

# TAILWISE K9

## Release of Liability & Service Agreement

This agreement is made between Tailwise K9 and the undersigned dog owner. By signing below, you acknowledge and agree to the terms outlined in this waiver for participation in group pack hikes and transportation services.

### Client Information

Owner Name

Phone

Email

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Dog Name

Breed

Age

Weight

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Emergency Contact Name & Phone

Veterinarian Name & Phone

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### Health & Behavior Disclosure

By signing, I confirm that my dog is up to date on vaccinations, in good physical health, and free from contagious illness. I confirm my dog has no known serious aggression history unless disclosed below.

Disclosed behavioral or health concerns (if any):

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### Assumption of Risk

I understand that participation in group dog hikes, adventure days, and transportation involves inherent risks, including dog to dog interactions, slips or falls, injuries, exposure to wildlife, weather, terrain hazards, illness, stress, or accidental escape. I knowingly and voluntarily assume all risks

associated with my dog's participation.

### **Release of Liability**

I agree to release and hold harmless Tailwise K9, its owner, employees, and representatives from liability for injury, illness, loss, or damage to my dog or property arising from participation in pack hikes, adventure days, and transportation services, except in cases of gross negligence or willful misconduct.

With this being said, while your dog is with a member of our team, we will treat them as if they are our own. Your dog's safety and well-being is our number one priority.

### **Emergency Medical Authorization**

If my dog requires emergency veterinary care during a hike or transportation and I cannot be reached, I authorize Tailwise K9 to obtain necessary medical treatment on my behalf. I understand that I am financially responsible for any veterinary expenses unless the injury is determined to have been directly caused by the negligence of Tailwise K9.

Tailwise K9 accepts responsibility for injuries that occur as a direct result of staff negligence during a hike or transportation. However, Tailwise K9 is not responsible for injuries, medical events, or complications arising from pre-existing conditions, underlying health issues, or conditions unknown or undisclosed prior to participation.

Tailwise K9 staff are trained in canine CPR and basic first aid. A first aid kit is carried during all hikes and transportation, and appropriate first aid will be administered as needed until veterinary care can be obtained.

### **Damage & Liability for Dog Behavior**

I agree to be financially responsible for any excessive damage, injury, or loss caused by my dog to other dogs, people, property, vehicles, or equipment while participating in Tailwise K9 services.

### **Indemnification**

Owner agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Tailwise K9, its owner, employees, and representatives from and against any and all claims, liabilities, damages, losses, costs, or legal expenses arising out of or related to their dog's participation in services, including but not limited to injury or damage caused by their dog to other dogs, people, or property.

### **Removal from Hike for Safety**

If my dog causes a safety hazard, displays aggressive or disruptive behavior, poses a risk to other dogs, people, or staff, or causes a hazard during transportation, Tailwise K9 reserves the right to immediately remove my dog from the hike and return them home. No refunds or pass credits will be issued in these cases.

### **Outdoor Activity Acknowledgment**

I understand that Adventure Days and pack hikes take place outdoors in natural environments. As a result, my dog may be exposed to dirt, mud, water, debris, and other natural elements and may return home dirty.

Tailwise K9 keeps towels and brushes in vehicles and will clean off excessive dirt or buildup when possible. However, Tailwise K9 is not responsible for providing or being financially responsible for professional grooming services, including bathing, dematting, or coat restoration.

**Photo & Video Release**

I grant Tailwise K9 permission to use photos or videos of my dog for marketing and social media purposes.

Yes  No

**Acknowledgment & Agreement**

I certify that I have read, understood, and agree to all terms in this release.

Owner Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_