COVID-19 Risk Informed Consent and Waiver of Liability

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

Rustic Paws has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, Rustic Paws cannot guarantee that you will not become exposed or infected with COVID-19.

I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ understand that possible exposure to COVID-19 before or after you pet is groomed may result in the following: a positive COVID-19 diagnosis, extended quarantine/self-isolation, hospitalization that may require Intensive Care treatment, other potential complications, and the risk of death.

I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ understand that COVID-19 may cause additional risks, some or many of which may not currently be known at this time, in addition to the risks described herein as well as those risks.

I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hereby certify, represent, and warrant as follows:

I HAVE NOT Tested positive or presumptively positive with the Coronavirus or been identifies as a potential carrier of COVID-19 virus or similar communicable illness (“Cornoavirus”) nor experienced any symptoms commonly associated with the Cornoavirus.

I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ do not hold Rustic Paws labile for my health and if I am exposed to COVID-19 while traveling to and from Rustic Paws, Rustic Paws is not held responsible for my health.

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Client Signature

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April Becker, owner of Rustic Paws