Volunteer Driver Form

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- Volunteer vehicles may only be driven by an approved volunteer driver, reviewed annually, based on information submitted in the *Volunteer Driver Form*. Generally, approved drivers must not have had two or more traffic violations or an accident involving personal injury or property damage for one year prior to approval. Traffic violations and accidents must be reported to the ministry.
- 2. Vehicles used for [church or ministry] business must be adequately insured (Liability: \$100,000 per individual / \$300,000 per occurrence; Property Damage: \$50,000 per occurrence).
- 3. Volunteer vehicles must be in good mechanical condition, with appropriate tires to meet weather conditions and with seat belts for each occupant.
- 4. Drivers must be between the age of 25 and 70.
- 5. Drivers must submit a Statement of Medical Condition annually. Should medical conditions change within the year, these changes must be reported and the statement updated in a timely manner, but in no event later than .
- 6. Drivers must not operate vehicles in an unsafe manner or in contravention of any statute or regulation governing the operation of motor vehicles.
- 7. Drivers must keep on file a copy of their current driver's license, as well as proof of insurance, submitted each renewal period.
- 8. Volunteer drivers agree to hold harmless and indemnify [church or ministry], ministry employees and passenger(s) against any or all claims arising all or in part from the volunteer driver's negligence.

I certify that all information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge, correct. I have read the requirements for volunteer drivers listed above and accept and agree to follow these volunteer driver guidelines.

My signature below authorizes [church or ministry] to obtain, at its sole discretion, my employment and non-employment driving record, including all Department of Licensing actions that have taken place regarding the driver's license I now hold, have held, or in the future may obtain. It also authorizes [church or ministry] to conduct a criminal history background check from the source of its choice. I further agree to any other conditions described herein. This release continues in effect as long as I continue to serve as a volunteer driver for [ministry name].

Signature	Date
Reviewed by	 Date
Approval granted by	 Date

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