**Sample Performer Contract**

This agreement is made between **Your Library Name** and **Performer Name.**

1. Event Description:

It is mutually agreed that the performance(s) will start promptly at the time(s) indicated.

 Performer Name:

 Event Date:

 Event Location:

1. Payment:

All payments will be in the form of a check issued by **organization Name.** Checks will be made payable to the name listed on your submitted W-9 form and will be available for you to pick up at the performance location on the performance date. **Your Library Name** agrees to pay as full compensation for the performance a total of **$xxx.xx**

1. Event Location Contact:

Specifics regarding performance set-up and other non-monetary factors may be discussed directly with the contact below.

1. Independent Contractor:

The artist, Agent, and employees (if applicable), in the performance of this event shall act in the capacity of an independent contractor and not as an officer, employee or agent of **Your Library Name**. The Artist agrees that is shall take such steps as may be necessary to ensure that any subcontractor or contractor shall be deemed to be an Independent Contractor and will not be considered or permitted to be an agent, servant, joint venture or partner of **Your Library Name**. As such, the parties will each be responsible for their own acts of negligence as determined by law.

1. Liability:

With respect to insurance, the Artist is responsible for his or her liabilities, and **Your Library Name** affirms its self-insured status for its own liabilities.

1. Disputes:

This Performer contract and any proceedings conducted hereunder shall be governed and enforced under the laws of the State of Wisconsin.

1. Cancellations:

Either party may cancel this Performer contract without obligation to the other if cancellation notice is received in written form at least 30 days before appearance date.

1. Executed Contract Signature:

The Performer Contract shall be binding upon the parties, hereto, their successors and assigns, upon due execution by both parties. The undersigned represents that he/she is a representative authorized to sign on behalf of the Artist and to enter into this Performer contract.

The parties have agreed to and executed this Performer contract as of the dates indicated below:

Accepted by **Your Library Name**

Signature Date

Accepted by Artist

Signature Date