

Appendix F IVT RFP Required Forms

**Imperial County Transportation Commission
CALIFORNIA PUBLIC RECORDS ACT (CPRA) ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

I/ We hereby represent, acknowledge, and agree as follows:

1. ICTC is a California public agency established by the California Public Utilities Code, Section 13280. et. seq., and is subject to the California Public Records Act (Government Code sec. 6250 et. seq.) which provides generally that all records relating to a public agency's business are open to public inspection unless exempted from disclosure by law.
2. The bid/proposal I/we have submitted to ICTC is open to public inspection under CPRA unless it is exempted from disclosure by law.
3. The bid/proposal I/We have Submitting ___ **Includes** / ___ **Does Not Include** **(Check One)** materials that we believe are exempt from disclosure under CPRA.
4. To the extent bid/proposal includes materials that I/we believe are exempt from disclosure under CPRA, I/we understand that I/we must provide a letter identifying the materials that I/we believe are exempt from disclosure and explaining the basis for exemption.
5. Any materials not identified as exempt from disclosure are open to public inspection, and I/we waive any right to subsequently claim exemption from disclosure for such materials.
6. ICTC at all times retains the right to make final determination regarding what, if any, portion of a bid/proposal is subject to disclosure under CPRA.
7. Use of headers/footers bearing designations such as "confidential", "proprietary," or "trade secret" on all or nearly all of a bid/proposal which would prohibit or limit public inspection is not acceptable and may deem the bid/proposal ineligible and may be rejected; labeling a page as such does not prohibit ICTC from disclosing the page in response to a Public Records Act (PRA) response or in the ordinary course of business if ICTC concludes it is obligated to so by applicable law.
8. To defend and indemnify ICTC in any action on a Public Records Act request for any of the contents of a bid marked TRADE SECRET, CONFIDENTIAL, or PROPRIETARY.
9. Marking a document as "Confidential" or "Proprietary" without the express written permission of ICTC does not exempt a document from disclosure to third parties under state or federal law, or in the normal course of ICTC's business operations. ICTC has no obligation to get a respondent's permission before producing such documents.

ACKNOWLEDGED AND AGREED

Organization_____

By:_____

Title:_____

Date:_____

CERTIFICATION OF DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

I, _____, hereby certify on behalf of
(name of authorized official)

_____ that
(name of company)

The CONTRACTOR named above, and all sub-contractors working on this contract, will comply with Government Code Section 8355 in matters relating to providing a drug-free workplace. The CONTRACTOR and all sub-contractors will therefore:

Publish a statement notifying employees that unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance are prohibited and that specified actions will be taken against employees for violation of these prohibitions, as required by Government Code Section 8355(a).

Establish a Drug-free Awareness Program, as required by Government Code Section 8355 (b), to inform employees all of the following:

1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace.
2. The firm's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace.
3. Any available counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs, and
4. Penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations, including that no employee who tests positive for use of a controlled substance shall be permitted to work on this contract.

Provide, as required by Government Code Section 8355(c), that every employee who works on the proposed contract:

1. Will receive a copy of the firm's drug-free policy statement, and
2. Will agree to abide by the terms of the firm's statement as a condition of employment on the contract.

CERTIFICATION:

I, _____, hereby certify that the above-named company, which I am duly authorized to represent, will comply with the Drug Free Workplace requirements of this contract. I understand that this certification is made under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California.

Executed this _____ day of _____, 20__

By _____
(signature of authorized official)

(title of authorized official)

CERTIFICATION OF PRIMARY PARTICIPANT
Regarding Debarment, Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters

The _____ certifies to the best of its knowledge and
(provider/principal)
belief, that it and its principals:

1. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
2. Have not within a three year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
3. Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (2) of this certification; and
4. Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.\

If unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, the provider shall attach an explanation to this certification.

The primary participant, _____ certifies or
(provider/principal)
affirms the truthfulness and accuracy of the contents of the statements submitted on or with this certification and understands that the provisions of 31 U.S.C. sections 3801 et seq. are applicable thereto.

Signature and Title of Authorized Official

CERTIFICATION OF LOWER-TIER PARTICIPANTS
Regarding Debarment, Suspension and Other Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion

The _____
(provider/principal)

certifies by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participant in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.

If unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such provider shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

The _____
(provider/principal)

certifies or affirms the truthfulness and accuracy of the statements submitted on or with this certification and understands that the provisions of 31 U.S.C. sections 3801 et seq. are applicable thereto.

Signature and Title of Authorized Official

CERTIFICATION
OF
RESTRICTIONS ON LOBBYING

I, _____, hereby certify on behalf (name of proposer) of
_____ that:
(Providere)

(1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

(2) If any funds, other than Federal appropriated funds, have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form – LLL, “Disclosure of Lobbying Activities,” in accordance with its instructions.

(3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance is placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

Executed this _____ day of _____, 20__

By _____
(signature of authorized official)

(title of authorized official)

49 CFR PART 20—CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING
Certification for Contracts, Grants, and Cooperative Agreements
(To be submitted with each bid/proposal exceeding \$100,000.00)

The undersigned (BIDDER/PROPOSER) certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an Agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (2) If any funds, other than Federal appropriated funds, have been paid or will be paid to any person for making lobbying contacts to an officer or employee of any TA, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form--LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions and as amended by "Government wide Guidance for New Restrictions on Lobbying," 61 Fed. Reg. 1413 (1/19/96).
- (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by 31 U.S.C. § 1352 (as amended by the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995). Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

The BIDDER/PROPOSER, _____, certifies or affirms the truthfulness and accuracy of each statement of its certification and disclosure, if any. In addition, the Proposer understands and agrees that the provisions of 31 U.S.C. A 3801, et. seq. apply to this certification and disclosure, if any.

_____ Signature of Authorized Official

_____ Name and Title of Authorized Official

_____ Date

DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

Complete this form to disclose lobbying activities pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1352
(See Reverse for public burden disclosure.)

1. Type of Federal Action: <input type="checkbox"/> a. contract <input type="checkbox"/> b. grant <input type="checkbox"/> c. cooperative agreement <input type="checkbox"/> d. loan <input type="checkbox"/> e. loan guarantee <input type="checkbox"/> f. loan insurance	2. Status of Federal Action: <input type="checkbox"/> a. bid/offer/application <input type="checkbox"/> b. initial award <input type="checkbox"/> c. post-award	3. Report Type: <input type="checkbox"/> a. initial filing <input type="checkbox"/> b. material change For Material Change Only: year _____ quarter _____ date of last report _____
4. Name and Address of Reporting Entity: <input type="checkbox"/> Prime <input type="checkbox"/> Subawardee Tier _____, if known: Congressional District, if known:	5. If Reporting Entity in No. 4 is a Subawardee, Enter Name and Address of Prime: Congressional District, if known:	
6. Federal Department/Agency:	7. Federal Program Name/Description: CFDA Number, if applicable:	
8. Federal Action Number, if known:	9. Award Amount, if known: \$	
10. a. Name and Address of Lobbying Registrant <i>(If individual, last name, first name, MI):</i>	b. Individuals Performing Services <i>(Including address if different from No. 10a)</i> <i>(last name, first name, MI):</i>	
11. Information requested through this form is authorized by title 31 U.S.C. section 1352. This disclosure of lobbying activities is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed by the tier above when this transaction was made or entered into. This disclosure is required pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1352. This information will be reported to the Congress semi-annually and will be available for public inspection. Any person who fails to file the required disclosure shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less that \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.	Signature: _____ Print Name: _____ Title: _____ Telephone No.: _____ Date: _____	
Federal Use Only:	Authorized for Local Reproduction Standard Form LLL (Rev. 7-97)	

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF SF-LLL, DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

This disclosure form shall be completed by the reporting entity, whether subawardee or prime Federal recipient, at the initiation or receipt of a covered Federal action, or a material change to a previous filing pursuant to title 31 U.S.C. section 1352. The filing of a form is required for each payment or agreement to make payment to any lobbying entity for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with a covered Federal action. Complete all items that apply for both the initial filing and material change report. Refer to the implementing guidance published by the Office of Management and Budget for additional information.

1. Identify the type of covered Federal action for which lobbying activity is and/or has been secured to influence the outcome of a covered Federal action.
2. Identify the status of the covered Federal action.
3. Identify the appropriate classification of this report. If this a followup report caused by a material change to the information previously reported, enter the year and quarter in which the change occurred, Enter the date of the last previously submitted report by this reporting entity for this covered Federal action.
4. Enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the reporting entity. Include Congressional District, if known. Check the appropriate classification of the reporting entity that designates if it is, or expects to be a prime or subaward receipt. Identify the tier of the subawardee, e.g., the first subawardee of the prime is the 1st tier. Subawards include but are not limited to subcontracts, subgrants and contract awards under grants.
5. If the organization filing the report in item 4 checks "Subawardee," then enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the prime Federal recipient. Include Congressional District, if known.
6. Enter the name of the Federal agency making the award or loan commitment. Include at least one organizational level below agency name, if known. For example, Department of Transportation, United States Coast Guard.
7. Enter the Federal program name or description for the covered Federal action (Item 1). If known, enter the full Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number for grants, cooperative agreements, loans and loan commitments.
8. Enter the most appropriate Federal identifying number available for the Federal action identified in Item 1 (e.g., Request for Proposal (RFP) number; Invitation for bid (IFB) number; grant announcement number; the contract, grant, or loan award number; the application/proposal control number assigned by the Federal agency). Include prefixes, e.g. "RFP-DE-90-001."
9. For a covered Federal action where there has been an award or loan commitment by the Federal agency, enter the Federal amount of the award/loan commitment for the prime entity identified in Item 4 or 5.
10. (a) Enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the lobbying registrant under the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 engaged by the reporting entity identified in Item 4 to influence the covered Federal action.

(b) Enter the full names of the individual(s) performing services, and include full address if different from 10 (a). Enter Last Name, First Name and Middle Initial (MI).
11. Certifying official shall sign and date the form, print his/her name, title and telephone number.

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act, as amended, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB Control Number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is OMB No. 0348-0046. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 10 minutes per response, including time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (0348-0046), Washington, DC 20503.

PARTY DISCLOSURE FORM
Information Sheet

**Imperial County Transportation Commission
and Affiliated Agencies**

The attached Party Disclosure Form must be completed by applicants for, or persons who are the subject of, any proceeding involving a license, permit, or other entitlement for use pending before the Imperial County Transportation Commission (ICTC) or any of its affiliated agencies. (Please see below for definitions of these terms.)

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Basic Provisions of Government Code Section 84308

- A. If you are an applicant for, or the subject of, any proceeding involving a license, permit, or other entitlement for use, you are prohibited from making a campaign contribution of more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) to any council member or his or her alternate. This prohibition begins on the date your application is filed or the proceeding is otherwise initiated, and the prohibition end three months after a final decision is rendered by the ICTC. In addition, no council member or alternate may solicit or accept a campaign contribution of more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) from you during this period.
- B. These prohibitions also apply to your agent(s), and, if you are a closely held corporation, to your majority shareholder(s) as well. These prohibitions also apply to your subcontractor(s), joint venture(s) and partner(s) in this proceeding. Also included are parent companies and subsidiary companies directed and controlled by you, and political action committees directed and controlled by you.
- C. You must file the attached disclosure form and disclose whether you or your agent(s) have in the aggregate contributed more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) to any council member or his or her alternate during the 12-month period preceding the filing of the application or the initiation of the proceeding.
- D. If you or your agent(s) have in the aggregate contributed more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) to any individual council member or his/or her alternate during the 12-month period preceding the decision on the application or proceeding, that council member or alternate must disqualify himself or herself from the decision. However, disqualification is not required if the council member or alternate returns the campaign contribution within thirty (30) days from the time the director knows, or should have known, about both the contribution and the fact that you are a party in the proceeding. The Party Disclosure Form should be completed and filed with your proposal, or with the first written document you file or submit after the proceeding commences.
 - 1. A proceeding involving “a license, permit, or other entitlement for use” includes all business, professional, trade and land use licenses and permits, and all other entitlements for use, including all entitlements for land use, all contracts (other than competitively bid, labor or personal employment contracts) and all franchises.

2. Your “agent” is someone who represents you in connection with a proceeding involving a license, permit or other entitlement for use. If an individual acting as an agent is also acting in his or her capacity as an employee or member of a law, architectural, engineering or consulting firm or similar business entity, both the business entity and the individual are “agents”.
3. To determine whether a campaign contribution of more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) has been made by you, campaign contributions made by you within the preceding twelve (12) months must be aggregated with those made by your agent(s) within the preceding twelve (12) months or the period of the agency, whichever is shorter. Contributions made by your majority shareholder(s) (if a closely held corporation), your subcontractor(s), your joint venture(s), and your partner(s) in this proceeding must also be included as part of the aggregation. Campaign contributions made to different directors or their alternates are not aggregated.
4. A list of the members and alternates of the ICTC is attached.

This notice summarizes the major requirements of Government Code Section 84308 of the Political Reform Act and 2 Cal. Adm. Code Sections 18438-18438.8.

**ICTC REGIONAL COUNCIL
AND AFFILIATED AGENCIES**

Commissioners

1. George Nava, Mayor
City of Brawley
420 W. Main Street
Brawley, CA 92227
2. Raul Urena, Mayor
City of Calexico
608 Heber Avenue
Calexico, CA 92231
3. Ana Beltran, Mayor Pro Tem
City of Westmorland
P.O. Box 699
Westmorland, CA 92281
4. Maria Nava-Froelich, Mayor
City of Calipatria
P.O. Box 1200
Calipatria, CA 92233
5. Martha Cardenas-Sing, Mayor
City of El Centro
1275 Main Street
El Centro, CA 92243
6. Robert Amparano, Mayor Pro Tem
City of Imperial
420 S. Imperial Avenue
Imperial, CA 92251
7. Mike Goodsell, Council Member
City of Holtville
121 W. 5th Street
Holtville, CA 92250
8. Supervisor Luis Plancarte, District 2
County of Imperial
940 Main Street
El Centro, CA 92243
9. Supervisor John Hawk, District 5
County of Imperial
940 Main Street
El Centro, CA 92243

10. Karin Eugenio, Director
Imperial Irrigation District
1285 Broadway
El Centro, CA 92243

AFFIDAVIT OF NON-COLLUSION

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF IMPERIAL)
CITY OF EL CENTRO)

_____, being duly sworn deposes
and says that he/she is

(Insert "Sole Owner", "Partner", "President", "Secretary", or other title)

of _____

the party making the foregoing bid; that such bid is not made in the interest of or on behalf of any undisclosed person, partnership, company, association, organization, or corporation; that such bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other Bidder to put in a false or sham bid, and has not directly or indirectly colluded, conspired, connived, or agreed with any Bidder or anyone else to put in a sham bid, nor that anyone shall refrain from bidding; that said Bidder has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement, communication, or conference with anyone to fix the bid price of said Bidder or of any other Bidder, nor to fix any overhead profit, or cost element of such bid price, nor of that of any other Bidder, nor to secure any advantage against the public body awarding the contract or anyone interested in the proposed contract; that all statements contained in such bid are true. And further, that said Bidder has not directly or indirectly submitted his bid price or any breakdown thereof, nor paid and will not pay fees in connection therewith to any corporation, partnership, company, association, organization, bid depository, nor to any member or agent thereof, nor to any other individual except to such person or persons as have a partnership or other financial interest with said Bidder in his general business.

SIGNED: _____
CONTRACTOR

By: _____ Title: _____

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME

This _____ day of _____, _____.

Notary Seal and Date