PLATTSMOUTH COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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CRIMINAL HISTORY AUTHORIZATION
WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND RELEASE OF CLAIMS FOR EMPLOYEES AND VOLUNTEERS

As a prospective employee/volunteer of the Plattsmouth Community School District, I authorize the Plattsmouth Community School District lo conduct a criminal history background check and child abuse/neglect registry check, prior to an offer using the information below.

LEGAL NAME: _____

Please Print Last First Middle

Maiden Name/Names previously used: _____

Birthdate _____ Age ___ Race _____ Sex ___ Driver's License Number_____

Social Security Number _____ Email Address _____

Email Address required to process background check

I understand that the above information is required for conducting a criminal history background check and child abuse/neglect registry check. I hereby release and forever discharge the Plattsmouth Community School District, the state of Nebraska, and the City of Plattsmouth, and their agents, officers, and employees from any and all actions, causes, claims and demands for, upon or by reason of any damage, loss of injury, which may be sustained by rne in nature of libel, slander, invasion of privacy or other resulting from errors or omissions in the information given or from the use of the information, whether by reason of unauthorized use, negligence or otherwise.

EE/Volunteer Signature _____ Date _____

Witness/Parent or Guardian if minor (under 18 years of age)

___ _I have <u>not been</u> convicted of, or pled guilty or nolo contendere (no contest) to, any crimes, including both felonies and misdemeanors.

___ I <u>have been</u> convicted of or pled guilty or nolo contendere (no contest) lo the following crimes, including both felonies and misdemeanors, but not including traffic citations unless they resulted in the suspension or revocation of my driver's license (explain nature of conviction, date and court and attach waiver form):

___ Yes __ No Have you ever been investigated or convicted of a crime of physical abuse, sexual abuse, or child pornography by any law enforcement or any health and human services agency?

___ Yes __ No Have you been convicted of any felonies within the last 5 years?

___ Yes __ No Do you currently have any criminal charges pending?

If any of the above were answered yes, please explain: (use the back of this form, if necessary)

Please note that individuals who declare that they have been arrested, charged with, or convicted of an offense are not automatically disqualified from being hired. Plattsmouth Community School District staff review each case to assess the relevance of an arrest, charge. conviction or a hiring decision. PCSD staff will take necessary steps to assure the confidentiality of this form. PCSD is an Equal Opportunity Institution.

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APPLICANT DISCLOSURE AND AUTHORIZATION FORM

[IMPORTANT -- PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING AUTHORIZATION]

DISCLAIMER: This is an end user obligation under the FCRA. This document is intended for instructional purposes only and is not intended as legal advice. We recommend you consult with an attorney to review this document and the attached state notices to ensure your compliance with applicable state laws related to background screening and consumer notices and disclosures.

DISCLOSURE REGARDING BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION

[Employer] ("The Company") may obtain information about you from a consumer reporting agency for employment purposes. Thus, you may be the subject of a "consumer report" and/or an "investigative consumer report" which may include information about your character, general reputation, personal characteristics, and/or mode of living, which can involve personal interviews with sources such as your neighbors, friends, or associates. These reports may contain information regarding your credit history, criminal history, social security verification, motor vehicle records ("driving records"), verification of your education or employment history including current position, worker's compensation injuries, or other background checks. The scope of this notice and authorization is allowing the Company to obtain from any outside organization all manners of consumer reports and investigative consumer reports now and throughout the course of your employment to the extent permitted by law. I acknowledge receipt of the DISCLOSURE REGARDING BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION and A SUMMARY OF YOUR RIGHTS UNDER THE FAIR CREDIT REPORTING ACT and certify that I have read and understand both of those documents.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND AUTHORIZATION

I hereby authorize the obtaining of "consumer reports" and/or "investigative consumer reports" by the Company at any time after receipt of this authorization and throughout my employment, if applicable. I agree that a facsimile ("fax"), electronic or photographic copy of this Authorization shall be as valid as the original.

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle: _____

Other Legal Names/Alias:

_____

Social Security #: _____ Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): _____

Driver's License #: _____ State of Driver's License: _____

Current Address: _____

Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

All Previous Full Addresses in the Last Seven (7) Years

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Signature: _____ Date: _____

**This information will be used for background screening purposes only and will not be used for any other purpose.*

Para información en español, visite www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore o escribe a la Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, 1700 G Street NW, Washington, DC 20552.

A Summary of Your Rights Under the Fair Credit Reporting Act

The federal Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA) promotes the accuracy, fairness, and privacy of information in the files of consumer reporting agencies. There are many types of consumer reporting agencies, including credit bureaus and specialty agencies (such as agencies that sell information about check writing histories, medical records, and rental history records). Here is a summary of your major rights under FCRA. **For more information, including information about additional rights, go to www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore or write to: Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, 1700 G Street NW, Washington, DC 20552.**

- **You must be told if information in your file has been used against you.** Anyone who uses a credit report or another type of consumer report to deny your application for credit, insurance, or employment – or to take another adverse action against you – must tell you, and must give you the name, address, and phone number of the agency that provided the information.

- **You have the right to know what is in your file.** You may request and obtain all the information about you in the files of a consumer reporting agency (your "file disclosure"). You will be required to provide proper identification, which may include your Social Security number. In many cases, the disclosure will be free. You are entitled to a free file disclosure if:

    - a person has taken adverse action against you because of information in your credit report;
    - you are the victim of identity theft and place a fraud alert in your file;
    - your file contains inaccurate information as a result of fraud;
    - you are on public assistance;
    - you are unemployed but expect to apply for employment within 60 days.

    In addition, all consumers are entitled to one free disclosure every 12 months upon request from each nationwide credit bureau and from nationwide specialty consumer reporting agencies. See www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore for additional information.

- **You have the right to ask for a credit score.** Credit scores are numerical summaries of your credit-worthiness based on information from credit bureaus. You may request a credit score from consumer reporting agencies that create scores or distribute scores used in residential real property loans, but you will have to pay for it. In some mortgage transactions, you will receive credit score information for free from the mortgage lender.

- **You have the right to dispute incomplete or inaccurate information.** If you identify information in your file that is incomplete or inaccurate, and report it to the consumer

reporting agency, the agency must investigate unless your dispute is frivolous. See www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore for an explanation of dispute procedures.

- **Consumer reporting agencies must correct or delete inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information.** Inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information must be removed or corrected, usually within 30 days. However, a consumer reporting agency may continue to report information it has verified as accurate.

- **Consumer reporting agencies may not report outdated negative information.** In most cases, a consumer reporting agency may not report negative information that is more than seven years old, or bankruptcies that are more than 10 years old.

- **Access to your file is limited.** A consumer reporting agency may provide information about you only to people with a valid need – usually to consider an application with a creditor, insurer, employer, landlord, or other business. The FCRA specifies those with a valid need for access.

- **You must give your consent for reports to be provided to employers.** A consumer reporting agency may not give out information about you to your employer, or a potential employer, without your written consent given to the employer. Written consent generally is not required in the trucking industry. For more information, go to www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore.

- **You may limit "prescreened" offers of credit and insurance you get based on information in your credit report.** Unsolicited "prescreened" offers for credit and insurance must include a toll-free phone number you can call if you choose to remove your name and address from the lists these offers are based on. You may opt out with the nationwide credit bureaus at 1-888-567-8688.

- The following FCRA right applies with respect to nationwide consumer reporting agencies**:**

  CONSUMERS HAVE THE RIGHT TO OBTAIN A SECURITY FREEZE

  You have a right to place a "security freeze" on your credit report, which will prohibit a consumer reporting agency from releasing information in your credit report without your express authorization. The security freeze is designed to prevent credit, loans, and services from being approved in your name without your consent. However, you should be aware that using a security freeze to take control over who gets access to the personal and financial information in your credit report may delay, interfere with, or prohibit the timely approval of any subsequent request or application you make regarding a new loan, credit, mortgage, or any other account involving the extension of credit.

  As an alternative to a security freeze, you have the right to place an initial or extended fraud alert on your credit file at no cost. An initial fraud alert is a 1-year alert that is

placed on a consumer's credit file. Upon seeing a fraud alert display on a consumer's credit file, a business is required to take steps to verify the consumer's identity before extending new credit. If you are a victim of identity theft, you are entitled to an extended fraud alert, which is a fraud alert lasting 7 years.

A security freeze does not apply to a person or entity, or its affiliates, or collection agencies acting on behalf of the person or entity, with which you have an existing account that requests information in your credit report for the purposes of reviewing or collecting the account. Reviewing the account includes activities related to account maintenance, monitoring, credit line increases, and account upgrades and enhancements.

- **You may seek damages from violators.** If a consumer reporting agency, or, in some cases, a user of consumer reports or a furnisher of information to a consumer reporting agency violates the FCRA, you may be able to sue in state or federal court.

- **Identity theft victims and active duty military personnel have additional rights.** For more information, visit www.consumerfinance.gov/learnmore.

States may enforce the FCRA, and many states have their own consumer reporting laws. In some cases, you may have more rights under state law. For more information, contact your state or local consumer protection agency or your state Attorney General. For information about your federal rights, contact:

TYPE OF BUSINESS:	CONTACT:
1.a. Banks, savings associations, and credit unions with total assets of over $10 billion and their affiliates b. Such affiliates that are not banks, savings associations, or credit unions also should list, in addition to the CFPB:	a. Consumer Financial Protection Bureau 1700 G Street NW Washington, DC 20552 b. Federal Trade Commission Consumer Response Center 600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW Washington, DC 20580 (877) 382-4357
2. To the extent not included in item 1 above: a. National banks, federal savings associations, and federal branches and federal agencies of foreign banks b. State member banks, branches and agencies of foreign banks (other than federal branches, federal agencies, and Insured State Branches of Foreign Banks), commercial lending companies owned or controlled by foreign banks, and organizations operating under section 25 or 25A of the Federal Reserve Act. c. Nonmember Insured Banks, Insured State Branches of Foreign Banks, and insured state savings associations d. Federal Credit Unions	a. Office of the Comptroller of the Currency Customer Assistance Group P.O. Box 53570 Houston, TX 77052 b. Federal Reserve Consumer Help Center P.O. Box 1200 Minneapolis, MN 55480 c. Division of Depositor and Consumer Protection National Center for Consumer and Depositor Assistance Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation 1100 Walnut Street, Box #11 Kansas City, MO 64106 d. National Credit Union Administration Office of Consumer Financial Protection 1775 Duke Street Alexandria, VA 22314
3. Air carriers	Assistant General Counsel for Office of Aviation Consumer Protection Department of Transportation 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE Washington, DC 20590
4. Creditors Subject to the Surface Transportation Board	Office of Public Assistance, Governmental Affairs, and Compliance Surface Transportation Board 395 E Street SW Washington, DC 20423
5. Creditors Subject to the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921	Nearest Packers and Stockyards Division Regional Office
6. Small Business Investment Companies	Associate Administrator, Office of Capital Access United States Small Business Administration 409 Third Street SW, Suite 8200 Washington, DC 20416
7. Brokers and Dealers	Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street NE Washington, DC 20549
8. Institutions that are members of the Farm Credit System	Farm Credit Administration 1501 Farm Credit Drive McLean, VA 22102-5090
9. Retailers, Finance Companies, and All Other Creditors Not Listed Above	Federal Trade Commission Consumer Response Center 600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW Washington, DC 20580 (877) 382-4357