



Illini District Swimming Championships February 24-25, 2024

APPENDIX 3: YMCA SANCTIONED MEET DECLARATION FORM

(**Note:** Return signed Declaration form to the entry chair by *February 19th*)

Participating YMCA: _____

YMCA Address: _____

Meet Name: _____2024 Illini District Swimming Championships_____

Meet Date(s): _____February 24-25, 2024_____

Meet Host: _____YMCA of Springfield_____

Meet Location: _____Gus & Flora Kerasotes YMCA_____

We the undersigned attest to the following:

SWIMMERS - All swimmers representing the YMCA above are full privileged members of the YMCA and meet all eligibility requirements. All swimmers age 18 and older have completed Child/Athlete Protection Training within the past 12 months.

COACHES - All coaches representing the YMCA above hold current certifications in BLS (Professional Rescuer CPR), First Aid, Safety Training for Swim Coaches, Child/Athlete Protection Training and Principles of YMCA Competitive Swimming and Diving and have completed the annual YMCA coach registration online.

INSURANCE - Our Association now has insurance coverage for representative(s) including leadership and participants who will be in attendance at the **2024 Illini District Swimming Championships** for the period of the meet. I hereby certify that YMCA has a minimum of \$1,000,000/\$2,000,000 in liability insurance that covers our coaches and swimmers during their participation in the **2024 Illini District Swimming Championships**.

RELEASE - In consideration of your accepting this entry, I hereby, for myself, heirs, executor and administrators, waive and release any and all right and claim for damages I may have against the YMCA of the USA, **Illinois YMCA Swimming** their agents, representatives or assigns, and the **YMCA of Springfield** for any and all injuries which may be suffered by participants at the **2024 Illini District Swimming Championships**. Furthermore, we understand that the YMCA of the USA and **Illinois YMCA Swimming** are not responsible for any intended or unintended consequences related to removing an athlete from competition for a head injury. This includes, but is not limited to, any financial reimbursement associated with such removal.

Name and Signature of Head Coach

Name and Signature of YMCA Executive Director or Designee