

**COASTAL CLEANUP DAY 2026 WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND EXPRESS ASSUMPTION OF RISK
(PLEASE READ CAREFULLY)**

I understand and agree as follows: 1. I am volunteering my services for Coastal Cleanup Day ("the Event"); 2. I will perform only those tasks assigned, observe all safety rules, and use reasonable care in the performance of my assignments; 3. I acknowledge that I am engaging in this activity as a volunteer and not as a State of California employee, agent, official, officer or representative, and further acknowledge that I am not entitled to any compensation, benefit or insurance coverage from the State of California, the California Coastal Commission, the Department of Parks and Recreation, California State Parks Foundation, or any agent thereof including any Event promoter, sponsor, or organizer.

I understand and agree that Event Sponsors and their respective employees, officers, agents or assigns (collectively referred to as "Released Parties"), are not to be held liable or responsible in any way for any injury, death or other damages to me or my family, heirs, or assigns that may occur as a result of my participation in the Event, or as a result of product liability or the negligence, whether passive or active, of any party, including Released Parties, in connection with the Event. The State of California, the California Coastal Commission, the Department of Parks and Recreation, California State Parks Foundation, California Department of Fish & Wildlife, California Department of Transportation, Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy, Orange County Coastkeeper, Alameda County Clean Water Program, Alameda County Resource Conservation District, East Bay Regional Park District, City of Berkeley - Shorebird Park Nature Center, City of Fremont, City of Livermore - Living Arroyos, City of Oakland, Port of Oakland, City of Redding, Sierra Nevada Alliance, Premier Mushrooms, The Watershed Project, Tolowa Dee-ni' Nation, Northcoast Environmental Center, Santa Clara Valley Water District, US Army Corps of Engineers (Black Butte Lake), The EcoMedia Compass, Kings County Department of Environmental Health, Lake County Department of Public Works, Heal the Bay, City of Davis, Putah Creek Council, City of Long Beach - El Dorado Nature Center, US Army Corps of Engineers (Bay Model Visitor Center), Mendocino Land Trust, Mendocino Resource Conservation District, Bear Creek Yacht Club, Save Our Shores, Napa County Resource Conservation District, American River Parkway Foundation, I Love A Clean San Diego, SF Recreation and Parks Department, Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy, San Joaquin County Public Works, Environmental Center of San Luis Obispo County (ECOSLO), Explore Ecology, Salmon River Restoration Council, Keep Bakersfield Beautiful, San Mateo County Environmental Health Services, Solano Resource Conservation District, COASTWALK, Sonoma Ecology Center, Sutter County Resource Conservation District, Ventura County Coalition for Coastal and Inland Waterways, Cache Creek Conservancy, Yuba County Environmental Health, Oakland Yacht Club, Aeolian Yacht Club, Alameda Yacht Club, Ballena Bay Yacht Club and Ballena Isle Marina, Grand Marina, Alameda Community Sailing Center, Oakland Marinas, Yolo County, nor any of their respective employees, officers, agents or assigns, (collectively referred to as "Released Parties"), or any agent thereof including any Event promoter, sponsor, or organizer.

In the circumstance of injury or illness, I authorize qualified emergency medical professionals to examine and administer emergency care to me, regardless of whether I am able to specifically agree to treatment at the time it is administered. I understand and agree to assume the risks related to medical treatment.

I understand and agree to assume all risks associated with the cleanup activity, including the use of watercraft. I HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE RELEASED PARTIES FROM ANY CLAIM OR LAWSUIT FOR PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE, OR WRONGFUL DEATH, BY ME, MY FAMILY, ESTATE, HEIRS, OR ASSIGNS, ARISING OUT OF PARTICIPATION IN THE EVENT, INCLUDING CLAIMS ARISING DURING THE ACTIVITY AND AFTER I COMPLETE THE ACTIVITY, AND INCLUDING CLAIMS BASED ON NEGLIGENCE OF OTHER PARTICIPANTS OR THE RELEASED PARTIES.

Unless I opt out ☐, I agree to allow my image to be used in published materials and websites that promote the programs of the California Coastal Commission or any coastal programs conducted by the Released Parties.

Unless I opt out ☐, I agree that the California Coastal Commission may contact me about future Coastal Cleanup Day events and other Public Education programs.

I HAVE FULLY INFORMED MYSELF OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS LIABILITY RELEASE AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK.

_____ Spelling of Participant's Name	_____ Date	_____ Street Address	_____ Phone
_____ Signature of Participant	_____ City, State, Zip	_____ E-mail	

FOR EACH PARTICIPANT UNDER 18, A PARENT, LEGAL GUARDIAN, OR AUTHORIZED AGENT OF THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE MINOR.

I am the parent, legal guardian, or authorized agent of the parent or guardian of the minor named below. The minor has my permission to participate in Coastal Cleanup Day ("the Event"). On behalf of the minor, I understand and agree to the Waiver of Liability and Assumption of Risks as it affects the minor.

_____ Spelling of Parent/Legal Guardian's Name	_____ Date	_____ Street Address	_____ Phone
_____ Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian	_____ City, State, Zip	_____ E-mail	