

SOAK*2018 Participant Waiver & Release of Liability

By signing this Release and in consideration of being permitted to attend SOAK*2018: Parallel Multiverse ("the event"), I agree to release and indemnify PRECIPITATION NORTHWEST, Black Rock City LLC, Burning Man, all volunteers and organizers of the event, the owners of Justesen Ranch, and their heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, and assigns (collectively "SOAK") from liability as described below.

EVENT ENTRY: I agree to allow SOAK staff to search my vehicle, and I understand that this is a requirement for me to enter the event.

EVENT RULES: I agree to follow all laws and rules listed in the Survival Guide, What/When/Where, and official signs and notices, and to follow instructions from event staff and volunteers. I understand that if I leave my vehicle in an unauthorized location, it may be towed at my expense. I understand that I may be removed from the event at any time for any reason without advance warning or a refund.

CONSENT: I agree not to contact, harass, or engage in sexual activities with any other person at the event without first ensuring that they are capable of consenting, and receiving their consent, and to cease the instant consent is withdrawn. The SOAK Code of Conduct is discussed in more detail in the event Survival Guide and the What Where When. I agree to read and understand it. I understand that any violation of this code may result in my being removed from the event and/or referred to law enforcement.

I understand that commercial use of pictures or video taken at SOAK is prohibited without written consent, prior to the event, from PRECIPITATION NORTHWEST. I agree that I am responsible for respecting event participants and asking their permission BEFORE I photograph or film them. If I am asked to stop photographing or filming, I will do so immediately.

I acknowledge the following:

- Most event infrastructure, activities, and art are created by participants. Some items may include inherently dangerous elements, including fire. While SOAK may provide assistance or financial sponsorship to some participants, it does not inspect, evaluate, or otherwise control what they build or what they do, and does not ensure that they do it safely, and is not liable for injuries they cause. Participants are responsible for being aware of their surroundings and on alert for dangerous conditions.
- Justesen Ranch, the property where the event is held, is only intermittently accessible to the public. It is not suitable for year-round recreational use and is not maintained by SOAK or its owners as a recreational site. While SOAK has attempted to eliminate hazards as appropriate, this property can still be expected to have all hazards that might be expected on farm and forest land with rivers, ponds, plateaus and rocky areas including holes, sharp objects both natural and manmade, insects, rattlesnakes, ticks, other wild animals, unexpected weather conditions, water hazards, and limited visibility.
- SOAK provides medical and emergency, and security services as required by Wasco County and as it otherwise deems appropriate, but does not guarantee the ability or availability to treat any particular illness or injury or respond to any emergency, including fire. SOAK is not capable of offering the services offered by its medical or security contractors or other emergency responders.
- Volunteer Rangers provide conflict mediation services to event participants. SOAK does not otherwise provide law enforcement or security services beyond those required by Wasco County and is not responsible for enforcing laws, rules, or its own Code of Conduct. Participants are responsible for settling their own disputes and reporting crimes to law enforcement.
- Because of the large size of the event and the ticketing system used, SOAK cannot affirmatively determine the identity of all participants, and it is not responsible for excluding any participant, even one known by some in SOAK to present a danger to other participants.

