

Talent & Crew Release Form

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Complete one form for each performer and crew member. This release covers participation in a film produced for the HORRIFY: A Film Speed Run competition (2026), screened at The Unknown Gathering on October 10, 2026.

Production

Film Title: _____

Director / Production Entity: _____

Participant

Full Legal Name: _____

Role: Talent / Performer Crew Both

Mailing Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Agreement

- 1. Grant of Rights.** I grant the Director/Production Entity named above (the "Filmmaker") the irrevocable right to record, photograph, edit, reproduce, and use my name, likeness, image, voice, and performance ("Contributions") in the film titled above (the "Film") and in connection with the Film's production, screening, distribution, marketing, and promotion, in all media now known or later devised.
- 2. Crew Contributions.** If I served as crew, I agree that my creative contributions to the Film are a "work made for hire." To the extent any contribution is not a work made for hire, I assign all right, title, and interest in those contributions to the Filmmaker.
- 3. No Compensation.** I acknowledge that my participation is voluntary and that I am not entitled to any compensation, royalties, or residuals unless separately agreed in writing.
- 4. Release of Liability.** I participate at my own risk and release the Filmmaker, the Waco Independent Film Festival, The PACC, Rogue Media Network, and their organizers, staff, and volunteers from any claims arising out of my participation, to the fullest extent permitted by law.
- 5. Festival Screening.** I understand the Film may be screened publicly at The Unknown Gathering on October 10, 2026 and at related competition events and promotional channels.
- 6. Binding Effect.** This release is binding upon my heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns.

Signatures

Participant

Signature Printed Name Date

If Participant is under 18 years of age (Parent / Legal Guardian)

Signatures

Parent / Legal Guardian

Signature

Printed Name

Date

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