following.

I desire to participate and ride as a passenger in a Belle Plaine Police Department vehicle as a part of the City of Belle Plaine Police Department's "Ride - Along" Program. I fully understand that by participating in this Program, I may expose myself to conditions and situations of a hazardous nature.

For, and in consideration of being permitted to participate in the City of Belle Plaine Police Department's "Ride - Along" Program, the sufficiency of this consideration being hereby acknowledged, I do hereby covenant and undertake with my heirs, guardians, executors, and administrators, to forever refrain and desist from instituting or asserting against the City of Belle Plaine, its authorized agents, representatives, or personnel, any claim, demand, action or suit of whatever kind or nature, either directly, or indirectly, for injuries or damages to person or property which may result from participation in the City of Belle Plaine Police Department's "Ride - Along" Program.

It is understood and agreed that as against the City of Belle Plaine and its authorized agents, representatives, or personnel, this agreement may be pleaded as a counterclaim or as a defense in bar or abatement to any action of any kind whatsoever brought, instituted, or taken by or on behalf of myself on account of any supposed claim or claims against the City of Belle Plaine or its authorized agents, representatives, or personnel.

I do hereby expressly stipulate and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Belle Plaine and its authorized agents, representatives, or personnel against any loss, including costs and fees on account of any action which may be brought against them by me or any person in my behalf for the purpose of enforcing any claim for damages arising out of participation in the "Ride - Along" Program.

I further expressly understand and agree that I will: (1) Abide by the orders of the police officer(s) whom I accompany; (2) Refrain from interfering with the police officers while in the pursuance of their official duties as police officers; (3) Refrain from participating with the police officers while in the pursuance of their official duties as police officers; (4) Refrain from placing myself in a position which might endanger my life, or the lives and safety of police officers, or other persons.

I further agree to protect and save harmless the City of Belle Plaine, its agents, representatives, or personnel from any loss, damage, or expense on account of claims, liabilities, damages or injuries which may be sustained by any person or property arising directly or indirectly from any of my actions.

I have carefully read the above agreement and fully understand its provisions.

Print Name: _____ Signature: _____ DOB: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____ Date: _____

Witness #1 Signature: _____ Witness #2 Signature: _____

Approved by (Commanding Officer/ID No.): _____