



ALBANY VISITORS ASSOCIATION Drone Footage Photo Contest Release Form

I, _____, hereby grant the Albany Visitors Association (the "Organization") permission to use and publish my photograph(s) or video(s) (the "Submission") taken or submitted on _____ (date) in connection with the Albany Visitors Association Photo Contest.

FAA Compliance and Licensing

I hereby certify that I hold a valid and current FAA Part 107 Remote Pilot Certificate ("Part 107 License"), as required for commercial drone operations under Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) regulations. All Submissions to this contest must include drone footage and require a valid Part 107 License.

**A COPY OF YOUR PART 107 LICENSE MUST BE ATTACHED TO THIS RELEASE FORM
TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR ANY PRIZES ASSOCIATED WITH THE CONTEST.**

I acknowledge and understand that failure to possess and provide proof of a valid Part 107 License or to comply with applicable FAA regulations will result in my Submission being rejected entirely. I understand that I am solely responsible for ensuring my compliance with all FAA and local regulations governing drone use, and that the Organization assumes no responsibility for such compliance.

PRIZE ELIGIBILITY

I understand and acknowledge that all contest submissions must comply with FAA regulations and require possession of a valid Part 107 License. I certify that:

1. I have included a copy of my current Part 107 License with this release form.
2. I understand that my Submission will not be accepted without proof of my Part 107 License.
3. I grant the Organization permission to use my Submission for marketing or promotional purposes as outlined below.

By checking the box below, I confirm my understanding and acceptance of these terms:

I confirm that I have attached a copy of my valid Part 107 License to this release form and understand that my Submission will not be accepted without this documentation.

GRANT OF RIGHTS AND USAGE

I hereby irrevocably consent to and authorize the use and reproduction by the Albany Visitors Association, or anyone authorized by the Organization, of any and all Submissions entered by me. This includes use in any of the Organization's publications, brochures, materials, newsletters, website, social media platforms, or any other media, including those not yet created. I understand that:

- Photo/video credit will be given to me where possible.
- The Organization may use my Submission for both commercial and noncommercial purposes, as permitted by law, but solely to advance the tax-exempt purposes of the Organization.

WAIVER OF COMPENSATION

For the valuable consideration of participation in the contest and the potential to win a prize, I waive any right to royalties, compensation, or other consideration arising from or related to the use of my Submission by the Organization.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I agree to release, defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the Albany Visitors Association, its agents, employees, and affiliates, including any firm publishing or distributing the Submission, from and against any claims, damages, or liabilities arising from or related to the use of the Submission. This includes, but is not limited to, claims involving publication, distortion, blurring, alteration, or any other use, intentional or otherwise, of the Submission.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND CONSENT

By signing below, I affirm that:

1. I have read, understood, and agree to every part of this release.
2. I am at least 18 years old and competent to contract in my own name.
3. I have attached a copy of my FAA Part 107 License if required for my Submission.

Name (please print): _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____