



**CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING
FY 2014 CDBG PROGRAM APPLICATION PROCESS**

By signing and submitting this certification, the undersigned certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that it and its principals shall be in compliance with the following:

- (1) Agency shall not use, and require its subcontractors not to use, any of the funds, personnel, or materials received in connection with any agreement (contracts, grants, cooperative agreements) awarded by Milwaukee County to influence or attempt to influence any governmental decision or election in any manner whatsoever. This prohibition shall apply to any decision of any kind to be made by any electorate, legislative body, agency, bureau, board, commission, district, or any other instrument of federal, state, or local government. The term "influence or attempt to influence" shall mean the making, with the intent to influence, any communication to or appearance before any officer, employee, or appointee of any governmental entity, as well as any communication made to any electorate, regarding any ballot measure or candidate election.
- (2) Agency acknowledge that federal funds received from Milwaukee County for individual program(s) have been provided pursuant to a federal grant, and shall comply with the laws set forth at 31 USC section 1352 (1989) and 24 CRF 87.
- (3) Agency shall disclose any funds from any other source with have been paid by Contractor or its principals and agents within the last year to influence or attempt to influence decisions of the federal government by completing, signing, and submitting Stand Form LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities." (24 CRF 87, Appendix B) Contractor understands that the duty to disclose lobbying activities is a continuing requirement, and therefore shall make such disclosures at the end of each calendar quarter in which there occurs any event requiring disclosure.
- (4) Agency shall require the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including sub-agreements, subcontracts, sub-grants, and cooperative agreements exceeding \$100,000) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification submitted to Milwaukee County is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when entering into a contract agreement. If it later determined that the Agency rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available, Milwaukee County may terminate the contract for default.

Name of Agency

Signature of Authorized Signing Official/Representative

Date

Print/Type Name of Authorized Signing Official/Representative