



## Liability Release Waiver

I (whose legal name, signature and date are affixed to page 2 of this form) have voluntarily chosen to participate in this rescue, field trip, or other event sponsored by the Georgia Native Plant Society (GNPS), as indicated on page 2 of this form in the space entitled 'EVENT'.

In consideration for being allowed to participate in this event, I willingly assume all risks associated with my participation and I grant this release of liability.

I understand that my participation in this event entails a risk of physical injury or death resulting from, but not limited to, the following:

hazardous weather conditions, such as snow, ice, wind, rain, sun, extreme heat or extreme cold;

hazardous terrain and/or topography, both marked and unmarked, such as rivers, streams, creeks, lakes, cliffs, ravines, slopes, holes, abandoned wells and caves;

hazardous conditions, such as falling rocks, falling trees, falling branches and fire;

hazardous plants and animals, such as poison ivy, briars, bees, yellow jackets, wasps, snakes, bats, rats, raccoons and dogs;

dangerous persons, such as vagrants, persons with firearms and others;

physically demanding activity, such as hiking, climbing, digging and carrying heavy loads or objects;

travel to and from the event.

I understand that there are other potential risks not enumerated here or identified by the leaders of the event and I willingly assume all risks associated therewith.

I understand that the leaders of the event are not qualified to deliver emergency medical care and that emergency medical care from a qualified provider is not readily available.

I understand that my participation in this event will involve strenuous physical activity. I represent and warrant that I am physically and mentally capable of participating in this event. I alone am responsible for this assessment of my capacity to participate in the event and I assume any and all risks associated therewith.

For myself, my estate and any personal representative thereof, my heirs and assigns, I hereby forever release GNPS, its officers, directors, agents, members, the leaders of and other participants in the event and the owners of the property where the event takes place, from any and all costs, claims, losses, liabilities or damages arising from or in any way related to my participation in this event.

For myself, my estate and any personal representative thereof, my heirs and assigns, I covenant and agree to make no claim, nor institute any suit, action or proceeding against GNPS, its officers, directors, agents and members, the leaders of and other participants in the event and the owner(s) of the property where the event takes place. This release is to be effective regardless of whether any claim is asserted in negligence, gross negligence, strict liability in tort or other theory of recovery.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this release by my signature on page 2 of this form:

Event \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I acknowledge that a copy of this Liability Release Waiver has been made available to me by my signature on this form.

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