

ABSTENTION AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF TEXAS §
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COUNTY OF BRAZORIA§

I, _____ as a member of the _____ make this affidavit and hereby on oath state the following:

I have a substantial interest in a business entity or real property that may receive a special economic effect that is distinguishable from the effect on the public by an action contemplated by the _____ (*board*).

The business entity or real property in which I have a substantial interest is: [*name and address of business and/or description of property*]

The nature or extent of my interest in the business or real property is herein described by stating that either I or a person that is related to me within the first degree of consanguinity (blood) or affinity (marriage) as defined by state law has a substantial interest in this business entity or real property for the following reasons [*check all that apply*]:

- ___ own 10% or more of the voting stock or shares of the business entity;
- ___ own 10% or more of the fair market value of the business entity;
- ___ own \$15,000 or more of the fair market value of the business entity;
- ___ receive from the business entity funds that exceed 10% of gross income for the previous year;
- ___ has an equitable or legal ownership of real property with a fair market value of \$2,500 or more.

___ Alternatively, even if I do not have a “substantial interest” as defined by Chapter 171 of the Texas Local Government Code, I am filing this affidavit so to avoid the appearance of impropriety. My interest may be described as follows:

Upon filing of this affidavit with the official record keeper of the city, I affirm that I shall abstain from voting or further participating in any matter involving the business entity or real property, unless allowed by law.

Signed this _____ day of _____, 20

Signature of Affiant

Title of Affiant

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, this day personally appeared

_____ [*name of affiant*] and by oath stated that the facts herein stated are true and correct.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME before me on this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

My commission expires: _____