HEALTHCARE DISCLAIMER REGARDING CLIMATE CAFES

Meetings of our climate cafes are meant to provide individuals with information, education and personal support. They will be an informal, open, respectful space at which participants may reflect upon and share their emotional responses related to the climate and environmental emergency. Our facilitators, who may be licensed mental health professionals, will assist participants in exploring their thoughts, feelings and experiences and in doing so will at times provide general information about psychological and emotional issues. However, our facilitators will not engage in rendering any psychotherapeutic or healthcare advice, or advice of any kind for any individual or for their particular situation.

The Climate Café Facilitator does not provide medical, mental health or any other type of healthcare service. No diagnosis or treatment of, or advice regarding, any medical or mental health condition or illness of any participant can or will be offered. Participation in our climate cafes cannot substitute for, and is not an alternative to, medical or other healthcare diagnosis and treatment when a medical or mental health condition or illness is present. Participants are advised to seek diagnosis, treatment and advice regarding medical or mental health conditions or illnesses from physicians, psychotherapists and other licensed healthcare professionals.

Please sign and date below indicating your understanding of and agreement to the limitations of the Climate Café you will be attending.	
Signature	Date