

## RELEASE FROM LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

On behalf of myself, children, and others I am responsible for, I release the Native Plant Society of New Mexico, its chapters, officers, directors, volunteers, and agents (collectively "NPSNM") from all liability for anything that happens to us while we participate in, travel to, or return from any activity of NPSNM. I realize that we may be injured in many ways that include, but are not limited to, automobile accidents, falling, hiking injuries, exposure to toxic plants, or attacks by animals. I assume the risk of all damages, injuries, broken bones or death arising out of our participation in NPSNM activities. I agree to hold NPSNM harmless for any injuries even in the event of NPSNM negligence. I further agree that this assumption of risk and release from liability is binding on anyone acting in my interest, including my heirs and estate. An electronic copy of this Release shall be valid and binding.

If I volunteer to drive in a carpool on NPSNM activities, I assert that I will abide by all driving laws and that I and my vehicle are in full compliance with all state vehicle laws. Whether I am a carpool driver or passenger, I agree not to sue NPSNM and release NPSNM from all liability incident to carpooling. On all NPSNM activities, I and those I am responsible for will conduct ourselves in a friendly and civil manner and will adhere to NPSNM Rules on the NPSNM web site ([npsnm.org](http://npsnm.org)) under Rules for Trips & Activities and under "Administration" in "Policies Governing Field Experiences and Outings" and to the guidelines and directions of field trip leaders and NPSNM agents. I understand that on NPSNM activities there may not be rescue or medical facilities or expertise necessary to deal with injuries I incur.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Print email address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

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Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_