

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT

I acknowledge that I voluntarily have chosen to enter the Firmbush Ventures LLC . I am aware that activities performed by members such as myself include using firearms at the shooting range and/or using firearms on Club property.

I AM AWARE THAT THESE ACTIVITIES ARE HAZARDOUS ACTIVITIES AND THAT I COULD BE SERIOUSLY INJURED OR EVEN KILLED. I AM VOLUNTARILY PARTICIPATING IN THESE ACTIVITIES WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THE DANGER INVOLVED, AND AGREE TO ASSUME ANY AND ALL RISKS OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE, WHETHER THOSE RISKS ARE KNOWN OR UNKNOWN. BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, I AM WAIVING ANY AND ALL LIABILITY ACTIONS WHICH I MIGHT PURSUE AGAINST FIRMBUSH VENTURES, LLC FOR ANY AND ALL BODILY INJURIES, DEATH OR DEATHS, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE, INCLUDING ANY AND ALL LIABILITY ACTIONS ARISING OUT OF NEGLIGENCE ON THE PART OF THE FIRMBUSH VENTURES, LLC ITS AGENTS. OFFICERS. AND/OR MEMBERS.

As consideration for being permitted by Firmbush Ventures LLC to become a and to participate in the aforementioned activities, I forever release Firmbush Ranges AREA OUTDOOR RANGE, and their respective directors, officers, employees, volunteers, agents, contractors, and representatives (collectively "Releasees") from any and all actions, claims, or demands that I, my assignees, heirs, distributees, guardians, next of kin, spouse and legal representatives now have, or may have in the future, for injury, death, or property damage, related to (i) my participation in these activities, (ii) the negligence or other acts, whether directly connected to these activities or not, and however caused, by any Releasee, or (iii) the condition of the premises where these activities occur, whether or not I am then participating in the activities. I also agree that I, my assignees, heirs, distributees, guardians, next of kin, spouse and legal representatives will not make a claim against, sue, or attach the property of any Releasee in connection with any of the matters covered by the foregoing release.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT BETWEEN MYSELF AND FIRMBUSH VENTURES LLC LLC LLC AND I ACCEPT IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL. I also understand this release and waiver shall remain in effect while I am a member OR GUEST of the FIRMBUSH VENTURES, LLC

RELEASOR PARENT OR GUARDIAN

IF YOU ARE UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE, YOU AND YOUR PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST REVIEW AND ACCEPT THIS WAIVER TOGETHER. Parent or Guardian: You verify that the dangers of the activities and the significance of this Release and Waiver were explained to the Member and that the Member understood them.

GUESTS ARE THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MEMBER OR MEMBERS WHO BROUGHT THEM TO THE RANGE. BY BRINGING A GUEST TO THE RANGE YOU AGREE TO ASSUME ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEIR ACTIONS.

ANY PERSON WHO ENTERS THE RANGE THRU THIS ENTRANCE AND PASSES BY THIS NOTICE IS AUTOMATICALLY AGREEING TO PARTICIPATE IN THE WAIVER OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT.

I verify this statement by signing this document and/or entering range property.

MEMBER # _____

DATE _____

PRINT NAME _____

SIGN NAME _____

9. Cease-fires, Before going down Range:

CEASE FIRE PROCEDURES

ALWAYS HANDLE RIFLES IN A SAFE MANNER; ALWAYS POINT RIFLES IN A SAFE DIRECTION; ALWAYS ASSUME RIFLES ARE LOADED

1. **ALWAYS MAINTAIN AWARENESS OF OTHER SHOOTERS ON THE RIFLE RANGE**
 - a. CHECK TO SEE ANY OTHER SHOOTERS ON THE FIRING LINE
 - b. CHECK TO SEE IF SHOOTERS ARE SETTING UP TARGETS DOWN RANGE
 - c. CHECK TO SEE IF SHOOTERS ARE PREPARING TO WALK OR DRIVE DOWN RANGE TO SET UP TARGETS
 - d. CHECK TO SEE IF THERE ARE ANY UNATTENDED GUNS OR GEAR ON THE FIRING LINE THAT BELONG TO MEMBERS DOWN RANGE THAT YOU MAY NOT SEE
2. **SET UP** ANY NECESSARY **GEAR** LIKE AMMO, SPOTTING SCOPES, RESTS, SANDBAGS OR BENCHES ON THE TABLE **BEFORE SETTING UP RIFLES**
3. DO NOT PUT RIFLES ON THE SHOOTING TABLES UNTIL READY TO SHOOT
4. **BEFORE SHOOTING** YOU MUST **VERIFY THAT NO OTHER MEMBERS ARE DOWN RANGE**
5. **WHEN NOT SHOOTING** RIFLES **REMOVE THE BOLT** FROM THE RIFLE OR **REMOVE THE MAGAZINE** FROM THE RIFLE SO OTHER SHOOTERS CAN TELL YOU ARE NOT “HOT”
6. **BEFORE GOING DOWN RANGE** TO SET UP OR OBSERVE TARGETS, **ALWAYS LEAVE THE RIFLE UNLOADED AND INOPERABLE.**
7. **BEFORE GOING DOWN RANGE** TO OBSERVE OR SET UP TARGETS **YOU MUST WAIT FOR THE CEASE FIRE BELL TO RING** (BECAUSE YOU DO NOT WANT TO GET SHOT)
 - a. **CLEARLY GET ATTENTION OF AND SPEAK TO OTHER SHOOTERS ON THE FIRING LINE**
 - i. EFFECTIVELY COMMUNICATE THAT IT IS TIME TO STOP
 - ii. YELL/WHISTLE IF NECESSARY
 - iii. BE NICE & RESPECTFUL
 - iv. ETC
 - b. **DO NOT GO DOWN RANGE UNTIL ALL OTHER SHOOTERS HAVE ACKNOWLEDGED THE CEASE FIRE**
 - i. VERIFY THAT THE CEASE FIRE BELL WAS HEARD BY ALL
 1. VERBAL CONFIRMATION
 2. HAND SIGNALS
 3. ETC.
8. **YOU MUST STOP SHOOTING AND RENDER YOUR GUN INOPERABLE WHILE BELL IS RINGING AND WHILE OTHER MEMBERS ARE DOWN RANGE**
9. **DO NOT TOUCH YOUR GUN WHILE OTHERS ARE DOWN RANGE**
10. **YOU MUST COMMUNICATE WITH** OTHER MEMBERS ON THE FIRING LINE, **NO MATTER WHAT**
11. **ALWAYS BE COURTEOUS AND RESPECTFUL WHEN INTERACTING WITH OTHER MEMBERS ON THE FIRING LINE**
12. **YOU MUST BE PATIENT** – DO NOT GO DOWN RANGE JUST BECAUSE THE CEASE FIRE BELL STARTS RINGING. DO NOT START SHOOTING JUST BECAUSE THE CEASE FIRE BELL STOPS RINGING. YOU MUST BE PATIENT AROUND THE CEASE FIRE INTERVALS. SOMETIMES PEOPLE ARE STILL SHOOTING WHEN THE BELL RINGS BECAUSE THEY CANT HEAR IT. SOMETIMES PEOPLE ARE STILL DOWN RANGE DOING TARGETS WHEN THE BELL STOPS RINGING. NO ONE SHOULD EVER BE DOWN RANGE IN ANY AREA WHILE OTHERS AR SHOOTING. ANYONE WHO SHOOTS WHILE OTHER MEMBERS ARE DOWN RANGE WILL BE BANNED IMMEDIATELY. **YOU DO NOT WANT TO INFRINGE ON THE EXPERIENCE AND TIME OF OTHER MEMBERS.**

13. FOLLOW ALL RANGE RULES AND FOR FURTHER PROCEDURES REFER TO RANGE RULE #9

14. **ALWAYS STOP AND LOOK BOTH WAYS BEFORE FIRING AND MAKE SURE THE DOWN RANGE AREA IS CLEAR!!**

(a) **Verify the calling of a cease-fire with every shooter on the firing line, be cognizant of all people and their locations on the range at all times.**

(b) **Make all firearms safe with actions open, magazines removed, and completely clear of ammunition.**

(c) **Do not handle firearms on the firing line while anyone is down range.**

(d) **When more than one person is on the range, those present may appoint a Range Officer to give "Cease-fire" and "Commence-fire" commands.**

(e) **Shooters on the range must ensure that everyone is back from down range before the "Commence-fire" command is given.**

(f) **Please be courteous when you ask other shooters for a cease-fire.**

(g) **Ask for cease-fires according to the bell schedule.**

(h) **Always give the other shooter the opportunity to complete his string of fire before commencing the cease-fire.**

(i) **All people using the range are always responsible for safe facility use and must take action to stop an unsafe situation.**

REMEMBER: GETTING INTO A SET-UP/SHOOTING RHYTHM WITH OTHER MEMBERS IS KEY TO MAINTAINING FLOW AND CONSISTENCY ON THE RIFLE RANGE.

10. NO, INCENDIARY, TRACER, OR HIGH VELOCITY ammunition may be used.

11. Gongs and Metal Targets:

NEVER MOVE THE GONGS OR METAL TARGETS!

(a) Use of gongs may be suspended during high fire danger.

(b) If you shoot a gong down, re-hang it as soon as possible.

(c) Armor-piercing, high velocity, or 50 BMG ammunition is not permitted for use on the gongs.

(d) Very high-velocity ammunition use at the gongs that could cause damage to the gongs is PROHIBITED.

(e) Use common sense.

12. Alcohol and Gunpowder don't mix. No alcohol is permitted on the firing lines. No one visibly impaired by alcohol or drugs will be allowed to shoot. Let's help each other keep shooting sports safe by correcting any unsafe condition that may arise due to alcohol or drug use. Do it now. Later may be too late!

13. Always control your muzzle. Point your gun down range and into a berm during loading, unloading, or when making adjustments or repairs. Dryfiring is to be in a down range direction and only from the firing line.

14. Damage to club property or unsafe use of guns is never permitted. **Members must correct any unsafe situation.**

15. Clean up after yourself. Pull your targets after use and police your brass. Put all dud ammunitions in specially marked containers

16. Use of eye and ear protection is REQUIRED for all persons on the firing line beyond the signed point.

17. In all instances not covered by established rules, the decision and direction of the Range Master or Shoot Management will be final.

18. Anyone making threats of violence, verbal or physical towards another person or persons on the range will be told to leave and escorted to the entrance gate. That person's name will be given to an officer for disciplinary action. That person may be banned from participating in any activity at the Firmbush Ranges Area Outdoor Gun Range for a minimum of one year or as the management deems appropriate.

19. This range is run by members for members. It is the responsibility of all members to maintain a safe and friendly range. All members must be teachers, care takers, assistants, helpers, friends, and more, to all other members.

20. SHOTGUNS ARE NEVER TO BE SHOT AT THE TARGET BOARDS. ANYONE SHOOTING SHOTGUNS AT THE TARGET BOARDS WILL BE ESCORTED OUT IMMEDIATELY.

Report anyone breaking these rules by calling or texting (678) 640-2733. You will remain anonymous and you will help maintain the kind of range we all want to shoot on: safe, respectful, and fun.