

PUBLIC CONTRACTING AND ENVIRONMENTAL CRIMES CERTIFICATION

This statement is submitted to the City of Dade City by the undersigned on behalf of _____, ADDRESS: _____.

I understand that no person or entity shall be awarded or receive a City of Dade City contract for public improvements, procurement of goods or services (including professional services), or a City lease, franchise, concession, or management agreement, or shall receive a grant of City monies unless such person or entity has submitted a written certification to the City that it has not:

- (1) been convicted of bribery or attempting to bribe a public officer or employee of City, the State of Florida, or any other public entity, including, but not limited to the Government of the United States, any state, or any local government authority in the United States, in that officer's or employee's official capacity; or
- (2) been convicted of an agreement or collusion among bidders or prospective bidders in restraint of freedom of competition, by agreement to bid a fixed price, or otherwise; or
- (3) been convicted of a violation of an environmental law that, in the sole opinion of the City's project manager, reflects negatively upon the ability of the person or entity to conduct business in a responsible manner; or
- (4) made an admission of guilt of such conduct described in items (1), (2) or (3) above, which is a matter of record, but has not been prosecuted for such conduct, or has made an admission of guilt of such conduct, which is a matter of record, pursuant to formal prosecution. An admission of guilt shall be construed to include a plea of nolo contendere; or
- (5) where an officer, official, agent or employee of a business entity has been convicted of or has admitted guilt to any of the crimes set forth above on behalf of such entity and pursuant to the direction or authorization of an official thereof (including the person committing the offense, if he or she is an official of the business entity), the business shall be chargeable with the conduct herein above set forth. A business entity shall be chargeable with the conduct of an affiliated entity, whether wholly owned, partially owned, or one which has common ownership or a common Board of Directors. For purposes of this Form, business entities are affiliated if, directly or indirectly, one business entity controls or has the power to control another business entity, or if an individual or group of individuals controls or has the power to control both entities. Indicia of control shall include, without limitation, interlocking management or ownership, identity of interests among family members, shared organization of a business entity following the ineligibility of a business entity, or using substantially the same management, ownership, or principles as the ineligible entity. Any person or entity who claims that the provisions of this affidavit are inapplicable to him or her or the company or business entity because a conviction or judgment has been reversed by a court of competent jurisdiction, shall prove the same with documentation satisfactory to the City's project manager. Upon presentation of such satisfactory proof, the person or entity shall be allowed to contract with the City.

I UNDERSTAND THAT ANY CONTRACT OR BUSINESS TRANSACTION SHALL PROVIDE FOR SUSPENSION OF PAYMENTS OR TERMINATION OF CONTRACT, OR BOTH, IF THE CONTRACTING OFFICER OR THE CITY DETERMINES THAT SUCH PERSON OR ENTITY HAS MADE FALSE CERTIFICATION.

Signature

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF _____

Sworn and subscribed before me this ____ day of _____, 2023, by _____ who is personally known to me ____ (check this line if appropriate) OR produced the following type of identification to prove identity _____.

Notary Public