

**2011 AMERICAN FOLK FESTIVAL
Volunteer Waiver**

If scheduled to volunteer at the 2011 American Folk Festival (AFF), I do hereby for myself, my successors, heirs and assigns, fully and completely RELEASE and HOLD HARMLESS the Bangor Folk Festival (DBA the American Folk Festival), the City of Bangor, Eastern Maine Development Corporation, the Maine Discovery Museum, the National Council for Traditional Arts, the University of Maine Folklife Center, and their officers, servants, agents and employees from any and all claims, demands and actions that I may have, or that my successors, heirs or assigns may have, on account of loss, damage or injury, including personal injury, that I may sustain while volunteering for the American Folk Festival. I do hereby voluntarily assume all risks, known or unknown, from volunteering for the American Folk Festival.

I understand that the American Folk Festival partners do not provide compensation, except as otherwise provided by law, and that a volunteer does not have the status or benefits of an employee. I understand the position(s) that I will perform.

I agree to volunteer according to this waiver for the American Folk Festival event to be held on the Bangor Waterfront in downtown Bangor between August 23, 2011 and August 31, 2011.

During my volunteer shift(s): I will not drink alcohol or be under the influence of alcohol, or any controlled substances, I will wear the official Festival volunteer t-shirt and proper footwear.

I hereby grant the AFF the right and permission to publish, without charge, photographs of me, or my child if participant is under 18, taken at the 2011 AFF. These photographs may be used in Festival produced materials (including, but not limited to: newsletters, websites and brochures.)

By my signature below (or that of my parent and legal guardian if I am a minor under the age of 18), I wish to volunteer for the AFF and I agree to honor and respect all requests and conditions presented by the AFF. I am a voluntary participant and am in good physical condition.

(18 or over) Printed Name of Volunteer _____

Signature _____ date _____

(Under 18) I give my permission for:

First Name _____	Last Name _____	Age _____
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to volunteer at the 2011 American Folk Festival. I understand the position(s) that the above named volunteer(s) will perform. As their legal guardian, I voluntarily assume all risks, known or unknown, from volunteering at the American Folk Festival.

Printed name of Legal Guardian _____

Signature of Legal Guardian _____ date _____