INFORMED CONSENT/ASSUMPTION OF RISK/WAIVER OF LIABILITY
Victor Valley Gem and Mineral Club
(California Federation of Mineralogical Societies)
Educational Non-profit Tax Exempt Organizations

Name _____

Address _____

Please read the following information before beginning the field trip or activity. Sign and date this form to acknowledge that you have read and understand the information presented below.

- I understand that the field trip activity that I am participating in, of the above named Society, may include one or more of the following hazard(s) that may result in personal harm: Unpredictable and dangerous environmental conditions/hazards, including but not limited to snow, rain, wind, very cold and/or very hot temperatures, lightning, altitude, lose rock, falling rock, rock slides, avalanche, river hazards, mud slides, mud, ice, other slippery conditions and contact with poisonous reptiles, wild fauna and toxic plants. _____ (initial)

- I understand the risks inherent in all outdoor activities (including high altitude activities) existing in the environment, either natural or man-made. _____ (initial)

- I understand that I am required to use appropriate safety equipment pertinent to the field trip activity in which I will be participating. I accept full responsibility for my actions and accept liability for any resulting damages or injuries. _____ (initial)

By participating, I am assuming the risks inherent in this field trip or activity and am releasing the above named societies, their officers, directors and individual members, from any liability for claims or lawsuits by the undersigned participant, his or her heirs or assignees, arising out of this field trip activity. I have read all of the aforementioned information and the list of safety rules accompanying this form and understand any and all of it. Any questions which have occurred to me, have been answered to my satisfaction. I am participating in these activities of my own free choice.

If the participant is under 18 years of age, this form must be read and signed by a parent or legal guardian before participating in this field trip or activity.

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Signature   Date

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