

RELEASE/WAIVER OF LIABILITY

THIS RELEASE/WAIVER OF LIABILITY executed on this ____ day of _____, 20__, by _____ (name; list entity if applicable) (the "Patron") of _____ (town, state) to **MARY E. BARTLETT MEMORIAL LIBRARY**, being a public library with an address of 22 Dalton Road, Brentwood, NH 03833 (the "Library"), and all of its trustees, employees, officer, agents and volunteers of the Library, and the Town of Brentwood (collectively referred to as the "Releasees").

IN CONSIDERATION of allowing the Patron to bring an emotional support, therapy, or comfort dog ("Animal") into the Library, the Patron, and his or her personal representatives, heirs and next of kin, successors and assigns, acknowledges, agrees and represents as follows:

1. **Release and Covenant Not to Sue.** The Patron hereby covenants not to sue, and releases, waives, and discharges the Releasees, from all liability to the Patron and the Patron's representatives, successors, assignees, heirs and next of kin, for any and all loss or injury to the persons or property of the Patron or resulting in the death of the Patron, or any other damage that arises directly or indirectly from or in connection with the Animal, while at the Library.
2. **Indemnification.** The Patron hereby agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees and each of them from any loss, liability, damage, cost, claims or injuries, including death, to any third party or the Patron, or the property of any third party or the Patron to the extent arising from the presence of the Animal at the Library.
3. In the event that costs are incurred to enforce any covenant contained in this Release and/or any action is instituted at law or in equity to enforce this Release, the Patron shall pay such costs, including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney fees.
4. This agreement contains the entire agreement of the parties regarding the within subject matter and supersedes all prior written or oral understandings pertaining to any of the subject matter hereof.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE, I FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

Witness

Signature of Patron
Print Name: _____