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# HIDALGO COUNTY REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY

## **CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE**

On November 17, 2006, the Hidalgo County Regional Mobility Authority (HCRMA) adopted a Conflict of Interest Policy for Consultants ("Policy"). Under this Policy, any individual firm, or team (including individual team members) entering into a consulting contract with the HCRMA, or responding to a HCRMA solicitation, if required, shall disclose the existence of any current or previous (defined as terminating within 12 months prior to the submission of the proposal) business relationship with any of the HCRMA's officials, personnel, or outside consultants (the "Key Personnel"). This disclosure shall include information on: (i) the nature of the relationship, (ii) the current status, and (iii) the date of the termination (or expected termination if known) of the relationship. *Failure to make the disclosure required is grounds for rejection of a proposal engagement and disqualification from further consideration for the project or work which is the subject of the proposal.* 

For the purposes of disclosing potential conflicts of interest, Key Personnel of the HCRMA are as follows:

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