

## Rider Liability Release

For the sole consideration of permission of the County of Newton, Neosho, Missouri, allowing me to ride in an official vehicle as an observer, I the undersigned, do hereby release and forever discharge the County of Newton, it's agents and employees, jointly, severally and individually therein and expressly deny and liability, from any and all claims, demands, damages, actions, causes of action or suit of any kind or nature whatsoever, and particularly on account of all injuries, known both to person and property, which have resulted or may in the future develop from my riding in a Sheriff's Department vehicle as an observer in the County of Newton, Missouri.

The undersigned hereby declared that the terms of this release have been completely read and are fully understood and voluntarily accepted for the purpose of riding in a Sheriff's Department vehicle as an observer and for the settlement of any and all claims, disputed or otherwise, on account of the injuries and damages above mentioned and for the express purpose of precluding forever any claims arising from the aforesaid riding in a Newton County Sheriff's Department vehicle as an observer.

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Date preferred: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_-\_\_\_-\_\_\_ State ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_

Reason for ride along: \_\_\_\_\_

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

A rider must meet the following standards prior to riding:

- No felony convictions
- No extensive traffic record
- Be of good character

**A rider must dress appropriately and be well groomed.**

**Slacks and a button up shirt are preferred.**

**No shorts, tanktops, t-shirts, camos, or holey/worn jeans are not allowed.**

**If a rider is not dressed appropriately we will not allow the ride along to take place.**

A rider may not carry any weapons unless the rider is currently employed as a law enforcement officer in Missouri and makes the deputy he/she is riding with aware.

A rider should carry appropriate equipment, i.e. flashlight at night and rain gear in bad weather.

A rider must not become actively involved in interacting with persons on calls unless requested to do so by a Newton County Deputy.

A rider must hold all information that the rider is made privy to as a rider in strictest confidence.

Deputy: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_