ALASKA MUNICIPAL LEAGUE 2021 ANNUAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT CONFERENCE ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISKS AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, INCLUDING COVID-19

The Alaska Municipal League (AML) is offering in-person attendance at its 2021 Annual Local Government Conference, pursuant to State and local law and public health guidance on such gatherings. AML is committed to hosting a safe event for all participants, and to this end requires all members, guests, staff, and supplier personnel to comply with safety precautions. By acknowledging these protocols and waiver of liability, I hereby agree to the following for myself and my guests:

- 1. **COVID-19**. I acknowledge that attending the Conference has inherent risks, including illness or death from exposure to COVID-19.
- 2. **Vaccine/Test Requirement**. I will participate only after I have submitted proof of vaccination or a negative test within 72 hours of the start of the conference.
- 3. **Symptoms**. I will not attend in-person if I have experienced symptoms such as: fever, fatigue, difficulty breathing, dry cough or other symptoms related to COVID-19 within 48 hours prior to my scheduled arrival.
- 4. **Behavior**. While at the event, I will take necessary precautions including, but not limited to, engaging in appropriate social distancing, wearing a mask in public areas and meeting spaces as required, minimizing face touching, frequently washing my hands and avoiding high-risk environments such as overcrowded bars or restaurants.
- 5. **Masks**. I understand that masks are required of all attendees in conference settings. My mask will cover my nose and mouth and can be described as N95, KN95, surgical or multi-layered cloth. I understand that neck gaiters, bandanas and those of synthetic materials are not considered appropriate to use on their own. Face shields may only be substituted for masks for individuals with a documented health exception.
- 6. **Isolation/Quarantine**. I will not attend in-person if I must isolate or quarantine because I may have been exposed to a person with COVID-19 or if I am awaiting the results of a COVID-19 test or have been diagnosed with COVID-19 within the last 14 days.
- 7. **COVID-19 Exposure**. I will not attend in-person if I have been in close physical contact (six feet or closer for at least 15 minutes cumulatively over a 24-hour period) with a person who is known to have laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 or with anyone who has any symptoms consistent with COVID-19 within the last 14 days.
- 8. Attendance. I choose to attend the conference and related events/meetings in person.
- Risk Factors At Your Own Risk. I am aware of the potential risk of contracting COVID-19 from individuals, even if those individuals do not display any symptoms of the virus. I expressly agree that participation in the conference and related events/meetings is undertaken at my own risk.
- 10. Expenses Due to COVID-19. Any expenses related to COVID-19 virus prevention or mitigation, including isolation and quarantine, are my sole responsibility. I understand that any medical care will be provided at my sole expense
- 11. **Release of AML**. I acknowledge and assume all risks of Conference activities, and I release, discharge, and agree to defend AML from all claims and liability for any loss or damage in any way connected with my participation in this Conference. I understand that by signing this Agreement, I surrender my right to make a claim or file a lawsuit against AML for personal injury, wrongful death, or other claims.

I understand and accept all the terms and conditions in this Agreement and acknowledge that this Agreement will bind me and anyone else making a claim on my behalf.