

# THIRD ANNUAL LIBERATED FLOW CHARITY ART GALA

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF, AND AGREEMENT CONCERNING, COVID-19-RELATED HEALTH RISKS

Thank you for attending Liberated Flow, LLC's Third Annual Charity Art Gala (the "**Gala**") at the Black History Museum and Cultural Center of Virginia (the "**Museum**") on December 4, 2021. In light of the current COVID-19 pandemic and the potential transmission risks posed by gatherings such as the Gala, Liberated Flow, LLC ("**Liberated Flow**") and the Museum are requiring all persons present at the Museum for, or on connection with the Gala, to execute this Acknowledgement reflecting their understanding of these risks and releasing and waiving any claims guests may have against, the Museum, Liberated Flow, and their respective owners, employees, members, managers, agents, and representatives (collectively the "**Released Parties**") for any injuries, illness, damages, liabilities or losses, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, which arise during or result from attending, or otherwise participating in the Gala, regardless of whether or not caused in whole or part by the negligence or other fault of any of the Released Parties.

Accordingly, in consideration of my admission to the Museum and the Gala, I, \_\_\_\_\_, represent, covenant and agree, on behalf of myself and my heirs, assigns, and any other person claiming by, under or through me, as follows:

1. I acknowledge exposure to disease-causing organisms and objects, such as novel coronavirus COVID-19, and personal contact with others, including but not limited to, the Released Parties and other attendees of the Gala, involves a certain degree of risk that could result in illness, permanent disability or death, and I accept and assume such risks with respect to my attendance of, and participation in, the Gala.
2. I represent that I: (a) am not experiencing any of the following symptoms of COVID19 identified by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention at CDC.gov, including: (i) fever or chills; (ii) cough; (iii) shortness of breath or difficulty breathing; (iv) fatigue; (v) muscle or body aches; (vi) headaches; (vii) new loss of taste or smell; (viii) sore throat; (ix) congestion or runny nose; (x) nausea or vomiting; and (xi) diarrhea; (b) have not been in close contact with anyone someone with confirmed or suspected COVID-19 symptoms without completing a 14-day quarantine; (c) am not under a self-quarantine order.
3. Without limiting my assumption of the general risks described above, I specifically understand and acknowledge the following with regard to the novel coronavirus, COVID-19: (a) that COVID-19 has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization; (b) that COVID-19 is an infectious virus that is extremely contagious and spreads easily through person-to-person contact and/or by contact with contaminated surfaces and objects, and even possibly in the air; (c) that those infected with COVID-19 may show no symptoms and still spread the disease, including through interpersonal communications and sharing spaces with others; (d) that COVID-19 can cause serious and potentially life threatening illness and even death; (e) that despite efforts by the Released Parties to comply with applicable guidance from public health authorities, the Released Parties cannot and do not warrant that such efforts and measures will completely prevent exposure to the COVID-19 virus; (f) that my attendance of, participation in, or involvement with the Gala may increase my risk of contracting COVID-19; and (g) that the Released Parties cannot protect me from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while at the Museum in connect with the Gala.
4. **Notwithstanding, but understanding and acknowledging all of, the foregoing, I hereby choose to accept, and freely and voluntarily assume, the risk of being exposed to, contracting and/or spreading COVID-19 by attending or participating in the Gala at the Museum and release and forever discharge the Released Parties from any liability associated therewith.**
5. **I have carefully read, reviewed, understand, and voluntarily execute this Acknowledgement, which is governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia.**

**Attendee/Participant/Volunteer Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Attendee/Participant/Volunteer Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_