

Request for Determination of Ability to Contract

Certification

In accordance with the requirements of Texas Government Code §2252.901, Texas Human Resources Code §40.034, and 40 Texas Administrative Code, Part 19, Rules §730.1801 to §730.1807, Contractor/Potential Contractor hereby acknowledges the following:

1. Contractor/Potential Contractor has read Texas Government Code §2252.901, Texas Human Resources Code §40.034, and 40 Texas Administrative Code, Part 19, Rules §730.1801 to §730.1807, and verifies that no current or former Texas Department of Family and Protective Services (DFPS) employees or their relatives violate the Conflict of Interest provisions set forth in the statutes and/or rules noted in this certification. If Contractor/Potential Contractor is a sole proprietor, Contractor/Potential Contractor verifies that Contractor/Potential Contractor has not been a DFPS employee within the last 365 days.
2. Contractor/Potential Contractor is under a continuing obligation throughout the term of the contract, and any subsequent renewal, to notify the DFPS contract manager of any change to this certification within ten (10) business days; and
3. The contract with Contractor/Potential Contractor may be terminated for cause if:
 - a) Contractor/Potential Contractor knowingly provides incorrect information in this certification; or
 - b) Contractor/Potential Contractor uses a subterfuge, such as a subcontract arrangement, to avoid the application of the rules in Texas Government Code §2252.901, Texas Human Resources Code §40.034, or Subchapter S of Chapter 730 of the Texas Administrative Code.

- Contractor/Potential Contractor **certifies** the above statements.
- Contractor/Potential Contractor **cannot certify** the above statements and has notified or will notify the appropriate DFPS staff per the instructions noted on page 2.

Keith Self

Printed Name of Authorized Representative

Signature of Authorized Representative

County Judge

Title of Authorized Representative

Date

Collin County

Legal Name of Potential Contractor

23939924 - Title IV-E County Legal Services

Procurement or Contract Number