

## **TEEN DRIVER & PARENT/GUARDIAN AGREEMENT**

We, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, agree to the following conditions.  
(Name of Teen Driver) (Name(s) of Parent(s)/Guardian(s))

# **TEEN DRIVER RESPONSIBILITIES**

- I will obey all driving laws and drive safely so I will not endanger my life or the lives of others, including:

  - Not using a mobile phone while driving
  - Not eating while driving
  - Driving defensively by being alert
  - Not racing

Everyone in the vehicle will wear a safety belt at all times.

I will not let anyone else drive or use the vehicle entrusted to me.

I will state my destination and time of return prior to using any vehicle. I will notify my parents if I think I will be more than 30 minutes late.

I will not consume drugs or alcohol or operate any vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

## **TEEN DRIVER RESTRICTIONS**

Effective October 1, 2006, drivers under the age of 18 will have the following restrictions:

### **Permit Phase\* (must hold for 180 days)**

1. May drive only when accompanied in the front passenger seat by a licensed driver who is age 21 or older.
  2. Not allowed to drive between the hours of 12:00 a.m. (midnight) and 6:00 a.m. unless the driver can demonstrate a good cause for driving such as emergencies, school-, or work-related activities.
  3. Shall not operate a motor vehicle at any time with more than one (1) unrelated person under the age of 20.

### **Intermediate License Phase\* (must hold for 180 days)**

1. Not allowed to drive between the hours of 12:00 a.m. (midnight) and 6:00 a.m. unless the driver can demonstrate a good cause for driving such as emergencies, school-, or work-related activities.
  2. Shall not operate a motor vehicle at any time with more than one (1) unrelated person under the age of 20.

\*If convicted of a moving traffic violation, you will have to restart the 180 day waiting period.

## **PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITIES**

- I will listen in a respectful manner to explanations or concerns expressed by my teen driver regarding the operation of a vehicle or the terms of the contract.

I will provide respectful feedback when accompanying my teen driver in a motor vehicle.

I will serve as a good role model when operating a vehicle and coach good driving skills and habits to my teen.

## **DRIVING PRIVILEGES**

This portion of the contract may be used to outline any additional conditions or limits on the use of the vehicle as agreed to by teens and parents:

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## **OPERATOR IMPAIRMENT AS A RESULT OF ALCOHOL AND DRUGS**

- A. Teen Driver's Responsibilities: I will not get in the vehicle of a driver who has been drinking or using drugs. I will seek alternate transportation or I will call you for advice and/or transportation at any hour from any place. I have discussed with you and fully understand your feelings regarding underage drinking and the use of illegal drugs. \_\_\_\_\_ (initials)
- B. Parent/Guardian's Responsibilities: I/we agree to come and get you at any hour from any place, with no questions asked and no argument at that time, or I/we will arrange transportation to bring you home safely. I/we expect that a discussion of such incident would follow at a later time.

Likewise, I/we as your parent(s)/guardian(s) agree to seek safe, sober transportation. I/we will not drive if I/we have been drinking, nor will I/we ride with a relative or friend who has been drinking.

\_\_\_\_\_ (initials) \_\_\_\_\_ (initials)

## **COSTS AND MAINTENANCE OF VEHICLE**

\_\_\_\_\_ will be responsible for the following:

(Name of Young Driver)

Indicate dollar amount or percentage of cost

____ Cost of Vehicle	____ Vehicle Registration	____ Cost of Fuel
____ Maintenance Costs	____ Damage to the Vehicle	____ Fines and Penalties
____ Insurance Costs	____ Other: _____	

Check all that apply.

____ Checking the Fluids Regularly	____ Do Normal Maintenance
____ Inspecting Tires and Checking Air Pressure	____ Clear or Clean All Windows
____ Reporting Unusual Performance	____ Report or re-fuel when gas
____ Keeping the Interior & Exterior Clean	is less than ¼ full
Other: _____	

**We agree to the terms of this contract, which can be revisited or revised at a later time.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Parent/Guardian)

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(Signature of Young Driver)

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Date