TEEN DRIVING CONTRACT

I, _______________________________ (teen), agree to abide by the following rules:

- I will always tell a parent or guardian where I am going and when I expect to return.
- I will not drive any nonadult passengers. After I have my license for _____ months, I may drive with one nonadult passenger with specific permission from my parent or guardian.
- I will always use a seat belt, whether I’m the driver or a passenger. When I am allowed to have passengers, I will only drive if everyone is buckled.
- I will call my parent or guardian for a ride if I ever feel unsafe to drive or ride with another driver, no matter the reason.
- I will always obey posted speed limits, signs and all traffic laws. I will adjust my driving based on weather and road conditions, including rain, snow and/or high winds.
- I will never eat, drink or use my phone — including hands-free — to make or answer calls, send or read texts, take pictures or use social media while driving, even at a stop sign or red light. If I need to call home, I will find a safe place to park first.
- I will only program GPS and music when the car is in park, never when at a stop sign or red light.
- I will not drive while impaired, including by drugs (prescription or otherwise), alcohol or fatigue.
- I will never drive anyone else’s car or allow anyone to drive my car without permission from my parent or guardian.
- I will only drive between the hours of _______ and _______. This rule may be revisited and possibly revised in _____ months.

I/We, _______________________________ (parent[s]/guardian[s]),
agree to abide by the following rules:

- I/We will stay involved as my/our newly licensed teen gains more driving experience, checking in with them and occasionally riding with them.
- I/We will be patient and encouraging.
- I/We will follow the rules of the road and refrain from distracting behaviors while driving.
- I/We will make arrangements to get my/our teen home if it is unsafe for my teen or someone else to drive, no matter the reason.

Additional rules for our family (who pays for what, e.g., gas/tickets/insurance, consequences for breaking this agreement, etc.):

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Signature of teen: _______________________________ Date: __________

Signature of parent(s) or guardian(s): _______________________________ Date: __________