Hold Harmless Agreement

I understand that my participation in the **2007 Santa Clara County Homeless Count** is purely voluntary, and I agree to hold harmless Santa Clara County (SCC) and Applied Survey Research (ASR), and all officers, employees, authorized volunteers, and agents of each SCC and ASR, for any and all liability due to accident, illness, damages, injuries, death or other consequences which I might sustain resulting directly or indirectly from my participation in this activity. I have been informed, and I know that my participation involves some amount of risk. I knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of another participant. If, however, I observe any unusual or significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such hazards to the attention of a representative or an authorized representative. This release and hold-harmless statement shall also be binding on my heirs, assigns, successors, and all other persons who may claim through me.

There is no direct benefit for you or the interviewee in participating in this interview; however, all responses will greatly benefit other homeless people. There may be small risks from participating in this interview. No one other than members of the research team will have access to the data. By agreeing to participate, you are providing consent for the information to be used for the purpose of this study.

Printed Name **Signature** **Date**

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