

**Central Texas Disaster Action Response Team (Cen-Tex DART)
Participation and Liability Wavier**

I, _____, hereby request to participate in the Central Texas Disaster Action Response Team (Cen-Tex DART) program. I understand that my participation as a Cen-Tex DART team member will involve active physical activity, which includes a potential risk of personal injury and/or personal property damage. I make this request with full knowledge of the possibility of personal injury and/or personal property damage. I understand that no insurance or compensation coverage is provided and that if medical treatment should be required, it is at my expense.

I acknowledge that in my decision to respond "at will" to emergency or disaster situations with Cen-Tex DART, it is my duty to obey all federal, state, and local laws while functioning as a Cen-Tex DART member. No vehicular emergency equipment (light or sirens) or signs are authorized.

I understand that at no time will alcoholic beverages be consumed while representing or wearing Cen-Tex DART gear or clothing. There will be no social media used that is not authorized by, and under the sole control of the Cen-Tex DART.

I agree to hold harmless the Central Texas DART, training partners and facilities, and other Emergency Services Agencies and their agents and personnel, from any and all claims, actions, suits and/or injury that I may suffer and which may arise as a result of my participation as a Cen-Tex DART team member.

I agree to follow the laws established by the State of Texas and rules established by Cen-Tex DART and to exercise reasonable care while participating in the Cen-Tex DART program. I understand that if I fail to follow the program rules and regulations, the direct instructions of the Cen-Tex DART Directors or an Incident Commander, or if I fail to exercise reasonable care, I can be administratively removed from the program at any time.

Further, as a Cen-Tex DART member, I will always use due care when I am activated. I will follow the directions of the emergency response agencies and supervisors appointed over me. In the event that I am without direction from emergency response agencies or supervisors, I will perform my duties including making decisions as to the necessity of providing emergency services in a prudent and reasonable manner, within the scope of my training, at all times.

By executing this release I certify that I have read this document in its entirety, understand all of its terms and have had any questions regarding the document or release or its effect satisfactorily answered. I sign this release freely and voluntarily.

SIGNATURE OF MEMBER

PRINTED NAME OF MEMBER

DATE SIGNED
