

Reptile Boarding Waiver and Release of Liability

This agreement is entered into by and between Joyce Young DBA Slither Inn Reptile Room (SIRR) and _____ ("Owner").

_____ By Boarding my reptile(s) with SIRR, I represent that I am the legal owner of the reptile(s) and I assume all risks, dangers and responsibility for all injuries to the reptiles(s). Owner understands and agrees that Owner is solely responsible for any harm to the reptile(s) while being boarded at SIRR.

_____ Owner further understands and agrees that in admitting Owner's reptile(s) for boarding at SIRR, **Owner is representing to SIRR that Owner's reptile(s) is/are in good health***. Owner is not boarding any reptiles(s) that have any condition that could potentially jeopardize the health of other reptiles or people and has not have any potentially communicable condition.

* If there is any question or doubt from SIRR regarding the health of the animal, a veterinary provided health certificate may be required prior to the reptile(s) boarding.

_____ **Owner understands and agrees that any behavioral or physical health problems that develop with the Owner's reptile(s) while at SIRR will be handled and treated as deemed by the owner**, employees, staff, and volunteers of SIRR, in their sole discretion, and Owner expressly agree to assume full financial responsibility for any and all expenses arising or relating thereto.

_____ Owner understands and agrees that it is the **Owner's responsibility to leave an adequate supply of storage food and medicine** for SIRR (**perishable or live food/bugs exempt**). Should the food/medication supply need replacement I authorize SIRR to purchase replacement and Owner will reimburse SIRR for all costs. Owner will be responsible for all cost associated with **perishable or live food/bugs** purchased by SIRR on behalf of Owner's reptiles(s). Additionally, SIRR will make every effort to adhere to feeding/diet schedule detailed in the SIRR **Reptile Boarding Questionnaire Form**. However, Owner understands and agrees that SIRR will not be held liable for any refusal of food or any potential health issues resulting from such refusal.

_____ Owner further understands and agrees that SIRR will use all reasonable precautions for the safekeeping of Owner's reptile(s), but that neither SIRR nor any of its employees, staff, or volunteers will be liable for any injury, illness or death and/or escape of Owner's reptile(s) and Owner hereby releases them of any liability of any kind whatsoever arising from or as a result of Owner's reptile(s) boarding at SIRR.

_____ Special-need reptiles naturally have a higher risk of injury, stress-related illness, or exacerbating of pre-existing conditions. As such, by boarding your special-needs reptile you are waiving any claim for injury or illness experienced by your pet while in the care of SIRR.

_____ **SIRR reserves the right to refuse boarding to any reptile(s) or to dismiss or abruptly end boarding** for any reptile(s) that do not meet the health, temperament, or other SIRR standards. The determination shall be made at the sole discretion of SIRR.

_____ **Owner agrees to notify SIRR of any change made to their primary or emergency contact information** during the duration that Owner's reptile(s) are boarding at SIRR. Additionally, SIRR agrees to notify Owner of any changes to their contact information during the duration that Owner's reptile(s) are boarding at SIRR.

_____ Owner acknowledges and understands that Owner's reptile(s) may be in the care of trained staff, employees, and/or volunteers during boarding period.

_____ Owner understands and agrees that SIRR will provide a suitable enclosure(s) for Owner's reptiles(s) during boarding period, based on space and availability.

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_____ Owner understands and agrees that **if Owner's reptile(s) are not picked up by the end of previously agreed upon boarding duration**, the Owner hereby authorizes SIRR to take whatever action is deemed necessary for the continuing care of Owner's reptiles(s). **Owner agrees and promises to pay SIRR upon demand all cost of continuing care by SIRR unless Owner gives written notice relinquishing the reptile(s)' ownership to SIRR.**

_____ Owner authorizes the use of photos/videos of Owner(s) reptiles for marketing or educational purposes.

_____ Owner agrees and understands that, for safety reasons, SIRR will not co-habitate or breed any of Owner's reptile(s). SIRR will also take necessary precautions to quarantine any reptile(s) suspected to have contagious disease and/or parasites (IBS, mites, etc.). Additionally, SIRR will not utilize Owner's reptile(s) in educational classes, workshops, parties, events or demonstrations without written consent from Owner.

_____ **Owner further understands and agrees that Owner is responsible for all medical expenses occurring or developing while Owner's reptile(s) are boarding at SIRR.** SIRR will make every attempt to contact Owner prior to any medical services rendered. If every effort to contact has been made, SIRR will pursue any measures for the safety and health of the reptile(s) regardless of cost (x-rays, biopsies, medication, bloodwork, euthanasia, etc.). In such instances Owner agrees to reimburse SIRR in full for any medical expenses incurred on behalf of Owner's reptile(s). Owner further agrees and understands that Alaska has limited veterinary care available for exotic animals/reptiles and will not hold SIRR liable should veterinary care not be available immediately.

Slither Inn Reptile Room utilizes and recommends the following veterinary clinic/DVM:

Dr. Krislyn (Kristi) DeLeon, Mt. McKinley Animal Hospital (Fairbanks, AK) 907-452-6104

This Agreement shall remain in full force and effect as between the parties until and unless otherwise cancelled or superseded by a writing signing by the parties. Owner hereby certifies that Owner has read and understands this **Waiver and Release of Liability** and the regulations set forth above. By signing this agreement, Owner agrees to be bound by its terms and conditions.

Owner signature: _____

Owner name, printed: _____ Date: _____

Slither Inn Representative Signature: _____ Date: _____