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## WELCOME

Thank you for your interest in joining FloridaVelo!

FloridaVelo offers a development and support infrastructure for competitive cyclists who want to maximize their enjoyment and potential in the sport.

We recognize that not every rider is searching for a professional ranking or a podium finish, so we make competitive cycling accessible and fun for everyone!

If you enjoy improving and competing with the best, then we welcome you to ride with us!

We invite you to actively participate in all our scheduled and planned activities, but more importantly, in helping all of us reach our Team's Goals and Objectives.

## MISSION STATEMENT

We are committed to improving every member's riding skills, to sharing in their accomplishments, and to being ambassadors for the cycling community.

## MEMBERSHIP

Membership in FloridaVelo is by invitation only.

To apply for membership, please contact any of our members and ask them to sponsor you, then complete and mail your Membership Documents along with your payment of the Annual Dues.

To renew your membership, please complete and mail your Membership Documents along with your payment of the Annual Dues.

The Membership Documents are:

1. Membership Dues & Benefits
2. New Membership Application or Renewal Membership Application
3. Release and Indemnity Agreement
- \* The payment of Annual Dues is payable to FloridaVelo

Once your documents have been received, you will be contacted to ensure your expectations are met.

Please do not hesitate to contact any of us with any questions, suggestions, and comments.



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## DUES & BENEFITS

Our annual MEMEBERSHIP DUES are \$35.00 per member, and all New Members are required to purchase a Uniform Kit (jersey and bib/short). The Annual Dues cover the following operating costs and provide the Membership Benefits listed below:

- USACycling Team/Club Fee (\$150)
- USACycling Team/Club Liability Insurance (\$125)
- Team's Programs Expense Account (events, charitable outcomes, etc)
- Team's General Expense Account (t-shirt, socials, events, etc)
- Team's Services Expense Account (support, coaching, web hosting, etc)

We encourage our members to also belong to their local cycling club and support their efforts.

### STAFF

- We are very fortunate to have our own professional Sports Director, Personal Trainers, and Consultants guiding us to achieve the highest enjoyment and accomplishment in cycling.

### SPONSOR DISCOUNTS

- Team Equipment \* at PRO Team costs (bikes, components, clothing, helmet, sunglasses, etc).
  - Accessory Kit and Nutritional Products \* at PRO Team costs
  - Merchandise and Service Discounts from our local bike shops.
- \* PRO Team Costs represent a significant discount from Retail Prices, and are offered from time to time by our Sponsors exclusively for Team Members.

### COMMUNICATION

- Website, Group Emailing / Text Messaging
- Meetings (the first Monday of every quarter).

### RIDING

- Fun Rides (Tue, Thu, Sat, Sun)
- Holiday Rides and Special Event Rides

### TRAINING

- Training Rides (Tue, Wed, Thu, Sat, Sun).
- Training Plans (Racing, Touring, Individual).
- Virtual Coaching (online) at actual cost.

### RACING

- Team Tent (RV in most races).
- Transportation Pool & Race Support.

Please download the **TEAM ORDER FORM** from our website to order the UNIFORM KIT, TEAM CLOTHING, ACCESSORY KIT, and TEAM EQUIPMENT.



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## NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

REFERRED BY : \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSORED BY : \_\_\_\_\_

YOUR NAME : \_\_\_\_\_

DOB : \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

ADDRESS : \_\_\_\_\_

: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL : \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE : \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE : \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF WORK : \_\_\_\_\_

SPORTS BIO : \_\_\_\_\_

: \_\_\_\_\_

ACTIVITIES : \_\_\_\_\_

: \_\_\_\_\_

LIKINGS : \_\_\_\_\_

: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE : \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby agree to abide by FloridaVelo's By-Laws, Terms & Conditions, and other Member Requirements. I also understand that FloridaVelo may modify these documents from time to time, and that it is my sole responsibility to ensure that I read them regularly and provide immediate feedback if I am not in agreement.

APPROVAL Membership Director \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

President \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Member Number \_\_\_\_\_ Paid \_\_\_\_\_ Picture \_\_\_\_\_



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## RENEWAL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

**YOUR NAME** : \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS** : \_\_\_\_\_

: \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL** : \_\_\_\_\_

**CELL PHONE** : \_\_\_\_\_

**HOME PHONE** : \_\_\_\_\_

**WORK PHONE** : \_\_\_\_\_

**TYPE OF WORK** : \_\_\_\_\_

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### SELF EVALUATION

Please describe what you have done this past year to support the team's mission:

**SIGNATURE** : \_\_\_\_\_

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**APPROVAL**      Membership Director \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

                         President \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

                         Member Number \_\_\_\_\_ Paid \_\_\_\_\_ Picture \_\_\_\_\_



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## RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration of my acceptance as a new or continuing member of **FloridaVelo**, I hereby freely make the following agreements and representations: **I ASSUME ALL RISKS**, known or unknown, incidental to membership in **FloridaVelo** and all of its activities. I acknowledge and understand that **cycling of any kind (whether competitive, training, or recreational) is a dangerous activity (and that racing in particular is extremely dangerous)**, and that the dangers of any such activity include, but are not limited to, collision with pedestrians, other cyclists, vehicles or fixes moving objects, road surface, or other road related hazards, equipment failure and weather conditions, and that the risks associated with cycling include, but are not limited to, death, broken bones, trauma, heart failure or other cardio-vascular occurrences, other severe physical or mental injury or trauma.

On my behalf, and on behalf of my heirs, executors and administrators, **I HEREBY RELEASE AND FOREVER DISCHARGE FloridaVelo**, as well as the "Released Parties" (defined below), of and from all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, or expenses of any nature arising out of or in any way connected with my membership in FloridaVelo or my participation in any cycling, racing or other activities in connection therewith, and **I further agree to indemnify and hold FloridaVelo as well as each of the Released Parties harmless** against any and all such liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses including, but not limited to, all attorney's fees and disbursements. The Released Parties are FloridaVelo, FloridaVelo's Directors, FloridaVelo's Members, FloridaVelo's Sponsors, FloridaVelo's Suppliers, the United States Cycling Federation and their affiliates, including, but not limited to, FloridaVelo; along with the parent, related and affiliated companies of all of the foregoing and the officers, directors, employees, agents, attorneys, representatives, members, successors and assigns of each of the foregoing persons or entities.

**I understand that this Release and Indemnity Agreement also includes any claims based on negligence, action or in action of FloridaVelo or of any of the Released Parties and covers bodily injury (including death) and property damage, whether suffered by me, before, during or after such participation.**

I hereby covenant, certify and represent and warrant the following: (I) I am 18 years of age or older (unless the Consent and Release of Parent or Guardian Addendum is signed below), (II) I am in good health and I have no physical or mental condition or limitation that would endanger my membership in FloridaVelo or participation in any of its activities or that would endanger the safety of any other person, (III) I am an experienced cyclist who is sufficiently familiar with the basic cycling skills, (IV) I will always wear a proper helmet while cycling and practice safe cycling skills appropriate to the activity, and (V) I further authorize medical treatment for myself, at my cost, if the need arises.

I further agree that, if I or any of my successors or representatives bring any claim whatsoever in contravention of this agreement, the party bringing such claim shall be fully liable for all fees and expenses (including attorney's fees and expenses through all appeals) in connection with such claim.



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The laws of the state of Florida shall govern this agreement. Any legal action relating to or arising out of this Agreement against or with respect to FloridaVelo or any of the Released Parties shall be commenced exclusively in Pinellas County, Florida (or if such Circuit Court shall not have jurisdiction over the subject matter thereof, then to such other court sitting in said county and having subject matter jurisdiction). This agreement may not be modified or waived orally. Every term and provision of this agreement is intended to be severable, such that if any such term or provision is found to be unenforceable or invalid, such finding shall not affect the remaining terms and provisions, which shall remain valid and enforceable.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete if the applicant is under the age of 18:

I am the parent or guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ (child). My child is fit for membership in FloridaVelo and cycling activities. **I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND FLORIDAVELO's RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT.** In consideration of allowing my child to participate, I consent to it and agree that **ITS TERMS SHALL LIKEWISE BIND ME, MY CHILD,** my heirs, legal representatives, and assignees.

**I HEREBY RELEASE AND SHALL DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS FLORIDAVELO AND THE RELEASED PARTIES FROM EVERY CLAIM AND LIABILITY** that I or my Child may allege against FloridaVelo or the Released Parties (including attorney's fees or costs) as a direct or indirect result of injury to me or my Child because of my Child's membership in FloridaVelo or participation in any FloridaVelo related activities, **WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF FLORIDAVELO OR THE RELEASED PARTIES** or others. **I PROMISE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE FLORIDAVELO OR ANY OF THE RELEASED PARTIES** on my behalf or behalf of my Child regarding any claim arising from my Child's membership in FloridaVelo or participation in any of its activities.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_