



Dear Traveler,

I hope you are doing well and are eager to see the Beauty of God's Creation with us again. As the United States starts to open up, we are excited to start traveling again, but keep in mind your safety is a top priority of ours. Here are some of the procedures that R & J Tours will be implementing to promote wellbeing. These procedures may change if it becomes necessary.

**Health & Safety:** Staff & Passengers are asked to wear a mask (you need to bring your own) when a local ordinance requires one or when a public event/vendor requires you to wear one. While on the motorcoach, masks are highly recommended. We also strongly recommend using the hand sanitizer when getting on/off the motorcoach.

**Vaccinations:** We ask that each traveler heed the CDC recommendation of vaccination otherwise test negative 3 days prior to departure. We are not mandating travelers get vaccinated because by enforcing vaccination, we feel it gives our travelers a false sense of 100% protection. Simply put, we are unable to guarantee the protocols of all the people we come across at the events, theatres, restaurants, etc. We will be asking travelers to sign a Safe Travel Oath attesting that they understand the recommendations above. When a state or event has specific recommendations/requirements, we will be asking each customer to sign a more detailed Safe Travel Oath based on those individual requirements.

Please see the CDC website. <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/travel-during-covid19.html>

**Motorcoach Cleanliness:** We use Thielen Bus Lines for most of our trips. They have a very strict policy on cleaning of the motorcoach. A copy of that can be provided to you if you wish to read it. It includes thorough pre-trip & post-trip cleaning of the motorcoach as well as our tour directors & drivers will also be doing detailed daily maintenance cleaning throughout the trip.

**Rotation on the Motorcoach:** There will be limited to no seat rotation based on each trip.

**Waiver:** Exposure to covid-19 is an inherent risk when going out into the public; we cannot guarantee you will not be exposed during your tour. Please read through the waiver agreement and sign the office copy and sign the Safe Travel Oath. Please give these completed papers to your tour director on the first day.

Call us if you have any questions or concerns: 1-800-758-6877.

***We thank you for putting your trust in us and look forward to seeing you again. We know that neither you nor your fellow travelers would intentionally cause harm to one another- you are all great people that we respect and can't wait to travel with.***

*Mary Madison, President R & J Tours*

# **R&J Tours Waiver Form**

## **COVID-19/Coronavirus Waiver, Assumption of Risk, Indemnity, and Release Agreement**

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, is an extremely contagious disease and has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, each state, country and local government has implemented their own travel and social restrictions to prevent the spread of COVID-19, including implementing hygiene and sanitization guidelines, as well as limiting group sizes in some locations. It is your responsibility to know and understand your own and your family members underlying health conditions and risk factors, and take appropriate measures to protect yourself from exposure to COVID-19.

R & J Tours has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19, including, but not limited to, hygiene and sanitization procedures. R & J Tours expects that you will abide by our rules as well as those established by all governmental agencies. However, R & J Tours cannot guarantee that you or your family members will not become infected by your involvement on one of our tours. When participating on an R & J Tour and the events, your risk of contracting COVID-19 could increase.

By signing on the backside of this document, you know and understand the contagious nature of COVID-19, and voluntarily assume all risks associated with the exposure to COVID-19 by virtue of your involvement on one of our tours. You understand that exposure to COVID-19 may cause personal injury, illness, permanent disability and/or death. You further understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of yourself and others, including, but not limited to R & J Tours employees, suppliers, travelers and their families. After considering these risks, I willingly assume complete responsibility for the risk of exposure, illness and death due to COVID-19, even if injures or death occur in a manner that is not foreseeable at the time this agreement is signed.

**Customer Copy**

(Keep for your records)

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Name (Traveler #1): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Traveler #2): \_\_\_\_\_

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