**Weather Balloon Recovery**

My name is **NAME**, and I am trying to recover an NWS Weather balloon that has landed nearby at Coordinates: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I am away from my car, attempting to retrieve the Weather Balloon. If you need to reach me, please call or text **PHONE NUMBER**. If I don’t have service, I will return your call or message as soon as possible.

I left my car at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and estimate my return to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

For more information on weather balloons, please visit:

<https://www.weather.gov/chs/upperair>

<https://sondehub.org>

<https://www.sondehunter.com/>

These balloons are not dangerous to humans but can pose a hazard to livestock and wild animals if they ingest parts of them. The balloons and payload contain latex, string, Styrofoam, circuitry, and lithium batteries. I am trying to recover this balloon to prevent harm to animals and recover reusable parts.