

**PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES**

**Sworn Statement Under Section 287.133(3)(a),  
Florida Statutes, on Public Entity Crimes**

This form must be signed in the presence of a Notary Public or other officer authorized to administer oaths:

This sworn statement is submitted to The Board of County Commissioners,  
Gulf County, Florida by \_\_\_\_\_  
(print individual's name and title)

for \_\_\_\_\_  
(print name of entity submitting sworn statement)

Whose business address is \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

and (if applicable) its Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) is  
\_\_\_\_\_; (if the entity has no FEIN, include the Social Security Number  
of individual signing this sworn statement: \_\_\_\_\_).

**I understand that a "public entity crime" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(l)(g), Florida Statutes, means a violation of any state or federal law by a person with respect to an directly related to the transaction of business with any public entity or with an agency or political; subdivision of any other state or of the United States, including, but not limited to, any bid or contract for good or services to be provided to any public entity or an agency or political subdivision of any other state or of the United States and involving antitrust, fraud, theft, bribery, collusion, racketeering, conspiracy, or material misrepresentation.**

**I understand that "convicted" or "conviction" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(l) (b), Florida Statutes, means a finding of guilt or a conviction of a public entity crime, with or without adjudication of guilt, in any federal or state trial court of record relating to charges brought by indictment or information after July 1, 1989, as a result of a jury verdict, non-jury trial, or entry of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere.**

**I understand that an “affiliate” as defined in Paragraph 287.133(l) (a) Florida Statutes means:**

**A predecessor or successor of a person convicted of a public crime; or; an entity under the control of any natural person who is active in the management of the entity and who has been convicted of a public entity crime. The term “affiliate” includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are active in the management of an affiliate. The ownership by one person of shares constituting a controlling interest in another person, or a pooling of equipment or income among persons when not for fair market value under an arm’s length agreement, shall be a prima facie case that one person controls another person. A person who knowingly enters into a joint venture with a person who has been convicted of a public entity crime in Florida during the preceding 36 months shall be considered an affiliate.**

**I understand that “person” as defined in Paragraph 287.133(l) (e), Florida Statutes, means any natural person or entity organized under the laws of any state or of the United States with the legal power to enter into a binding contract and which bids or applies to bid on contracts for the provision of goods or services let by a public entity, or which otherwise transacts or applies to transact business with a public entity. The term “person” includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are active in management of an entity.**

**Based on information and belief, the statement which I have marked below is true in relation to the entity submitting this sworn statement. [Indicate which statement applies.]**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Neither the entity submitting this sworn statement, nor any of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity, nor any affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **The entity submitting this sworn statement, or one or more of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity, or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **The entity submitting this sworn statement, or one or more of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members,**

or agents who are active in the management of the entity or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989. However, there has been a subsequent proceeding before a Hearing Officer of the State of Florida, Division of Administration Hearings and the Final Order entered by the Hearing Officer determined that it was not in the public interest to place the entity Submitting this sworn statement on the convicted vendor list. [Attach a copy of the final order.]

I understand that the submission of this form to the contracting officer for the Public Entity identified in Paragraph ONE (#1) above is for that Public Entity only, and that this form is valid through December 31 of the calendar year in which it is filed. I also understand that I am required to inform the Public Entity prior to entering into a contract in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, Florida Statutes, for category two of any change in the information contained in this form.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Bidder

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_.  
Personally known to me \_\_\_\_, or produced the following identification as proof of identity. \_\_\_\_\_.

My Commission Expires:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Notary Name  
Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

**DRUG FREE WORKPLACE CERTIFICATION**  
**(This form must be completed and attached to proposal)**

Identical tie bids: preference shall be given to businesses with drug-free work place programs. Whenever two or more bids which are equal with respect price, quality, and service are received by the state or by any political subdivision for the procurement of commodities or contractual services, a bid received from a business that certified that it has implemented a drug-free work place program shall be given preference in the award process. Established procedures for processing tie bids will be followed in none of the tied vendors have a drug-free work place program. In order to have a drug-free work place program, a business shall:

- 1. Publish a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the work place specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.**
- 2. Inform employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the work place, the business's policy of maintaining a drug-free work place, available drug counseling, rehabilitation providing employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.**
- 3. Give each employee engaged in providing the commodities of contractual services that are under bid a copy of the statement specified in paragraph #1.**
- 4. In the statement specified in paragraph #1, notify the employees that, as a condition of working on the commodities or contractual services that are under bid, the employee will abide by the terms of the statement and will notify the employer of any conviction of or pleas of guilty or no contest to, and violation of Chapter 893 or of any controlled substance law of the United States or any state, for a violation occurring in the work place no later than five (5) days after such conviction.**
- 5. Impose a sanction on, or require the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community, by any employee who is so convicted.**
- 6. Make a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free work place through implementation of this section.**

As the person authorized to sign this statement, I certify that this firm complies fully with the above requirements.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Company Name**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Authorized Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Federal I.D. Number or SSN**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Printed Name**

ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

RFP  
ADDENDUM

Gulf County Board of County Commissioners  
Administrators Office, Room 302  
1000 Cecil G. Costin Blvd.  
Port St. Joe, Florida 32456

**RFP NO:**

**RFP TITLE:**

**OPENING DATE:**

**ADDENDUM NO:**

**DATE:**

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE FOLLOWING CHANGES ARE APPLICABLE TO THE ORIGINAL SPECIFICATIONS OF THE ABOVE REFERENCED RFP

THIS ADDENDUM NOW BECOMES A PART OF THE ORIGINAL RFP.  
ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM IN THE SPACE PROVIDED ON THE RFQ FORM. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY SUBJECT THE PROPOSER TO DISQUALIFICATION.

PROPOSER: \_\_\_\_\_ BY: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_