

(Please Print) Full Legal Name: _____

Parish / Entity / School: _____ City: _____

Volunteer Volunteer w/Stipend Employee Priest Catholic School Teacher

VII. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND CONSENT FORM

I hereby acknowledge that I received a copy of the Policies Relating to Sexuality and Personal Behavior of the Diocese of Davenport, have read the Policies, understand their meaning, and agree to conduct myself in accordance with them. Those Policies call for background checks (investigative consumer reports), as deemed appropriate, for some serving as employees or regular volunteers. Realizing, as Church, the importance of protecting youth and other vulnerable populations, I hereby consent and authorize an investigative consumer report, to be conducted if deemed appropriate by the Diocese or entities noted below. Public records may be used in this report, such as civil and criminal records and driving records as well as personal interviews, as needed. I realize this inquiry may include information regarding my character, general reputation, a criminal background check and motor vehicle report. I release the Diocese of Davenport, any parish, school, or other related Catholic institution and their agents from liability associated with obtaining that inquiry.

This consumer report will be used for employment/volunteer selection purposes and may be subject to the Fair Credit Reporting Act. I may receive a free copy of this report. Before any adverse action is taken based on this report I will receive a copy of the report and notice of my rights under the FCRA.

Mindful of the importance of protecting children and other vulnerable persons, the undersigned acknowledges a truthful response to the questions below. I understand that past violations would not necessarily preclude the employment or volunteer position sought.

- 1. Have you had any convictions other than a traffic violation? Yes No
- 2. Did you ever enter into an agreement with any past employer not to divulge the true reason for termination of employment? Yes No
- 3. Have you ever been subject to ecclesiastical discipline? Yes No
- 4. Please provide the following: a) your addresses for the past 7 years, **beginning with your current address first.**

b) 2 references who can address your work with children (include name, address & phone)

4. Please list maiden name and any other aliases _____

Date of birth _____ **Gender: male** **female** **Date** _____

Driver's License # _____ **Social Security Number** _____ **Signature** _____

Signature of person representing the entity: _____ (e.g., Principal, DRE, Pastor)

Entity responsible for payment: _____

**These are to be filed at the parish/school, except clergy forms are sent to the Vicar General.
This form is completed each year but a copy is sent to the Diocese only when a background check is being conducted.
Please make a copy of the driver's license and put on the back of this form.