

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT – PLEASE READ!

I hereby acknowledge that I have voluntarily chosen to use Lakewood’s waterfront facilities and watercraft (hereinafter called “watercraft”) made available by Associated Students of Western Washington University.

I understand the risks involved in using the watercraft. I recognize that watercraft and its use involves risk of injury and I agree to accept any and all risks associated with it including but not limited to property damage or loss, minor bodily injury, severe bodily injury, and death. Furthermore, I recognize that using the watercraft involves activities and risks incidental thereto, including but not limited to, unpredictable weather, water hazards, the reckless operation of other watercraft, limited availability of medical assistance and the possible reckless conduct of other individuals. I am voluntarily using the watercraft with the knowledge of the risks involved and hereby agree to accept any and all inherent risks of property damage, bodily injury or death.

In consideration of my use of the watercraft and to the fullest extent permitted by law, I agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Western Washington University, its trustees, officers, directors, employees, agents, volunteers and assigns from and against all claims arising out of or resulting from my use of the watercraft. “Claim” as used in this agreement means any financial loss, claim, suit, action, damage, or expense, including but not limited to attorney’s fees, attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or injury to or destruction of tangible property including loss of use resulting therefrom. In addition, I hereby voluntarily hold harmless Western Washington University, its trustees, officers, directors, employees, agents, volunteers and assigns from any and all claims, both present and future, that may be made by me, my family, estate, heirs or assigns.

I hereby expressly agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Western Washington University, its trustees, officers, directors, employees, agents, volunteers and assigns for any claim arising out of or incident to my use of the watercraft, unless caused by the sole negligence of Western Washington University.

I have read and understand this acknowledgement of risk and hold harmless

Participant Signature _____ Date _____

Participant Printed Name _____

Parent / Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent / Guardian Printed Name _____