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CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION/LEVINE ACT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Government Code section 84308, part of the "Levine Act", prohibits County "Officers" from participating in any action related to a license, permit or other entitlement if such member receives political contributions totaling more than \$250 within the twelve months prior to the initiation of proceeding, during the pendency of the proceeding, and twelve months following the date of final decision on the entitlement. During the pendency of the proceeding and for twelve months following final decision on the entitlement, a "Party" or "Participant" as defined in section 84308, is prohibited from contributing more than \$250 to an "Officer".

Section 84308(a)(4) of the Levine Act defines an "officer" as follows: "Officer" means any elected or appointed officer of an agency, any alternate to an elected or appointed officer of an agency, and any candidate for elective office in an agency. The term "officer" is further defined 2 Cal. Code Regs. Section 18438.1, which states:

An officer of an agency includes only those persons who make, participate in making, or in any way attempt to use their official position to influence a decision in the license, permit, or entitlement for use proceeding, or who exercise authority or budgetary control over the agency of officers who may do so, and:

(1) Serve in an elected position, including an official appointed to an elected position due to an interim vacancy or an election otherwise canceled because the official was the sole candidate for the position;

(2) Serve as a member of a board or commission;

(3) Serve as the chief executive of a state agency, or county, city or district of any kind; or

(4) Have decision making authority with respect to the proceeding involving a license, permit, or other entitlement for use and is also a candidate for elected office or has been a candidate for elective office in the 12 months prior to the proceeding.

A list of Stanislaus County Board Members can be found online at: <u>https://www.stanvote.com/pdf/elected-officials-list.pdf</u>. The party making this certification is responsible for determining whether a recipient of a political contribution is a County "Officer".

- Have you, your company, or any agent on behalf of you or your company, made any political contributions of more than \$250 to any County officer, in the twelve (12) months preceding the date of the submission of your proposals or the anticipated date of any Board action related to this contract?
 ____YES ___NO
 - If YES, please identify the person(s) or agent(s) making the contribution:

- If YES, please identify the County Officer receiving the contribution:

- 2. Do you, or your company, or any agent on behalf of you or your company, anticipate or plan to make any political contribution of more than \$250 to any County Officer in the twelve (12) months following any Board action related to this contract? _____YES ___NO
 - If YES, please identify the person(s) or agent(s) making the contribution:

- If YES, please identify the County Officer receiving the contribution:

Answering YES to either of the questions above does not preclude Stanislaus County from awarding the relevant entitlement to you or preclude Stanislaus County from taking subsequent action on the entitlement.

I HEREBY CERTIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA THAT THE FOREGOING IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

Signature:	Date Signed:
Print Name:	
Title:	
Company:	

For Internal Purposes Only (If Applicable)

Application Number:	Application Title:
Application Address:	Application APN:
RFP/ Bid Number:	RFP/Bid Title: