Interviewer Oral History Agreement

1. [If a work for hire] I, ___________________________ [name of interviewer], agree, in consideration of a payment of $ ________, to conduct an oral history interview with ___________________________ [name of interviewee], for the ___________________________ [name of historical society], as a work for hire. I do hereby grant and convey to the ___________________________ [name of historical society], and its successors and assigns, all of my rights, title, and interest in the material resulting from the interview including literary rights and copyrights. I also waive any claim I might have to any royalties derived from any work published or disseminated by the ___________________________ [name of historical society] or any other party which includes any part of the material resulting from the interview.

2. [If not a work for hire] Having agreed to conduct an oral history interview with ___________________________ [name of interviewee] for the ___________________________ [name of historical society], I, ___________________________ [name of interviewer] do hereby grant and convey to the ___________________________ [name of historical society], and its successors and assigns, all of my rights, title, and interest in the material resulting from the interview including literary rights and copyrights. I also waive any claim I might have to any royalties derived from any work published or disseminated by the ___________________________ [name of historical society] or any other party which includes any part of the material resulting from the interview.

3. I agree that I will make no use of the interview and the information contained in it until it is concluded and edited, and that I will use it then if permitted by the ___________________________ [name of historical society] only according to the policies, rules, regulations, restrictions and protocols established by the ___________________________ [name of historical society], and restrictions placed on the material by agreement between ___________________________ [name of historical society] and ___________________________ [name of interviewee] regarding the use of and access to the product of the interview and information contained therein.

Description of material: Recordings and transcripts from oral history interview sessions with ___________________________ [name of interviewee] conducted by ___________________________ [name of interviewer] on ___________________________ [date(s)].

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Signature of Interviewer  Date

State of __________________________
County of ________________________
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _________ day of ______________ [month], _______ [year], by ____________________________ [name of interviewer].

______________________________
Notary Public
My commission expires ______________________

Accepted this _________ day of ______________ [month], _______ [year], by ____________________________ [authorized representative of historical society].