

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, WAIVER AND RELEASE

By voluntarily participating in a Victory Velo, Inc. group bicycle ride, I agree and acknowledge the following:

1. I am aware that bicycling involves certain inherent dangers, including but not limited to the hazards of roads and off road terrain; weather; accidents; actions of participants, motorists and other persons. I acknowledge that I am aware of the rules of the road applicable to bicycles.
2. I understand that CPSC certified bicycle helmets are required to participate in all Victory Velo Group Rides and I agree to wear a helmet while participating in any Victory Velo Ride and to follow the rules of the road and all applicable laws and safe bicycling practices.
3. I understand that it is not the function of the ride leaders (If Victory Velo Ride has ride leaders) to serve as guardians of my safety. I recognize that the route(s) chosen may be challenging, not necessarily the safest or easiest route(s) and that weather, road and traffic conditions may make a ride difficult.
4. I give permission to Victory Velo, Inc. to use or release my image without payment should it appear in photos or videos taken during an Victory Velo Ride.
5. I freely and voluntarily accept all risks of injury, death or property damage. I understand and agree that none of the parties described below may be held liable in any way for any occurrence or accident in connection with a Victory Velo Ride. I hereby RELEASE from any and all liability Victory Velo, Inc., its officers, volunteers and agents, their respective successors and assigns, ride sponsors and supporters, and ride leader(s) (if any), against all claims, including, but not limited to, claims of negligence, unintentional acts, and acts of omission, and any personal injury, loss or expense, which may arise from my participation in any Victory Velo Ride. I understand I am responsible for my own conduct and decisions while participating in a Victory Velo Ride and further agree that this Waiver & Release shall apply to any claim arising out of my participation in non-bicycling activities while a participant in a Victory Velo Ride.
6. This Waiver & Release is intended to be binding upon me, my family, my heirs, my estate, my legal representatives and assigns. I understand that the terms of this document are contractual and not a mere recital.
7. This waiver is binding for the 2024 year and will need to be renewed January 1, 2025.
8. IF you are below the age of 18, a parent or legal guardian will need to sign for you.

**I AGREE I HAVE FULLY INFORMED MYSELF OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS WAIVER & RELEASE BY READING IT AND AGREE TO ITS TERMS.**

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

