



# Somersworth Police Department

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David B. Kretschmar  
Chief of Police

## RELEASE AND WAIVER

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENT, that I, \_\_\_\_\_ on my own behalf and on behalf of my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators, estate agents and assigns, and representatives of any nature whatsoever, for/and in consideration of the authorization and permission to accompany officers or any officer of the Department during the course of their or his duties, which has been granted to me at my voluntary request, being aware of the potential hazards of such activity or activities, do hereby **WAIVE AND RELEASE** all demands, damages, actions, causes of action, suits and claims of any nature whatsoever, whether in law or in equity, that I or my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators, estate agents and assigns and representatives of any nature whatsoever might otherwise have against the City, the Police Department, and each and every officer, official, member, employee, agent attorney thereof and therefore, and his or her heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators, and estate, on account of my death or injuries, both to person and to property, whether foreseeable or not, which may occur, directly or indirectly, or develop and any time in the future as a result of my activities or association with the police department, whether in a police vehicle, in the police station, or otherwise associated with the police department, and officers and officials thereof in any manner whatsoever.

It is expressly agreed and understood that this **WAIVER AND RELEASE** shall apply for the express purpose of precluding forever my claims, suits, demands, damages, and causes of action that I or my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators, estate agents and assigns and representatives of any nature whatsoever might otherwise assert against any of the aforesaid parties as a result of my association and activities with the police department during:

\_\_\_\_\_.

I hereby declare that the terms of this **WAIVER AND RELEASE** have been fully read and understood by me, and freely and voluntarily entered into and accepted by me, and I hereby acknowledge receipt of a copy of this agreement.

In further consideration of the aforesaid authorization and permission granted to me to accompany an officer or officers of the police department at my own request, I hereby promise and agree to **fully comply** with all instructions given to me for the purpose of protecting my personal safety and that of my property.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

This waiver must be approved by the Chief of Police.

\_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
WITNESS

\_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN  
(If signee is a juvenile)

**APPENDIX TO RIDE-ALONG**  
**CITIZEN RIDE-ALONG REQUEST**

Dear Chief:

I would like to ride along on \_\_\_\_\_ accompanying Officer \_\_\_\_\_ for the following reason:

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I have read and signed the release form and I understand the provisions.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Time to Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
PARENT/GUARDIAN  
(If rider is a juvenile)

FROM: Chief of Police

TO: Officer

SUBJECT: Authorization to Ride

Request is: \_\_\_\_\_ Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Disapproved

Observer authorized to ride \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_  
With Officer \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief of Police

**OFFICERS RIDE-ALONG REPORT**

Date of Ride: \_\_\_\_\_

Time of Ride: \_\_\_\_\_

Officer: \_\_\_\_\_

Any Comments or Problems:

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If this person again requests ride-along permission, should it be granted?

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes

\_\_\_\_\_ No (If not, explain)

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Officer's Signature