# **EXHIBIT B**

# CONTRACT, LEASE, AGREEMENT CONTROL FORM

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Lessor:

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Date Closed:

#### SUPPLEMENTAL PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

A Participation Agreement made and entered into this 27

between Okaloosa County Tax Collector (hereinafter referred
to as'the "Participating Employer"), and Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners (hereinafter
referred to as the "Employer").
WHEREAS, there exists a Cafeteria Plan entered into on the 1st day of catalogue day of established by the Employer (a copy being attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof by reference); and
WHEREAS, the Plan provides that any other Participating Employer may, with the consent of the Employer, adopt the Plan and participate therein by a properly executed document evidencing said intent of said Participating Employer;
NOW, THEREFORE, the Participating Employer hereby becomes a party to the Plan, effective the day of <b>Detake</b> , and the Employer hereby consents to such adoption and participation upon the following terms:

- (1) Wherever a right or obligation is imposed upon the Employer by the terms of the Plan, the same shall extend to the Participating Employer as the "Employer" under the Plan and shall be separate and distinct from that imposed upon the Employer. It is the intention of the parties that the Participating Employer shall be a party to the Plan and treated in all respects as the Employer thereunder, with its employees to be considered as the Employees or Participants, as the case may be, thereunder. However, the participation of the Participating Employer in the Plan shall in no way diminish, augment, modify, or in any way affect the rights and duties of the Employer, its Employees, or Participants, under the Plan.
- (2) The execution of this Agreement by this Participating Employer shall be construed as the adoption of the Plan in every respect as if said Plan had this date been executed by the Participating Employer, except as otherwise expressly provided herein or in any amendment that may subsequently be adopted hereto.
- (3) All actions required by the Plan to be taken by the Employer shall be effective with respect to the Participating Employer if taken by the Employer, and the Participating Employer hereby irrevocably designates the Employer as its agent for such purposes.

CONTRACT: OKALOOSA COUNTY CAFETERIA INSURANCE PLAN CONTRACT NO.: C05-1135-RMI-52 TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE EXPIRES: INDEFINITE IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Participating Employer and the Employer have caused this Supplemental Participation Agreement to be executed in their respective names on the day and date first above written.

Signed, sealed, and delivered in the presence of:

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Okaloosa County Tax Collector

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Okaloosa Board of County Commissioner

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WITNESSES AS TO EMPLOYER

#### ADOPTING RESOLUTION

The undersigned Principal of Okaloosa County Tax Collector (the Employer) hereby certifies that the following resolutions were duly adopted by the Employer on Supt 27, 2004, and that such resolutions have not been modified or rescinded as of the date hereof:

RESOLVED, that the form of Cafeteria Plan including a Dependent Care Assistance Program and Health Care Reimbursement Plan effective October 1, 2004, presented to this meeting is hereby approved and adopted and that the duly authorized agents of the Employer are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver to the Administrator of the Plan one or more counterparts of the Plan.

RESOLVED, that the Administrator shall be instructed to take such actions that are deemed necessary and proper in order to implement the Plan, and to set up adequate accounting and administrative procedures to provide benefits under the Plan.

RESOLVED, that the duly authorized agents of the Employer shall act as soon as possible to notify the employees of the Employer of the adoption of the Cafeteria Plan by delivering to each employee a copy of the summary description of the Plan in the form of the Summary Plan Description presented to this meeting, which form is hereby approved.

The undersigned further certifies that attached hereto as Exhibits A and B, respectively, are true copies of Okaloosa County, Florida and the Summary Plan Description approved and adopted in the foregoing resolutions.

Principal

Date: 9-27-04

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### OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

#### INTRODUCTION

The Employer has adopted this Plan effective October 1, 2004, to recognize the contribution made to the Employer by its Employees. Its purpose is to reward them by providing benefits for those Employees who shall qualify hereunder and their dependents and beneficiaries. The concept of this Plan is to allow Employees to choose among different types of benefits based on their own particular goals, desires and needs. The Plan shall be known as Okaloosa County, Florida (the "Plan").

The intention of the Employer is that the Plan qualify as a "Cafeteria Plan" within the meaning of Section 125 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and that the benefits which an Employee elects to receive under the Plan be includible or excludable from the Employee's income under Section 125(a) and other applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

# ARTICLE I DEFINITIONS

- 1.1 "Administrator" means the individual(s) or corporation appointed by the Employer to carry out the administration of the Plan. The Employer shall be empowered to appoint and remove the Administrator from time to time as it deems necessary for the proper administration of the Plan. In the event the Administrator has not been appointed, or resigns from a prior appointment, the Employer shall be deemed to be the Administrator.
- 1.2 "Affiliated Employer" means the Employer and any corporation which is a member of a controlled group of corporations (as defined in Code Section 414(b)) which includes the Employer; any trade or business (whether or not incorporated) which is under common control (as defined in Code Section 414(c)) with the Employer; any organization (whether or not incorporated) which is a member of an affiliated service group (as defined in Code Section 414(m)) which includes the Employer; and any other entity required to be aggregated with the Employer pursuant to Treasury regulations under Code Section 414(o).
- 1.3 "Benefit" means any of the optional benefit choices available to a Participant as outlined in Section 4.1.
- 1.4 "Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars" means the amount available to Participants, pursuant to Article III, to purchase Benefits. Each dollar contributed to this Plan shall be converted into one Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollar.
- 1.5 "Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended or replaced from time to time.
- 1.6 "Compensation" means the amounts received by the Participant from the Employer during a Plan Year.
- 1.7 "Dependent" means any individual who qualifies as a dependent under Code Section 152 (as modified by Code Section 105(b)).

- 1.8 "Effective Date" means October 1, 2004.
- 1.9 "Election Period" means the 60 day period immediately preceding the beginning of each Plan Year. However, an Employee's initial Election Period shall be determined pursuant to Section 5.1.
- 1.10 "Eligible Employee" means any Employee who has satisfied the provisions of Section 2.1.

An individual shall not be an "Eligible Employee" if such individual is not reported on the payroll records of the Employer as a common law employee. In particular, it is expressly intended that individuals not treated as common law employees by the Employer on its payroll records are not "Eligible Employees" and are excluded from Plan participation even if a court or administrative agency determines that such individuals are common law employees and not independent contractors.

- 1.11 "Employee" means any person who is employed by the Employer. The term Employee shall include leased employees within the meaning of Code Section 414(n)(2).
- 1.12 "Employer" means Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners and any Affiliated Employer (as defined in Section 1.2) which shall adopt this Plan; any successor which shall maintain this Plan; and any predecessor which has maintained this Plan. Okaloosa County Property Appraiser and Okaloosa County Tax Collector are Affiliated Employers who will adopt this Plan.
- 1.13 "Insurance Contract" means any contract issued by an Insurer underwriting a Benefit.
- 1.14 "Insurance Premium Payment Plan" means the plan of benefits contained in Section 4.1 of this Plan, which provides for the payment of Premium Expenses.
- 1.15 "Insurer" means any insurance company that underwrites a Benefit under this Plan.
- 1.16 "Key Employee" means an Employee described in Code Section 416(i)(1) and the Treasury regulations thereunder.
- 1.17 "Participant" means any Eligible Employee who elects to become a Participant pursuant to Section 2.3 and has not for any reason become ineligible to participate further in the Plan.
  - 1.18 "Plan" means this instrument, including all amendments thereto.
- 1.19 "Plan Year" means the 12-month period beginning October 1 and ending September 30. The Plan Year shall be the coverage period for the Benefits provided for under this Plan. In the event a Participant commences participation during a Plan Year, then the initial coverage period shall be that portion of the Plan Year commencing on such Participant's date of entry and ending on the last day of such Plan Year.

- 1.20 "Premium Expenses" or "Premiums" mean the Participant's cost for the Benefits described in Section 4.1.
- 1.21 "Premium Reimbursement Account" means the account established for a Participant pursuant to this Plan to which part of his Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars may be allocated and from which Premiums of the Participant may be paid or reimbursed. If more than one type of insured Benefit is elected, sub-accounts shall be established for each type of insured Benefit.
- 1.22 "Salary Redirection" means the contributions made by the Employer on behalf of Participants pursuant to Section 3.1. These contributions shall be converted to Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars and allocated to the funds or accounts established under the Plan pursuant to the Participants' elections made under Article V.
- 1.23 "Salary Redirection Agreement" means an agreement between the Participant and the Employer under which the Participant agrees to reduce his Compensation or to forego all or part of the increases in such Compensation and to have such amounts contributed by the Employer to the Plan on the Participant's behalf. The Salary Redirection Agreement shall apply only to Compensation that has not been actually or constructively received by the Participant as of the date of the agreement (after taking this Plan and Code Section 125 into account) and, subsequently does not become currently available to the Participant.
- 1.24 "Spouse" means the legally married husband or wife of a Participant, unless legally separated by court decree.

# ARTICLE II PARTICIPATION

### 2.1 ELIGIBILITY

Any Eligible Employee shall be eligible to participate hereunder as of the date he satisfies the eligibility conditions for the Employer's group medical plan, the provisions of which are specifically incorporated herein by reference.

#### 2.2 EFFECTIVE DATE OF PARTICIPATION

An Eligible Employee shall become a Participant effective as of the first day of the month coinciding with or next following the date on which he met the eligibility requirements of Section 2.1.

#### 2.3 APPLICATION TO PARTICIPATE

An Employee who is eligible to participate in this Plan shall, during the applicable Election Period, complete an application to participate and election of benefits form which the Administrator shall furnish to the Employee. The election made on such form shall be irrevocable until the end of the applicable Plan Year unless the Participant is entitled to change his Benefit elections pursuant to Section 5.4 hereof.

An Eligible Employee shall also be required to execute a Salary Redirection Agreement during the Election Period for the Plan Year during which he wishes to participate in

this Plan. Any such Salary Redirection Agreement shall be effective for the first pay period beginning on or after the Employee's effective date of participation pursuant to Section 2.2.

#### 2.4 TERMINATION OF PARTICIPATION

A Participant shall no longer participate in this Plan upon the occurrence of any of the following events:

- (a) His termination of employment, subject to the provisions of Section 2.5;
  - (b) His death, subject to the provisions of Section 2.6; or
- (c) The termination of this Plan, subject to the provisions of Section 10.2.

### 2.5 TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT

If a Participant's employment with the Employer is terminated for any reason other than death, his participation in the Plan shall be governed in accordance with the following:

- (a) With regard to Benefits which are insured, the Participant's participation in the Plan shall cease, subject to the Participant's right to continue coverage under any Insurance Contract for which premiums have already been paid.
- (b) With regard to the Dependent Care Assistance Program, the Participant's participation in the Plan shall cease and no further Salary Redirection contributions shall be made. However, such Participant may submit claims for employment related Dependent Care Expense reimbursements for the remainder of the Plan Year in which such termination occurs for 90 days after termination, based on the level of his Dependent Care Assistance Account as of his date of termination.
- (c) With regard to the Health Care Reimbursement Plan, the Participant's participation in the Plan shall cease and no further Salary Redirection contributions shall be made. However, such Participant may submit claims for expenses incurred during the portion of the Plan Year preceding his date of termination up to 90 days after his termination.
- (d) In the event a Participant terminates his participation in the Health Care Reimbursement Plan during the Plan Year, if Salary Redirections are made other than on a pro rata basis, upon termination the Participant shall be entitled to a reimbursement for any Salary Redirection previously paid for coverage or benefits relating to the period after the date of the Participant's separation from service regardless of the Participant's claims or reimbursements as of such date.
- (e) This Section shall be applied and administered consistent with such further rights a Participant and his Dependents may be entitled to pursuant to Code Section 4980B and Section 11.14 of the Plan.

#### 2.6 DEATH

If a Participant dies, his participation in the Plan shall cease. However, such Participant's beneficiaries, or the representative of his estate, may submit claims for expenses or benefits for the remainder of the Plan Year or until the Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars allocated to each specific benefit are exhausted. A Participant may designate a specific beneficiary for this purpose. If no such beneficiary is specified, the Administrator may designate the Participant's Spouse, one of his Dependents or a representative of his estate.

# ARTICLE III CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PLAN

#### 3.1 SALARY REDIRECTION

Benefits under the Plan shall be financed by Salary Redirections sufficient to support Benefits that a Participant has elected hereunder and to pay the Participant's Premium Expenses. The salary administration program of the Employer shall be revised to allow each Participant to agree to reduce his pay during a Plan Year by an amount determined necessary to purchase the elected Benefit. The amount of such Salary Redirection shall be specified in the Salary Redirection Agreement and shall be applicable for a Plan Year. Notwithstanding the above, for new Participants, the Salary Redirection Agreement shall only be applicable from the first day of the pay period following the Employee's entry date up to and including the last day of the Plan Year. These contributions shall be converted to Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars and allocated to the funds or accounts established under the Plan pursuant to the Participants' elections made under Article V.

Any Salary Redirection shall be determined prior to the beginning of a Plan Year (subject to initial elections pursuant to Section 5.1) and prior to the end of the Election Period and shall be irrevocable for such Plan Year. However, a Participant may revoke a Benefit election or a Salary Redirection Agreement after the Plan Year has commenced and make a new election with respect to the remainder of the Plan Year, if both the revocation and the new election are on account of and consistent with a change in status and such other permitted events as determined under Article V of the Plan and consistent with the rules and regulations of the Department of the Treasury. Salary Redirection amounts shall be contributed on a pro rata basis for each pay period during the Plan Year. All individual Salary Redirection Agreements are deemed to be part of this Plan and incorporated by reference hereunder.

#### 3.2 APPLICATION OF CONTRIBUTIONS

As soon as reasonably practical after each payroll period, the Employer shall apply the Salary Redirection to provide the Benefits elected by the affected Participants. Any contribution made or withheld for the Health Care Reimbursement Fund or Dependent Care Assistance Account shall be credited to such fund or account. Amounts designated for the Participant's Premium Expense Reimbursement Account shall likewise be credited to such account for the purpose of paying Premium Expenses.

#### 3.3 PERIODIC CONTRIBUTIONS

Notwithstanding the requirement provided above and in other Articles of this Plan that Salary Redirections be contributed to the Plan by the Employer on behalf of an Employee on a level and pro rata basis for each payroll period, the Employer and Administrator may implement a procedure in which Salary Redirections are contributed throughout the Plan Year on a periodic basis that is not pro rata for each payroll period. However, with regard to the Health Care Reimbursement Plan, the payment schedule for the required contributions may not be based on the rate or amount of reimbursements during the Plan Year. In the event Salary Redirections are not made on a pro rata basis, upon termination of participation, a Participant may be entitled to a refund of such Salary Redirections pursuant to Section 2.5.

# ARTICLE IV BENEFITS

#### 4.1 BENEFIT OPTIONS

Each Participant may elect to have the amount of his Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars applied to any one or more of the following optional Benefits:

- (1) Health Care Reimbursement Plan
- (2) Dependent Care Assistance Program
- (3) Insurance Premium Payment Plan
  - (i) Dependent Health Insurance Benefit
  - (ii) Dental Insurance Benefit
  - (iii) Group-Term Life Insurance Benefit
  - (iv) Disability Insurance Benefit
  - (v) Cancer Insurance Benefit
  - (vi) Vision Insurance Benefit
  - (vii) Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance Benefit
  - (viii) Prescription Drug Coverage Benefit
  - (ix) Other Insurance Benefit

# 4.2 HEALTH CARE REIMBURSEMENT PLAN BENEFIT

Each Participant may elect coverage under the Health Care Reimbursement Plan option, in which case Article VI shall apply.

#### 4.3 DEPENDENT CARE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM BENEFIT

Each Participant may elect coverage under the Dependent Care Assistance Program option, in which case Article VII shall apply.

#### 4.4 HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFIT

- (a) Each Participant may elect coverage under a health and hospitalization Insurance Contract for his or her Dependents.
- (b) In the event that any Participant shall have existing health and hospitalization insurance protection or desires to obtain alternative health and hospitalization insurance protection, the Administrator, in its sole discretion, may, upon submission of satisfactory proof of payment by the Participant, reimburse the Participant for the cost of the alternative insurance protection. This alternative protection may not include the cost of coverage obtained through a Participant's spouse's employment.
- (c) The Employer may select suitable health and hospitalization Insurance Contracts for use in providing this health insurance benefit, which policies will provide uniform benefits for all Participants electing this Benefit.
- (d) The rights and conditions with respect to the benefits payable from such health and hospitalization Insurance Contract shall be determined therefrom, and such Insurance Contract shall be incorporated herein by reference.

#### 4.5 DENTAL INSURANCE BENEFIT

- (a) Each Participant may elect to be covered under the Employer's dental Insurance Contract. In addition, the Participant may elect either individual or family coverage under such Insurance Contract.
- (b) The Employer may select suitable dental Insurance Contracts for use in providing this dental insurance benefit, which policies will provide uniform benefits for all Participants electing this Benefit.
- (c) The rights and conditions with respect to the benefits payable from such dental Insurance Contract shall be determined therefrom, and such dental Insurance Contract shall be incorporated herein by reference.

### 4.6 GROUP-TERM LIFE INSURANCE BENEFIT

- (a) Each Participant may elect to be covered under the Employer's group-term life Insurance Contract.
- (b) The Employer may select suitable group-term life Insurance Contracts for use in providing this group-term life insurance benefit, which policies will provide benefits for all Participants electing this Benefit on a uniform basis.

(c) The rights and conditions with respect to the benefits payable from such group-term life Insurance Contract shall be determined therefrom, and such group-term life Insurance Contract shall be incorporated herein by reference.

# 4.7 DISABILITY INSURANCE BENEFIT

- (a) Each Participant may elect to be covered under the Employer's disability Insurance Contract.
- (b) The Employer may select suitable disability Insurance Contracts for use in providing this disability Benefit. The disability Insurance Contracts may provide for long-term or short-term coverage.
- (c) In the event that any Participant shall have existing disability insurance protection or desires to obtain alternative disability insurance protection, the Administrator, in its discretion, may, upon submission of satisfactory proof of payment by the Participant, reimburse the Participant for the cost of the alternative insurance protection. This alternative protection may not include the cost of coverage obtained through a Participant's spouse's employment.
- (d) The rights and conditions with respect to the Benefits payable from such disability Insurance Contract shall be determined therefrom, and such disability Insurance Contract shall be incorporated herein by reference.

#### 4.8 CANCER INSURANCE BENEFIT

- (a) Each Participant may elect to be covered under the Employer's cancer Insurance Contract. In addition, the Participant may elect either individual or family coverage.
- (b) The Employer may select suitable cancer Insurance Contracts for use in providing this cancer insurance benefit, which policies will provide uniform benefits for all Participants electing this Benefit.
- (c) The rights and conditions with respect to the benefits payable from such cancer Insurance Contract shall be determined therefrom, and such cancer Insurance Contract shall be incorporated herein by reference.

#### 4.9 VISION INSURANCE BENEFIT

- (a) Each Participant may elect to be covered under the Employer's vision Insurance Contract. In addition, the Participant may elect either individual or family coverage.
- (b) The Employer may select suitable vision Insurance Contracts for use in providing this vision insurance benefit, which policies will provide uniform benefits for all Participants electing this Benefit.

(c) The rights and conditions with respect to the benefits payable from such vision Insurance Contract shall be determined therefrom, and such vision Insurance Contract shall be incorporated herein by reference.

#### 4.10 ACCIDENTAL DEATH AND DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE BENEFIT

- (a) Each Participant may elect to be covered under the Employer's accidental death and dismemberment Insurance Contract.
- (b) The Employer may select suitable accidental death and dismemberment policies for use in providing this accidental death and dismemberment insurance benefit, which policies will provide uniform benefits for all Participants electing this Benefit.
- (c) The rights and conditions with respect to the benefits payable from such accidental death and dismemberment Insurance Contract shall be determined therefrom, and such accidental death and dismemberment Insurance Contract shall be incorporated herein by reference.

#### 4.11 PRESCRIPTION DRUG COVERAGE BENEFIT

- (a) Each Participant may elect to be covered under the Employer's Prescription Drug Coverage Contract.
- (b) The Employer may select suitable prescription drug coverage for use in providing this benefit, including, but not limited to, if applicable, by-mail services and prescription drug cards, which will provide uniform benefits for all Participants electing this Benefit.
- (c) The rights and conditions with respect to the benefits payable from such prescription drug coverage contract shall be determined therefrom, and such Contract shall be incorporated herein by reference.

#### 4.12 OTHER INSURANCE BENEFIT

- (a) The Employer may select additional health policies or allow the purchase of additional health policies by and for Participants, which policies will provide uniform benefits for all Participants electing this Benefit.
- (b) The rights and conditions with respect to the benefits payable from any additional Contract shall be determined therefrom, and such Contract shall be incorporated herein by reference.

### 4.13 NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS

(a) It is the intent of this Plan to provide benefits to a classification of employees which the Secretary of the Treasury finds not to be discriminatory in favor of the group in whose favor discrimination may not occur under Code Section 125.

- (b) It is the intent of this Plan not to provide qualified benefits as defined under Code Section 125 to Key Employees in amounts that exceed 25% of the aggregate of such Benefits provided for all Eligible Employees under the Plan. For purposes of the preceding sentence, qualified benefits shall not include benefits which (without regard to this paragraph) are includible in gross income.
- If the Administrator deems it necessary to avoid discrimination or possible taxation to Key Employees or a group of employees in whose favor discrimination may not occur in violation of Code Section 125, it may, but shall not be required to, reject any election or reduce contributions or non-taxable Benefits in order to assure compliance with this Section. Any act taken by the Administrator under this Section shall be carried out in a uniform and nondiscriminatory manner. If the Administrator decides to reject any election or reduce contributions or non-taxable Benefits, it shall be done in the following manner. First, the non-taxable Benefits of the affected Participant (either an employee who is highly compensated or a Key Employee, whichever is applicable) who has the highest amount of non-taxable Benefits for the Plan Year shall have his non-taxable benefits reduced until the discrimination tests set forth in this Section are satisfied or until the amount of his non-taxable Benefits equals the non-taxable Benefits of the affected Participant who has the second highest amount of non-taxable Benefits. This process shall continue until the nondiscrimination tests set forth in this Section are satisfied. With respect to any affected Participant who has had Benefits reduced pursuant to this Section, the reduction shall be made proportionately among Health Care Reimbursement Plan Benefits and Dependent Care Assistance Program Benefits, and once all these Benefits are expended, proportionately among insured Benefits. Contributions which are not utilized to provide Benefits to any Participant by virtue of any administrative act under this paragraph shall be forfeited and deposited into the benefit plan surplus.

# ARTICLE V PARTICIPANT ELECTIONS

#### 5.1 INITIAL ELECTIONS

An Employee who meets the eligibility requirements of Section 2.1 on the first day of, or during, a Plan Year may elect to participate in this Plan for all or the remainder of such Plan Year, provided he elects to do so before his effective date of participation pursuant to Section 2.2. However, if such Employee does not complete an application to participate and benefit election form and deliver it to the Administrator before such date, his Election Period shall extend 30 calendar days after such date, or for such further period as the Administrator shall determine and apply on a uniform and nondiscriminatory basis. However, any election during the extended 30-day election period pursuant to this Section 5.1 shall not be effective until the first pay period following the later of such Participant's effective date of participation pursuant to Section 2.2 or the date of the receipt of the election form by the Administrator, and shall be limited to the Benefit expenses incurred for the balance of the Plan Year for which the election is made.

### 5.2 SUBSEQUENT ANNUAL ELECTIONS

During the Election Period prior to each subsequent Plan Year, each Participant shall be given the opportunity to elect, on an election of benefits form to be provided by the Administrator, which Benefit options he wishes to select and purchase with his Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars. Any such election shall be effective for any Benefit expenses incurred during the Plan Year which follows the end of the Election Period. With regard to subsequent annual elections, the following options shall apply:

- (a) A Participant or Employee who failed to initially elect to participate may elect different or new Benefits under the Plan during the Election Period:
- (b) A Participant may terminate his participation in the Plan by notifying the Administrator in writing during the Election Period that he does not want to participate in the Plan for the next Plan Year, or by not electing any Benefit options;
- (c) An Employee who elects not to participate for the Plan Year following the Election Period will have to wait until the next Election Period before again electing to participate in the Plan, except as provided for in Section 5.4.

#### 5.3 FAILURE TO ELECT

Any Participant failing to complete an election of benefits form pursuant to Section 5.2 by the end of the applicable Election Period shall be deemed to have elected not to participate in the Plan for the upcoming Plan Year. No further Salary Redirections shall therefore be authorized for such subsequent Plan Year.

#### 5.4 CHANGE OF ELECTIONS

(a) Any Participant may change a Benefit election after the Plan Year (to which such election relates) has commenced and make new elections with respect to the remainder of such Plan Year if, under the facts and circumstances, the changes are necessitated by and are consistent with a change in status which is acceptable under rules and regulations adopted by the Department of the Treasury, the provisions of which are incorporated by reference. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if the rules and regulations conflict, then such rules and regulations shall control.

In general, a change in election is not consistent if the change in status is the Participant's divorce, annulment or legal separation from a spouse, the death of a spouse or dependent, or a dependent ceasing to satisfy the eligibility requirements for coverage, and the Participant's election under the Plan is to cancel accident or health insurance coverage for any individual other than the one involved in such event. In addition, if the Participant, spouse or dependent gains or loses eligibility for coverage, then a Participant's election under the Plan to cease or decrease coverage for that individual under the Plan corresponds with that change in status

only if coverage for that individual becomes applicable or is increased under the family member plan.

Regardless of the consistency requirement, if the individual, the individual's spouse, or dependent becomes eligible for continuation coverage under the Employer's group health plan as provided in Code Section 4980B or any similar state law, then the individual may elect to increase payments under this Plan in order to pay for the continuation coverage. However, this does not apply for COBRA eligibility due to divorce, annulment or legal separation.

Any new election shall be effective at such time as the Administrator shall prescribe, but not earlier than the first pay period beginning after the election form is completed and returned to the Administrator. For the purposes of this subsection, a change in status shall only include the following events or other events permitted by Treasury regulations:

- (1) Legal Marital Status: events that change a Participant's legal marital status, including marriage, divorce, death of a spouse, legal separation or annulment;
- (2) Number of Dependents: Events that change a Participant's number of dependents, including birth, adoption, placement for adoption, or death of a dependent;
- (3) Employment Status: Any of the following events that change the employment status of the Participant, spouse, or dependent: termination or commencement of employment, a strike or lockout, commencement or return from an unpaid leave of absence, or a change in worksite. In addition, if the eligibility conditions of this Plan or other employee benefit plan of the Employer of the Participant, spouse, or dependent depend on the employment status of that individual and there is a change in that individual's employment status with the consequence that the individual becomes (or ceases to be) eligible under the plan, then that change constitutes a change in employment under this subsection;
- (4) Dependent satisfies or ceases to satisfy the eligibility requirements: An event that causes the Participant's dependent to satisfy or cease to satisfy the requirements for coverage due to attainment of age, student status, or any similar circumstance; and
- (5) Residency: A change in the place of residence of the Participant, spouse or dependent.

For the Dependent Care Assistance Program, a dependent becoming or ceasing to be a "Qualifying Dependent" as defined under Code Section 21(b) shall also qualify as a change in status.

(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), the Participants may change an election for accident or health coverage during a Plan Year and make a new

election that corresponds with the special enrollment rights provided in Code Section 9801(f). Such change shall take place on a prospective basis.

- (c) Notwithstanding subsection (a), in the event of a judgment, decree, or order ("order") resulting from a divorce, legal separation, annulment, or change in legal custody (including a qualified medical child support order defined in ERISA Section 609) which requires accident or health coverage for a Participant's child (including a foster child who is a dependent of the Participant):
  - (1) The Plan may change an election to provide coverage for the child if the order requires coverage under the Participant's plan; or
  - (2) The Participant shall be permitted to change an election to cancel coverage for the child if the order requires the former spouse to provide coverage for such child, under that individual's plan and such coverage is actually provided.
- (d) Notwithstanding subsection (a), a Participant may change elections to cancel accident or health coverage for the Participant or the Participant's spouse or dependent if the Participant or the Participant's spouse or dependent is enrolled in the accident or health coverage of the Employer and becomes entitled to coverage (i.e., enrolled) under Part A or Part B of the Title XVIII of the Social Security Act (Medicare) or Title XIX of the Social Security Act (Medicaid), other than coverage consisting solely of benefits under Section 1928 of the Social Security Act (the program for distribution of pediatric vaccines). If the Participant or the Participant's spouse or dependent who has been entitled to Medicaid or Medicare coverage loses eligibility, that individual may prospectively elect coverage under the Plan if a benefit package option under the Plan provides similar coverage.
- (e) If the cost of a Benefit provided under the Plan increases or decreases during a Plan Year, then the Plan shall automatically increase or decrease, as the case may be, the Salary Redirections of all affected Participants for such Benefit. Alternatively, if the cost of a benefit package option increases significantly, the Administrator shall permit the affected Participants to either make corresponding changes in their payments or revoke their elections and, in lieu thereof, receive on a prospective basis coverage under another benefit package option with similar coverage, or drop coverage prospectively if there is no benefit package option with similar coverage.

A cost increase or decrease refers to an increase or decrease in the amount of elective contributions under the Plan, whether resulting from an action taken by the Participants or an action taken by the Employer.

If the coverage under a Benefit is significantly curtailed or ceases during a Plan Year, affected Participants may revoke their elections of such Benefit and, in lieu thereof, elect to receive on a prospective basis coverage under another plan with similar coverage, or drop coverage prospectively if no similar coverage is offered.

If, during the period of coverage, a new benefit package option or other coverage option is added, an existing benefit package option is significantly improved, or an existing benefit package option or other coverage option is eliminated, then the affected Participants may elect the newly-added option, or elect another option if an option has been eliminated prospectively and make corresponding election changes with respect to other benefit package options providing similar coverage. In addition, those Eligible Employees who are not participating in the Plan may opt to become Participants and elect the new or newly improved benefit package option.

A Participant may make a prospective election change to add group health coverage for the Participant, the Participant's spouse or dependent if such individual loses group health coverage sponsored by a governmental or educational institution, including a state children's health insurance program under the Social Security Act, the Indian Health Service or a health program offered by an Indian tribal government, a state health benefits risk pool, or a foreign government group health plan.

A Participant may make a prospective election change that is on account of and corresponds with a change made under the plan of a spouse's, former spouse's or dependent's employer if (1) the cafeteria plan or other benefits plan of the spouse's, former spouse's or dependent's employer permits its participants to make a change; or (2) the cafeteria plan permits participants to make an election for a period of coverage that is different from the period of coverage under the cafeteria plan of a spouse's, former spouse's or dependent's employer.

A Participant may make a prospective election change that is on account of and corresponds with a change by the Participant in the dependent care provider. The availability of dependent care services from a new childcare provider is similar to a new benefit package option becoming available. A cost change is allowable in the Dependent Care Assistance Program only if the cost change is imposed by a dependent care provider who is not related to the Participant, as defined in Code Section 152(a)(1) through (8).

A Participant shall not be permitted to change an election to the Health Care Reimbursement Plan as a result of a cost or coverage change under this subsection.

## ARTICLE VI HEALTH CARE REIMBURSEMENT PLAN

### 6.1 ESTABLISHMENT OF PLAN

This Health Care Reimbursement Plan is intended to qualify as a medical reimbursement plan under Code Section 105 and shall be interpreted in a manner consistent with such Code Section and the Treasury regulations thereunder. Participants who elect to participate in this Health Care Reimbursement Plan may submit claims for the reimbursement of Medical Expenses. All amounts reimbursed under this Health Care Reimbursement Plan shall be periodically paid from amounts allocated to the Health Care Reimbursement Fund. Periodic payments reimbursing Participants from the Health Care Reimbursement Fund shall in no event occur less frequently than monthly.

#### 6.2 DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this Article and the Cafeteria Plan, the terms below have the following meaning:

- (a) "Health Care Reimbursement Fund" means the fund established for Participants pursuant to this Plan to which part of their Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars may be allocated and from which all allowable Medical Expenses may be reimbursed.
- (b) "Health Care Reimbursement Plan" means the plan of benefits contained in this Article, which provides for the reimbursement of eligible Medical Expenses incurred by a Participant or his Dependents.
- (c) "Highly Compensated Participant" means, for the purposes of this Article and determining discrimination under Code Section 105(h), a participant who is:
  - (1) one of the 5 highest paid officers;
  - (2) a shareholder who owns (or is considered to own applying the rules of Code Section 318) more than 10 percent in value of the stock of the Employer; or
  - (3) among the highest paid 25 percent of all Employees (other than exclusions permitted by Code Section 105(h)(3)(B) for those individuals who are not Participants).
- (d) "Medical Expenses" means any expense for medical care within the meaning of the term "medical care" as defined in Code Section 213(d) and as allowed under Code Section 105 and the rulings and Treasury regulations thereunder, and not otherwise used by the Participant as a deduction in determining his tax liability under the Code. However, a Participant may not be reimbursed for the cost of other health coverage such as premiums paid under plans maintained by the employer of the Participant's spouse or individual policies maintained by the Participant or his spouse or Dependent. Furthermore, a

Participant may not be reimbursed for "qualified long-term care services" as defined in Code Section 7702B(c).

(e) The definitions of Article I are hereby incorporated by reference to the extent necessary to interpret and apply the provisions of this Health Care Reimbursement Plan.

### 6.3 FORFEITURES

The amount in the Health Care Reimbursement Fund as of the end of any Plan Year (and after the processing of all claims for such Plan Year pursuant to Section 6.7 hereof) shall be forfeited and credited to the benefit plan surplus. In such event, the Participant shall have no further claim to such amount for any reason, subject to Section 8.2.

#### 6.4 LIMITATION ON ALLOCATIONS

Notwithstanding any provision contained in this Health Care Reimbursement Plan to the contrary, no more than \$2,600 may be allocated to the Health Care Reimbursement Fund by a Participant in or on account of any Plan Year.

## 6.5 NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS

- (a) It is the intent of this Health Care Reimbursement Plan not to discriminate in violation of the Code and the Treasury regulations thereunder.
- If the Administrator deems it necessary to avoid discrimination under this Health Care Reimbursement Plan, it may, but shall not be required to, reject any elections or reduce contributions or Benefits in order to assure compliance with this Section. Any act taken by the Administrator under this Section shall be carried out in a uniform and nondiscriminatory manner. If the Administrator decides to reject any elections or reduce contributions or Benefits, it shall be done in the following manner. First, the Benefits designated for the Health Care Reimbursement Fund by the member of the group in whose favor discrimination may not occur pursuant to Code Section 105 that elected to contribute the highest amount to the fund for the Plan Year shall be reduced until the nondiscrimination tests set forth in this Section or the Code are satisfied, or until the amount designated for the fund equals the amount designated for the fund by the next member of the group in whose favor discrimination may not occur pursuant to Code Section 105 who has elected the second highest contribution to the Health Care Reimbursement Fund for the Plan Year. This process shall continue until the nondiscrimination tests set forth in this Section or the Code are satisfied. Contributions which are not utilized to provide Benefits to any Participant by virtue of any administrative act under this paragraph shall be forfeited and credited to the benefit plan surplus.

#### 6.6 COORDINATION WITH CAFETERIA PLAN

All Participants under the Cafeteria Plan are eligible to receive Benefits under this Health Care Reimbursement Plan. The enrollment under the Cafeteria Plan shall constitute enrollment under this Health Care Reimbursement Plan. In addition, other matters concerning contributions, elections and the like shall be governed by the general provisions of the Cafeteria Plan.

#### 6.7 HEALTH CARE REIMBURSEMENT PLAN CLAIMS

- (a) All Medical Expenses incurred by a Participant shall be reimbursed during the Plan Year subject to Section 2.5, even though the submission of such a claim occurs after his participation hereunder ceases; but provided that the Medical Expenses were incurred during the applicable Plan Year. Medical Expenses are treated as having been incurred when the Participant is provided with the medical care that gives rise to the medical expenses, not when the Participant is formally billed or charged for, or pays for the medical care.
- (b) The Administrator shall direct the reimbursement to each eligible Participant for all allowable Medical Expenses, up to a maximum of the amount designated by the Participant for the Health Care Reimbursement Fund for the Plan Year. Reimbursements shall be made available to the Participant throughout the year without regard to the level of Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars which have been allocated to the fund at any given point in time. Furthermore, a Participant shall be entitled to reimbursements only for amounts in excess of any payments or other reimbursements under any health care plan covering the Participant and/or his Spouse or Dependents.
- (c) Claims for the reimbursement of Medical Expenses incurred in any Plan Year shall be paid as soon after a claim has been filed as is administratively practicable; provided however, that if a Participant fails to submit a claim within the 90 day period immediately following the end of the Plan Year or 90 days after termination of employment, those Medical Expense claims shall not be considered for reimbursement by the Administrator.
- (d) Reimbursement payments under this Plan shall be made directly to the Participant. However, in the Administrator's discretion, payments may be made directly to the service provider. The application for payment or reimbursement shall be made to the Administrator on an acceptable form within a reasonable time of incurring the debt or paying for the service. The application shall include a written statement from an independent third party stating that the Medical Expense has been incurred and the amount of such expense. Furthermore, the Participant shall provide a written statement that the Medical Expense has not been reimbursed or is not reimbursable under any other health plan coverage and, if reimbursed from the Health Care Reimbursement Fund, such amount will not be claimed as a tax deduction. The Administrator shall retain a file of all such applications.

#### 6.8 DEBIT AND CREDIT CARDS

- (a) Participants may, subject to a procedure established by the Administrator and applied in a uniform nondiscriminatory manner, use debit and/or credit (stored value) cards ("cards") provided by the Administrator and the Plan for payment of Medical Expenses, subject to the following terms:
  - (1) Each Participant issued a card shall certify that such card shall only be used for Medical Expenses. The Participant shall also certify that any Medical Expense paid with the card has not already been reimbursed by any other plan covering health benefits and that the Participant will not seek reimbursement from any other plan covering health benefits.
  - (2) Such card shall be issued upon the Participant's Effective Date of Participation and reissued for each Plan Year the Participant remains a Participant in the Health Care Reimbursement Plan. Such card shall be automatically cancelled upon the Participant's death or termination of employment, or if such Participant has a change in status that results in the Participant's withdrawal from the Health Care Reimbursement Plan.
  - (3) The dollar amount of coverage available on the card shall be the amount elected by the Participant for the Plan Year. The maximum dollar amount of coverage available shall be the maximum amount for the Plan Year as set forth in Section 6.4.
  - (4) The cards shall only be accepted by such merchants and service providers as have been approved by the Administrator.
  - (5) The cards shall only be used for Medical Expense purchases at these providers, including, but not limited to, the following:
    - (i) Co-payments for doctor and other medical care;
    - (ii) Purchase of drugs;
    - (iii) Purchase of medical items such as eyeglasses, syringes, crutches, etc.
  - (6) Such purchases by the cards shall be subject to substantiation by the Administrator, usually by submission of a receipt from a merchant or service provider describing the service or product, the date of the purchase and the amount. Some charges shall be considered substantiated at the time of charge by the nature of the charge, such as co-payments. Some charges shall be considered substantiated due to their "recurring" nature, in which the expenses match expenses previously approved as to amount, provider, and time period. At point of sale, the service provider or merchant can provide information to the Administrator to substantiate the charge. All charges shall be conditional pending confirmation and substantiation.

- (7) If such purchase is later determined by the Administrator to not qualify as a Medical Expense, the Administrator, in its discretion, shall use one of the following correction methods to make the Plan whole. Until the amount is repaid, the Administrator shall take further action to ensure that further violations of the terms of the card do not occur, up to and including denial of access to the card.
  - (i) Repayment of the improper amount by the Participant;
  - (ii) Withholding the improper payment from the Participant's wages or other compensation to the extent consistent with applicable federal or state law;
  - (iii) Claims substitution or offset of future claims until the amount is repaid.

# ARTICLE VII DEPENDENT CARE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

#### 7.1 ESTABLISHMENT OF PROGRAM

This Dependent Care Assistance Program is intended to qualify as a program under Code Section 129 and shall be interpreted in a manner consistent with such Code Section. Participants who elect to participate in this program may submit claims for the reimbursement of Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses. All amounts reimbursed under this Dependent Care Assistance Program shall be paid from amounts allocated to the Participant's Dependent Care Assistance Account.

#### 7.2 DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this Article and the Cafeteria Plan the terms below shall have the following meaning:

- (a) "Dependent Care Assistance Account" means the account established for a Participant pursuant to this Article to which part of his Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars may be allocated and from which Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses of the Participant may be reimbursed.
- (b) "Dependent Care Assistance Program" means the program of benefits contained in this Article, which provides for the reimbursement of eligible expenses for the care of the Qualifying Dependents of Participants.
- (c) "Earned Income" means earned income as defined under Code Section 32(c)(2), but excluding such amounts paid or incurred by the Employer for dependent care assistance to the Participant.
- (d) "Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses" means the amounts paid for expenses of a Participant for those services which if paid by the Participant would be considered employment related expenses under Code Section 21(b)(2). Generally, they shall include expenses for household services

and for the care of a Qualifying Dependent, to the extent that such expenses are incurred to enable the Participant to be gainfully employed for any period for which there are one or more Qualifying Dependents with respect to such Participant. Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses are treated as having been incurred when the Participant's Qualifying Dependents are provided with the dependent care that gives rise to the Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses, not when the Participant is formally billed or charged for, or pays for the dependent care. The determination of whether an amount qualifies as an Employment-Related Dependent Care Expense shall be made subject to the following rules:

- (1) If such amounts are paid for expenses incurred outside the Participant's household, they shall constitute Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses only if incurred for a Qualifying Dependent as defined in Section 7.2(e)(1) (or deemed to be, as described in Section 7.2(e)(1) pursuant to Section 7.2(e)(3)), or for a Qualifying Dependent as defined in Section 7.2(e)(2) (or deemed to be, as described in Section 7.2(e)(2) pursuant to Section 7.2(e)(3)) who regularly spends at least 8 hours per day in the Participant's household;
- (2) If the expense is incurred outside the Participant's home at a facility that provides care for a fee, payment, or grant for more than 6 individuals who do not regularly reside at the facility, the facility must comply with all applicable state and local laws and regulations, including licensing requirements, if any; and
- (3) Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses of a Participant shall not include amounts paid or incurred to a child of such Participant who is under the age of 19 or to an individual who is a dependent of such Participant or such Participant's Spouse.
- (e) "Qualifying Dependent" means, for Dependent Care Assistance Program purposes,
  - (1) a Dependent of a Participant who is under the age of 13, with respect to whom the Participant is entitled to an exemption under Code Section 151(c);
  - (2) a Dependent or the Spouse of a Participant who is physically or mentally incapable of caring for himself or herself; or
  - (3) a child that is deemed to be a Qualifying Dependent described in paragraph (1) or (2) above, whichever is appropriate, pursuant to Code Section 21(e)(5).
- (f) The definitions of Article I are hereby incorporated by reference to the extent necessary to interpret and apply the provisions of this Dependent Care Assistance Program.

#### 7.3 DEPENDENT CARE ASSISTANCE ACCOUNTS

The Administrator shall establish a Dependent Care Assistance Account for each Participant who elects to apply Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars to Dependent Care Assistance Program benefits.

### 7.4 INCREASES IN DEPENDENT CARE ASSISTANCE ACCOUNTS

A Participant's Dependent Care Assistance Account shall be increased each pay period by the portion of Cafeteria Plan Benefit Dollars that he has elected to apply toward his Dependent Care Assistance Account pursuant to elections made under Article V hereof.

#### 7.5 DECREASES IN DEPENDENT CARE ASSISTANCE ACCOUNTS

A Participant's Dependent Care Assistance Account shall be reduced by the amount of any Employment-Related Dependent Care Expense reimbursements paid or incurred on behalf of a Participant pursuant to Section 7.12 hereof.

### 7.6 ALLOWABLE DEPENDENT CARE ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENT

Subject to limitations contained in Section 7.9 of this Program, and to the extent of the amount contained in the Participant's Dependent Care Assistance Account, a Participant who incurs Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses shall be entitled to receive from the Employer full reimbursement for the entire amount of such expenses incurred during the Plan Year or portion thereof during which he is a Participant.

#### 7.7 ANNUAL STATEMENT OF BENEFITS

On or before January 31st of each calendar year, the Employer shall furnish to each Employee who was a Participant and received benefits under Section 7.6 during the prior calendar year, a statement of all such benefits paid to or on behalf of such Participant during the prior calendar year.

#### 7.8 FORFEITURES

The amount in a Participant's Dependent Care Assistance Account as of the end of any Plan Year (and after the processing of all claims for such Plan Year pursuant to Section 7.12 hereof) shall be forfeited and credited to the benefit plan surplus. In such event, the Participant shall have no further claim to such amount for any reason.

#### 7.9 LIMITATION ON PAYMENTS

Notwithstanding any provision contained in this Article to the contrary, amounts paid from a Participant's Dependent Care Assistance Account in or on account of any taxable year of the Participant shall not exceed the lesser of the Earned Income limitation described in Code Section 129(b) or \$5,000 (\$2,500 if a separate tax return is filed by a Participant who is married as determined under the rules of paragraphs (3) and (4) of Code Section 21(e)).

## 7.10 NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS

- (a) It is the intent of this Dependent Care Assistance Program that contributions or benefits not discriminate in favor of the group of employees in whose favor discrimination may not occur under Code Section 129(d).
- (b) It is the intent of this Dependent Care Assistance Program that not more than 25 percent of the amounts paid by the Employer for dependent care assistance during the Plan Year will be provided for the class of individuals who are shareholders or owners (or their Spouses or Dependents), each of whom (on any day of the Plan Year) owns more than 5 percent of the stock or of the capital or profits interest in the Employer.
- If the Administrator deems it necessary to avoid discrimination or (c) possible taxation to a group of employees in whose favor discrimination may not occur in violation of Code Section 129 it may, but shall not be required to, reject any elections or reduce contributions or non-taxable benefits in order to assure compliance with this Section. Any act taken by the Administrator under this Section shall be carried out in a uniform and nondiscriminatory manner. If the Administrator decides to reject any elections or reduce contributions or Benefits, it shall be done in the following manner. First, the Benefits designated for the Dependent Care Assistance Account by the affected Participant that elected to contribute the highest amount to such account for the Plan Year shall be reduced until the nondiscrimination tests set forth in this Section are satisfied, or until the amount designated for the account equals the amount designated for the account of the affected Participant who has elected the second highest contribution to the Dependent Care Assistance Account for the Plan Year. This process shall continue until the nondiscrimination tests set forth in this Section are satisfied. Contributions which are not utilized to provide Benefits to any Participant by virtue of any administrative act under this paragraph shall be forfeited.

#### 7.11 COORDINATION WITH CAFETERIA PLAN

All Participants under the Cafeteria Plan are eligible to receive Benefits under this Dependent Care Assistance Program. The enrollment and termination of participation under the Cafeteria Plan shall constitute enrollment and termination of participation under this Dependent Care Assistance Program. In addition, other matters concerning contributions, elections and the like shall be governed by the general provisions of the Cafeteria Plan.

#### 7.12 DEPENDENT CARE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM CLAIMS

The Administrator shall direct the payment of all such Dependent Care Assistance claims to the Participant upon the presentation to the Administrator of documentation of such expenses in a form satisfactory to the Administrator. However, in the Administrator's discretion, payments may be made directly to the service provider. In its discretion in administering the Plan, the Administrator may utilize forms and require documentation of costs as may be necessary to verify the claims submitted. At a minimum, the form shall include a statement from an independent third party as proof that the expense has been incurred and the amount of such expense. In addition, the Administrator may require that each Participant who desires to receive reimbursement under this Program for Employment-Related Dependent Care Expenses submit a statement which may contain some or all of the following information:

- (a) The Dependent or Dependents for whom the services were performed;
- (b) The nature of the services performed for the Participant, the cost of which he wishes reimbursement;
- (c) The relationship, if any, of the person performing the services to the Participant;
- (d) If the services are being performed by a child of the Participant, the age of the child;
  - (e) A statement as to where the services were performed;
- (f) If any of the services were performed outside the home, a statement as to whether the Dependent for whom such services were performed spends at least 8 hours a day in the Participant's household;
- (g) If the services were being performed in a day care center, a statement:
  - (1) that the day care center complies with all applicable laws and regulations of the state of residence,
  - (2) that the day care center provides care for more than 6 individuals (other than individuals residing at the center), and
  - (3) of the amount of fee paid to the provider.
  - (h) If the Participant is married, a statement containing the following:
  - (1) the Spouse's salary or wages if he or she is employed, or
  - (2) if the Participant's Spouse is not employed, that
    - (i) he or she is incapacitated, or

- (ii) he or she is a full-time student attending an educational institution and the months during the year which he or she attended such institution.
- (i) If a Participant fails to submit a claim within the 90 day period immediately following the end of the Plan Year or within the 90 day period immediately following termination of employment, those claims shall not be considered for reimbursement by the Administrator.

# ARTICLE VIII BENEFITS AND RIGHTS

### 8.1 CLAIM FOR BENEFITS

- (a) Any claim for Benefits underwritten by an Insurance Contract shall be made to the Insurer. If the Insurer denies any claim, the Participant or beneficiary shall follow the Insurer's claims review procedure. Any other claim for Benefits shall be made to the Administrator. If the Administrator denies a claim, the Administrator may provide notice to the Participant or beneficiary, in writing, within 90 days after the claim is filed unless special circumstances require an extension of time for processing the claim. If the Administrator does not notify the Participant of the denial of the claim within the 90 day period specified above, then the claim shall be deemed denied. The notice of a denial of a claim shall be written in a manner calculated to be understood by the claimant and shall set forth:
  - (1) specific references to the pertinent Plan provisions on which the denial is based;
  - (2) a description of any additional material or information necessary for the claimant to perfect the claim and an explanation as to why such information is necessary; and
  - (3) an explanation of the Plan's claim procedure.
- (b) Within 60 days after receipt of the above material, the claimant shall have a reasonable opportunity to appeal the claim denial to the Administrator for a full and fair review. The claimant or his duly authorized representative may:
  - (1) request a review upon written notice to the Administrator;
  - (2) review pertinent documents; and
  - (3) submit issues and comments in writing.
- (c) A decision on the review by the Administrator will be made not later than 60 days after receipt of a request for review, unless special circumstances require an extension of time for processing (such as the need to hold a hearing), in which event a decision should be rendered as soon as possible,

but in no event later than 120 days after such receipt. The decision of the Administrator shall be written and shall include specific reasons for the decision, written in a manner calculated to be understood by the claimant, with specific references to the pertinent Plan provisions on which the decision is based.

(d) Any balance remaining in the Participant's Dependent Care Assistance Program or Health Care Reimbursement Plan as of the end of each Plan Year shall be forfeited and deposited in the benefit plan surplus of the Employer pursuant to Section 6.3 or Section 7.8, whichever is applicable, unless the Participant had made a claim for such Plan Year, in writing, which has been denied or is pending; in which event the amount of the claim shall be held in his account until the claim appeal procedures set forth above have been satisfied or the claim is paid. If any such claim is denied on appeal, the amount held beyond the end of the Plan Year shall be forfeited and credited to the benefit plan surplus.

#### 8.2 APPLICATION OF BENEFIT PLAN SURPLUS

Any forfeited amounts credited to the benefit plan surplus by virtue of the failure of a Participant to incur a qualified expense or seek reimbursement in a timely manner may, but need not be, separately accounted for after the close of the Plan Year (or after such further time specified herein for the filing of claims) in which such forfeitures arose. In no event shall such amounts be carried over to reimburse a Participant for expenses incurred during a subsequent Plan Year for the same or any other Benefit available under the Plan; nor shall amounts forfeited by a particular Participant be made available to such Participant in any other form or manner, except as permitted by Treasury regulations. Amounts in the benefit plan surplus shall first be used to defray any administrative costs and experience losses and thereafter be retained by the Employer.

# ARTICLE IX ADMINISTRATION

#### 9.1 PLAN ADMINISTRATION

The operation of the Plan shall be under the supervision of the Administrator. It shall be a principal duty of the Administrator to see that the Plan is carried out in accordance with its terms, and for the exclusive benefit of Employees entitled to participate in the Plan. The Administrator shall have full power to administer the Plan in all of its details, subject, however, to the pertinent provisions of the Code. The Administrator's powers shall include, but shall not be limited to the following authority, in addition to all other powers provided by this Plan:

- (a) To make and enforce such rules and regulations as the Administrator deems necessary or proper for the efficient administration of the Plan;
- (b) To interpret the Plan, the Administrator's interpretations thereof in good faith to be final and conclusive on all persons claiming benefits by operation of the Plan;

- (c) To decide all questions concerning the Plan and the eligibility of any person to participate in the Plan and to receive benefits provided by operation of the Plan;
- (d) To reject elections or to limit contributions or Benefits for certain highly compensated participants if it deems such to be desirable in order to avoid discrimination under the Plan in violation of applicable provisions of the Code;
- (e) To provide Employees with a reasonable notification of their benefits available by operation of the Plan;
- (f) To approve reimbursement requests and to authorize the payment of benefits; and
- (g) To appoint such agents, counsel, accountants, consultants, and actuaries as may be required to assist in administering the Plan.

Any procedure, discretionary act, interpretation or construction taken by the Administrator shall be done in a nondiscriminatory manner based upon uniform principles consistently applied and shall be consistent with the intent that the Plan shall continue to comply with the terms of Code Section 125 and the Treasury regulations thereunder.

### 9.2 EXAMINATION OF RECORDS

The Administrator shall make available to each Participant, Eligible Employee and any other Employee of the Employer such records as pertain to their interest under the Plan for examination at reasonable times during normal business hours.

### 9.3 PAYMENT OF EXPENSES

Any reasonable administrative expenses shall be paid by the Employer unless the Employer determines that administrative costs shall be borne by the Participants under the Plan or by any Trust Fund which may be established hereunder. The Administrator may impose reasonable conditions for payments, provided that such conditions shall not discriminate in favor of highly compensated employees.

#### 9.4 INSURANCE CONTROL CLAUSE

In the event of a conflict between the terms of this Plan and the terms of an Insurance Contract of an independent third party Insurer whose product is then being used in conjunction with this Plan, the terms of the Insurance Contract shall control as to those Participants receiving coverage under such Insurance Contract. For this purpose, the Insurance Contract shall control in defining the persons eligible for insurance, the dates of their eligibility, the conditions which must be satisfied to become insured, if any, the benefits Participants are entitled to and the circumstances under which insurance terminates.

#### 9.5 INDEMNIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATOR

The Employer agrees to indemnify and to defend to the fullest extent permitted by law any Employee serving as the Administrator or as a member of a committee designated as Administrator (including any Employee or former Employee who previously served as Administrator or as a member of such committee) against all liabilities, damages, costs and expenses (including attorney's fees and amounts paid in settlement of any claims approved by the Employer) occasioned by any act or omission to act in connection with the Plan, if such act or omission is in good faith.

# ARTICLE X AMENDMENT OR TERMINATION OF PLAN

#### 10.1 AMENDMENT

The Employer, at any time or from time to time, may amend any or all of the provisions of the Plan without the consent of any Employee or Participant. No amendment shall have the effect of modifying any benefit election of any Participant in effect at the time of such amendment, unless such amendment is made to comply with Federal, state or local laws, statutes or regulations.

#### 10.2 TERMINATION

The Employer is establishing this Plan with the intent that it will be maintained for an indefinite period of time. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Employer reserves the right to terminate this Plan, in whole or in part, at any time. In the event the Plan is terminated, no further contributions shall be made. Benefits under any Insurance Contract shall be paid in accordance with the terms of the Contract.

No further additions shall be made to the Health Care Reimbursement Fund or Dependent Care Assistance Account, but all payments from such fund shall continue to be made according to the elections in effect until 90 days after the termination date of the Plan. Any amounts remaining in any such fund or account as of the end of such period shall be forfeited and deposited in the benefit plan surplus after the expiration of the filing period.

# ARTICLE XI MISCELLANEOUS

### 11.1 PLAN INTERPRETATION

All provisions of this Plan shall be interpreted and applied in a uniform, nondiscriminatory manner. This Plan shall be read in its entirety and not severed except as provided in Section 11.12.

#### 11.2 GENDER AND NUMBER

Wherever any words are used herein in the masculine, feminine or neuter gender, they shall be construed as though they were also used in another gender in all cases where they would so apply, and whenever any words are used herein in the singular or plural form, they

shall be construed as though they were also used in the other form in all cases where they would so apply.

#### 11.3 WRITTEN DOCUMENT

This Plan, in conjunction with any separate written document which may be required by law, is intended to satisfy the written Plan requirement of Code Section 125 and any Treasury regulations thereunder relating to cafeteria plans.

#### 11.4 EXCLUSIVE BENEFIT

This Plan shall be maintained for the exclusive benefit of the Employees who participate in the Plan.

#### 11.5 PARTICIPANT'S RIGHTS

This Plan shall not be deemed to constitute an employment contract between the Employer and any Participant or to be a consideration or an inducement for the employment of any Participant or Employee. Nothing contained in this Plan shall be deemed to give any Participant or Employee the right to be retained in the service of the Employer or to interfere with the right of the Employer to discharge any Participant or Employee at any time regardless of the effect which such discharge shall have upon him as a Participant of this Plan.

#### 11.6 ACTION BY THE EMPLOYER

Whenever the Employer under the terms of the Plan is permitted or required to do or perform any act or matter or thing, it shall be done and performed by a person duly authorized by its legally constituted authority.

#### 11.7 EMPLOYER'S PROTECTIVE CLAUSES

- (a) Upon the failure of either the Participant or the Employer to obtain the insurance contemplated by this Plan (whether as a result of negligence, gross neglect or otherwise), the Participant's Benefits shall be limited to the insurance premium(s), if any, that remained unpaid for the period in question and the actual insurance proceeds, if any, received by the Employer or the Participant as a result of the Participant's claim.
- (b) The Employer's liability to the Participant shall only extend to and shall be limited to any payment actually received by the Employer from the Insurer. In the event that the full insurance Benefit contemplated is not promptly received by the Employer within a reasonable time after submission of a claim, then the Employer shall notify the Participant of such facts and the Employer shall no longer have any legal obligation whatsoever (except to execute any document called for by a settlement reached by the Participant). The Participant shall be free to settle, compromise or refuse to pursue the claim as the Participant, in his sole discretion, shall see fit.
- (c) The Employer shall not be responsible for the validity of any Insurance Contract issued hereunder or for the failure on the part of the Insurer to

make payments provided for under any Insurance Contract. Once insurance is applied for or obtained, the Employer shall not be liable for any loss which may result from the failure to pay Premiums to the extent Premium notices are not received by the Employer.

# 11.8 NO GUARANTEE OF TAX CONSEQUENCES

Neither the Administrator nor the Employer makes any commitment or guarantee that any amounts paid to or for the benefit of a Participant under the Plan will be excludable from the Participant's gross income for federal or state income tax purposes, or that any other federal or state tax treatment will apply to or be available to any Participant. It shall be the obligation of each Participant to determine whether each payment under the Plan is excludable from the Participant's gross income for federal and state income tax purposes, and to notify the Employer if the Participant has reason to believe that any such payment is not so excludable. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the rights of Participants under this Plan shall be legally enforceable.

#### 11.9 INDEMNIFICATION OF EMPLOYER BY PARTICIPANTS

If any Participant receives one or more payments or reimbursements under the Plan that are not for a permitted Benefit, such Participant shall indemnify and reimburse the Employer for any liability it may incur for failure to withhold federal or state income tax or Social Security tax from such payments or reimbursements. However, such indemnification and reimbursement shall not exceed the amount of additional federal and state income tax (plus any penalties) that the Participant would have owed if the payments or reimbursements had been made to the Participant as regular cash compensation, plus the Participant's share of any Social Security tax that would have been paid on such compensation, less any such additional income and Social Security tax actually paid by the Participant.

#### 11.10 FUNDING

Unless otherwise required by law, contributions to the Plan need not be placed in trust or dedicated to a specific Benefit, but may instead be considered general assets of the Employer. Furthermore, and unless otherwise required by law, nothing herein shall be construed to require the Employer or the Administrator to maintain any fund or segregate any amount for the benefit of any Participant, and no Participant or other person shall have any claim against, right to, or security or other interest in, any fund, account or asset of the Employer from which any payment under the Plan may be made.

#### 11.11 GOVERNING LAW

This Plan is governed by the Code and the Treasury regulations issued thereunder (as they might be amended from time to time). In no event shall the Employer guarantee the favorable tax treatment sought by this Plan. To the extent not preempted by Federal law, the provisions of this Plan shall be construed, enforced and administered according to the laws of the State of Florida.

#### 11.12 SEVERABILITY

If any provision of the Plan is held invalid or unenforceable, its invalidity or unenforceability shall not affect any other provisions of the Plan, and the Plan shall be construed and enforced as if such provision had not been included herein.

#### 11.13 CAPTIONS

The captions contained herein are inserted only as a matter of convenience and for reference, and in no way define, limit, enlarge or describe the scope or intent of the Plan, nor in any way shall affect the Plan or the construction of any provision thereof.

#### 11.14 CONTINUATION OF COVERAGE

Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, in the event any benefit under this Plan subject to the continuation coverage requirement of Code Section 4980B becomes unavailable, each Participant will be entitled to continuation coverage as prescribed in Code Section 4980B.

#### 11.15 FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT

Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, in the event any benefit under this Plan becomes subject to the requirements of the Family and Medical Leave Act and regulations thereunder, this Plan shall be operated in accordance with Regulation 1.125-3.

# 11.16 HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT

Notwithstanding anything in this Plan to the contrary, this Plan shall be operated in accordance with HIPAA and regulations thereunder.

## 11.17 UNIFORM SERVICES EMPLOYMENT AND REEMPLOYMENT RIGHTS ACT

Notwithstanding any provision of this Plan to the contrary, contributions, benefits and service credit with respect to qualified military service shall be provided in accordance with USERRA and the regulations thereunder.

#### 11.18 COMPLIANCE WITH HIPAA PRIVACY STANDARDS

- (a) If the Health Care Reimbursement Plan under this Cafeteria Plan is subject to the Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information (45 CFR Part 164, the "Privacy Standards"), then this Section shall apply.
- (b) The Plan shall not disclose Protected Health Information to any member of the Employer's workforce unless each of the conditions set out in this Section are met. "Protected Health Information" shall have the same definition as set forth in the Privacy Standards but generally shall mean individually identifiable information about the past, present or future physical or mental health or condition of an individual, including information about treatment or payment for treatment.

- (c) Protected Health Information disclosed to members of the Employer's workforce shall be used or disclosed by them only for purposes of Plan administrative functions. The Plan's administrative functions shall include all Plan payment functions and health care operations. The terms "payment" and "health care operations" shall have the same definitions as set out in the Privacy Standards, but the term "payment" generally shall mean activities taken to determine or fulfill Plan responsibilities with respect to eligibility, coverage, provision of benefits, or reimbursement for health care.
- (d) The Plan shall disclose Protected Health Information only to members of the Employer's workforce who are authorized to receive such Protected Health Information, and only to the extent and in the minimum amount necessary for that person to perform his or her duties with respect to the Plan. "Members of the Employer's workforce" shall refer to all employees and other persons under the control of the Employer. The Employer shall keep an updated list of those authorized to receive Protected Health Information.
  - (1) An authorized member of the Employer's workforce who receives Protected Health Information shall use or disclose the Protected Health Information only to the extent necessary to perform his or her duties with respect to the Plan.
  - (2) In the event that any member of the Employer's workforce uses or discloses Protected Health Information other than as permitted by this Section and the Privacy Standards, the incident shall be reported to the Plan's privacy officer. The privacy officer shall take appropriate action, including:
    - (i) investigation of the incident to determine whether the breach occurred inadvertently, through negligence or deliberately; whether there is a pattern of breaches; and the degree of harm caused by the breach;
    - (ii) appropriate sanctions against the persons causing the breach which, depending upon the nature of the breach, may include oral or written reprimand, additional training, or termination of employment;
    - (iii) mitigation of any harm caused by the breach, to the extent practicable; and
    - (iv) documentation of the incident and all actions taken to resolve the issue and mitigate any damages.
- (e) The Employer must provide certification to the Plan that it agrees to:
  - (1) Not use or further disclose the information other than as permitted or required by the Plan documents or as required by law;

- (2) Ensure that any agent or subcontractor, to whom it provides Protected Health Information received from the Plan, agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Employer with respect to such information;
- (3) Not use or disclose Protected Health Information for employmentrelated actions and decisions or in connection with any other benefit or employee benefit plan of the Employer;
- (4) Report to the Plan any use or disclosure of the Protected Health Information of which it becomes aware that is inconsistent with the uses or disclosures permitted by this Section, or required by law;
- (5) Make available Protected Health Information to individual Plan members in accordance with Section 164.524 of the Privacy Standards;
- (6) Make available Protected Health Information for amendment by individual Plan members and incorporate any amendments to Protected Health Information in accordance with Section 164.526 of the Privacy Standards;
- (7) Make available the Protected Health Information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to individual Plan members in accordance with Section 164.528 of the Privacy Standards;
- (8) Make its internal practices, books and records relating to the use and disclosure of Protected Health Information received from the Plan available to the Department of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining compliance by the Plan with the Privacy Standards;
- (9) If feasible, return or destroy all Protected Health Information received from the Plan that the Employer still maintains in any form, and retain no copies of such information when no longer needed for the purpose for which disclosure was made, except that, if such return or destruction is not feasible, limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible; and
- (10) Ensure the adequate separation between the Plan and members of the Employer's workforce, as required by Section 164.504(f)(2)(iii) of the Privacy Standards and set out in (d) above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, t	his Plan document is hereby executed this
	Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners
	ByEMPLOYER
WITNESSES AS TO EMPLOYER	

# ADOPTING RESOLUTION

The undersigned Principal of Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners (the Employer) hereby certifies that the following resolutions were duly adopted by the Employer on, and that such resolutions have not been modified or rescinded as of the
date hereof:
RESOLVED, that the form of Cafeteria Plan including a Dependent Care Assistance Program and Health Care Reimbursement Plan effective October 1, 2004, presented to this meeting is hereby approved and adopted and that the duly authorized agents of the Employer are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver to the Administrator of the Plan one or more counterparts of the Plan.
RESOLVED, that the Administrator shall be instructed to take such actions that are deemed necessary and proper in order to implement the Plan, and to set up adequate accounting and administrative procedures to provide benefits under the Plan.
RESOLVED, that the duly authorized agents of the Employer shall act as soon as possible to notify the employees of the Employer of the adoption of the Cafeteria Plan by delivering to each employee a copy of the summary description of the Plan in the form of the Summary Plan Description presented to this meeting, which form is hereby approved.
The undersigned further certifies that attached hereto as Exhibits A and B, respectively, are true copies of Okaloosa County, Florida and the Summary Plan Description approved and adopted in the foregoing resolutions.
Principal
Date:

# SUPPLEMENTAL PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

	A Participation Agreement made and entered into this day of, between Okaloosa County Property Appraiser (hereinafter
	the "Participating Employer"), and Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners eferred to as the "Employer").
	WHEREAS, there exists a Cafeteria Plan entered into on the day of, namely the Okaloosa County, Florida, called the "Plan,"
established by by reference);	the Employer (a copy being attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereoft and
	WHEREAS, the Plan provides that any other Participating Employer may, with the Employer, adopt the Plan and participate therein by a properly executed dencing said intent of said Participating Employer;
Plan, effective consents to su	NOW, THEREFORE, the Participating Employer hereby becomes a party to the ethe day of, and the Employer hereby ich adoption and participation upon the following terms:
	(1) Wherever a right or obligation is imposed upon the Employer by the terms of the Plan, the same shall extend to the Participating Employer as the "Employer" under the Plan and shall be separate and distinct from that imposed upon the Employer. It is the intention of the parties that the Participating Employer shall be a party to the Plan and treated in all respects as the Employer thereunder, with its employees to be considered as the Employees or Participants, as the case may be, thereunder. However, the participation of the Participating Employer in the Plan shall in no way diminish, augment, modify, or in any way affect the rights and duties of the Employer, its Employees, or Participants, under the Plan.
	(2) The execution of this Agreement by this Participating Employer shall be construed as the adoption of the Plan in every respect as if said Plan had this date been executed by the Participating Employer, except as otherwise expressly provided herein or in any amendment that may subsequently be adopted hereto.
	(3) All actions required by the Plan to be taken by the Employer shall be effective with respect to the Participating Employer if taken by the Employer, and the Participating Employer hereby irrevocably designates the Employer as its agent for such purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Participating Employer and the Employer have caused this Supplemental Participation Agreement to be executed in their respective names on the day and date first above written.

Signed, sealed, and delivered in the presence of:	
	Okaloosa County Property Appraiser
	By
	PARTICIPATING EMPLOYER
WITNESSES AS TO	
PARTICIPATING EMPLOYER	
•	Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners
	By
	EMPLOYER
WITNESSES AS TO EMPLOYER	

# ADOPTING RESOLUTION

The undersigned Principal of Okaloosa County Property Appraiser (the Employer) hereby certifies that the following resolutions were duly adopted by the Employer or, and that such resolutions have not been modified or rescinded as of
the date hereof:
RESOLVED, that the form of Cafeteria Plan including a Dependent Care Assistance Program and Health Care Reimbursement Plan effective October 1, 2004, presented to this meeting is hereby approved and adopted and that the duly authorized agents of the Employer are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver to the Administrator of the Plan one or more counterparts of the Plan.
RESOLVED, that the Administrator shall be instructed to take such actions that are deemed necessary and proper in order to implement the Plan, and to set up adequate accounting and administrative procedures to provide benefits under the Plan.
RESOLVED, that the duly authorized agents of the Employer shall act as soon a possible to notify the employees of the Employer of the adoption of the Cafeteria Plan by delivering to each employee a copy of the summary description of the Plan in the form of the Summary Plan Description presented to this meeting, which form is hereby approved.
The undersigned further certifies that attached hereto as Exhibits A and B, respectively, are true copies of Okaloosa County, Florida and the Summary Plan Description approved and adopted in the foregoing resolutions.
Principal
Date:

#### SUPPLEMENTAL PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

A Participation Agreement made and entered into this day of
, between Okaloosa County Tax Collector (hereinafter referred
to as the "Participating Employer"), and Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners (hereinafter
referred to as the "Employer").
WHEREAS, there exists a Cafeteria Plan entered into on the day of
, namely the Okaloosa County, Florida, called the "Plan,"
established by the Employer (a copy being attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof
by reference); and
WHEREAS, the Plan provides that any other Participating Employer may, with
the consent of the Employer, adopt the Plan and participate therein by a properly executed
document evidencing said intent of said Participating Employer;
NOW, THEREFORE, the Participating Employer hereby becomes a party to the
Plan, effective the day of, and the Employer hereby
consents to such adoption and participation upon the following terms:

- (1) Wherever a right or obligation is imposed upon the Employer by the terms of the Plan, the same shall extend to the Participating Employer as the "Employer" under the Plan and shall be separate and distinct from that imposed upon the Employer. It is the intention of the parties that the Participating Employer shall be a party to the Plan and treated in all respects as the Employer thereunder, with its employees to be considered as the Employees or Participants, as the case may be, thereunder. However, the participation of the Participating Employer in the Plan shall in no way diminish, augment, modify, or in any way affect the rights and duties of the Employer, its Employees, or Participants, under the Plan.
- (2) The execution of this Agreement by this Participating Employer shall be construed as the adoption of the Plan in every respect as if said Plan had this date been executed by the Participating Employer, except as otherwise expressly provided herein or in any amendment that may subsequently be adopted hereto.
- (3) All actions required by the Plan to be taken by the Employer shall be effective with respect to the Participating Employer if taken by the Employer, and the Participating Employer hereby irrevocably designates the Employer as its agent for such purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Participating Employer and the Employer have caused this Supplemental Participation Agreement to be executed in their respective names on the day and date first above written.

Signed, sealed, and delivered in the presence of:	
	Okaloosa County Tax Collector
	By
	PARTICIPATING EMPLOYER
WITNESSES AS TO PARTICIPATING EMPLOYER	
	Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners
	ByEMPLOYER
WITNESSES AS TO EMPLOYER	

# ADOPTING RESOLUTION

The undersigned Principal of Okaloosa County Tax Collector (the Employer)
hereby certifies that the following resolutions were duly adopted by the Employer on
, and that such resolutions have not been modified or rescinded as of
the date hereof:
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Principal
Date:

OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA
SUMMARY PLAN DESCRIPTION

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## OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

#### INTRODUCTION

We are pleased to announce that we have established a "flexible benefit plan" for you and other eligible employees. Under this program, you will be able to choose among certain benefits that we make available. The benefits that you may choose are outlined in this summary plan description. We will also tell you about other important information concerning the Plan, such as the rules you must satisfy before you can join and the laws that protect your rights.

One of the most important features of our Plan is that the benefits being offered are generally ones that you are already paying for, but normally with money that has first been subject to income and Social Security taxes. Under our Plan, these same expenses will be paid for with a portion of your pay before Federal income or Social Security taxes are withheld. This means that you will pay less tax and have more money to spend and save.

Read this summary plan description carefully so that you understand the provisions of our Plan and the benefits you will receive. You should direct any questions you have to the Administrator. There is a plan document on file which you may review if you desire. In the event there is a conflict between this summary plan description and the plan document, the Plan document will control. Also, if there is a conflict between an insurance contract and either the plan document or this summary plan description, the insurance contract will control.

#### I ELIGIBILITY

# 1. When Can I Become a Participant in the Plan?

Before you become a member or a "Participant" in the Plan, there are certain rules which you must satisfy. First, you must meet the "eligibility requirements." After that, the next step is to actually join the Plan on the "entry date" that we have established for all employees. You will also be required to complete certain application forms before you can enroll in the Plan.

# 2. What Are the Eligibility Requirements for Our Plan?

You will be eligible to join the Plan once you have satisfied the conditions for coverage under our group medical plan.

## 3. When Is My Entry Date?

Once you have met the eligibility requirements, your entry date will be the first day of the month coinciding with or following the date you met the eligibility requirements.

#### 4. What Must I Do to Enroll in the Plan?

Before you can join the Plan, you must complete an application to participate in the Plan. The application includes your personal choices for each of the benefits which are being offered under the Plan. You must also authorize us to set some of your earnings aside in order to pay for the benefits you have elected.

## II OPERATION

# 1. How Does This Plan Operate?

Before the start of each Plan Year, you will be able to elect to have some of your upcoming pay contributed to the Plan. These amounts will be placed in special funds or accounts which must be set up for you in order to pay for the benefits you have chosen. The portion of your pay that is paid to the Plan is not subject to Federal income or Social Security taxes. In other words, this allows you to use tax-free dollars to pay for certain kinds of benefits and expenses which you normally pay for with out-of-pocket, taxable dollars. However, if you receive a reimbursement for an expense under the Plan, you cannot claim a Federal income tax credit or deduction on your return.

## III CONTRIBUTIONS

# 1. How Much of My Pay May the Employer Redirect?

Each year, you may elect to have us contribute on your behalf enough of your compensation to pay for the benefits that you elect under the Plan. These amounts will be deducted from your pay over the course of the year.

# 2. What Happens to Contributions Made to the Plan?

Before each Plan Year begins, you will select the non-insured benefits you want and how much of the contributions should go toward each benefit. It is very important that you make these choices carefully based on what you expect to spend on each covered benefit or expense during the Plan Year. Later, they will be used to pay for the expenses as they arise during the Plan Year.

## 3. When Must I Decide Which Accounts I Want to Use?

You are required by Federal law to decide before the Plan Year begins, during the "election period." You must decide two things. First, which benefits you want and, second, how much should go toward each benefit.

#### 4. When Is the "Election Period" for Our Plan?

Your election period will start on the date you first meet the "eligibility requirements" and end 30 days after your "entry date." (You should review Section I on Eligibility to better understand the terms "eligibility requirements" and "entry date.") Then, for each following Plan Year, the election period will be the 60 day period prior to the beginning of each Plan Year. (See the Article entitled "General Information About Our Plan" for the definition of Plan Year.)

# 5. May I Change My Elections During the Plan Year?

Generally, you cannot change the elections you have made after the beginning of the Plan Year. However, there are certain limited situations when you can change your elections. You are

permitted to change elections if you have a "change in status" and you make an election change that is consistent with the "change in status." Currently, Federal law considers the following events to be "changes in status":

- -- Marriage, divorce, death of a spouse, legal separation or annulment;
- -- Change in the number of dependents, including birth, adoption, placement for adoption, or death of a dependent;
- -- Any of the following events for you, your spouse or dependent: termination or commencement of employment, a strike or lockout, commencement or return from an unpaid leave of absence, a change in worksite, or any other change in employment status that affects eligibility for benefits;
- One of your dependents satisfies or ceases to satisfy the requirements for coverage due to change in age, student status, or any similar circumstance; and
- -- A change in the place of residence of you, your spouse or dependent.

In addition, if you are participating in the Dependent Care Assistance Program, then there is a "change in status" if your dependent no longer meets the qualifications to be eligible for dependent care.

There are detailed rules on when a change in election is deemed to be consistent with a "change in status." In addition, there are laws that give you rights to change accident and health coverage for you, your spouse, or your dependents. If you change coverage due to rights you have under the law, then you can make a corresponding change in your elections under the Plan. If any of these conditions apply to you, you should contact the Administrator.

If the cost of a benefit provided under the Plan increases or decreases during a Plan Year, then we will automatically increase or decrease, as the case may be, your salary redirection election. If the cost increases significantly, you will be permitted to either make corresponding changes in your payments or revoke your election and obtain coverage under another benefit package option with similar coverage, or revoke your election entirely.

If the coverage under a Benefit is significantly curtailed or ceases during a Plan Year, then you may revoke your elections and elect to receive on a prospective basis coverage under another plan with similar coverage. In addition, if we add a new coverage option or eliminate an existing option, you may elect the newly-added option (or elect another option if an option has been eliminated) and make corresponding election changes to other options providing similar coverage. If you are not a Participant, you may elect to join the Plan. There are also certain situations when you may be able to change your elections on account of a change under the plan of your spouse's, former spouse's or dependent's employer.

These rules on change due to cost or coverage do not apply to the Health Care Reimbursement Plan, and you may not change your election to the Health Care Reimbursement Plan if you make a change due to cost or coverage for insurance.

You may not change your election under the Dependent Care Assistance Program if the cost change is imposed by a dependent care provider who is your relative.

## 6. May I Make New Elections in Future Plan Years?

Yes, you may. For each new Plan Year, you may change the elections that you previously made. You may also choose not to participate in the Plan for the upcoming Plan Year. If you do not make new elections during the "election period" before a new Plan Year begins, we will consider that to mean you have elected not to participate for the upcoming Plan Year.

# IV BENEFITS

#### 1. What Benefits Are Available?

Under our Plan, you can choose to receive your entire compensation or use a portion to pay for the following benefits or expenses during the year:

#### Health Care Reimbursement Plan:

The Health Care Reimbursement Plan enables you to pay for expenses which are not covered by our insured medical plan or privately held insurance policies and save taxes at the same time. The account allows you to be reimbursed by the Employer for out-of-pocket medical, dental and/or vision expenses incurred by you and your dependents. The expenses which qualify are those allowed under Sections 105 and 213(d) of the Internal Revenue Code, including "overthe-counter" drugs. A list of covered expenses is available from the Administrator. You may not, however, be reimbursed for the cost of other health care coverage maintained outside of the Plan, or for long-term care expenses.

The most that you can contribute to your Health Care Reimbursement Plan each Plan Year is \$2,600. In order to be reimbursed for a health care expense, you must submit to the Administrator an itemized bill from the service provider. We will also provide you with a debit or credit card to use to pay for medical expenses, such as co-pays, deductibles, medical equipment and drug costs. The Administrator will provide you with further details. Amounts reimbursed from the Plan may not be claimed as a deduction on your personal income tax return. Reimbursement from the fund shall be paid at least once a month.

Newborns' and Mothers' Health Protection Act: Group health plans generally may not, under Federal law, restrict benefits for any hospital length of stay in connection with childbirth for the mother or newborn child to less than 48 hours following a vaginal delivery, or less than 96 hours following a cesarean section. However, Federal law generally does not prohibit the mother's or newborn's attending provider, after consulting with the mother, from discharging the mother or her newborn earlier than 48 hours (or 96 hours as applicable). In any case, plans and issuers may not, under Federal law, require that a provider obtain authorization from the plan or the issuer for prescribing a length of stay not in excess of 48 hours (or 96 hours).

## Dependent Care Assistance Account:

The Dependent Care Assistance Account enables you to pay for out-of-pocket, work-related dependent day-care cost with pre-tax dollars. If you are married, you can use the account if you and your spouse both work or, in some situations, if your spouse goes to school full-time. Single employees can also use the account.

An eligible dependent is any member of your household for whom you can claim expenses on Federal Income Tax Form 2441 "Credit for Child and Dependent Care Expenses." Children must be under age 13. Other dependents must be physically or mentally unable to care for themselves. Dependent Care arrangements which qualify include:

- -- A Dependent (Day) Care Center, provided that if care is provided by the facility for more than six individuals, the facility complies with applicable state and local laws.
- -- An Educational Institution for pre-school children. For older children, only expenses for non-school care are eligible.
- -- An "Individual" who provides care inside or outside your home. The "Individual" may not be a child of yours under age 19 or anyone you claim as a dependent for Federal tax purposes.

You should make sure that the dependent care expenses you are currently paying for qualify under our Plan. The law places limits on the amount of money that can be paid to you in a calendar year from your Dependent Care Assistance Account. Generally, your reimbursements may not exceed the lesser of: (a) \$5,000 (if you are married filing a joint return or you are head of a household) or \$2,500 (if you are married filing separate returns); (b) your taxable compensation; (c) your spouse's actual or deemed earned income (a spouse who is a full time student or incapable of caring for himself/herself has a monthly earned income of \$250 for one dependent or \$500 for two or more dependents). Also, in order to have the reimbursements made to you from this account be excludable from your income, you must provide a statement from the service provider including the name, address, and in most cases, the taxpayer identification number of the service provider on your tax form for the year, as well as the amount of such expense as proof that the expense has been incurred. In addition, Federal tax laws permit a tax credit for certain dependent care expenses you may be paying for even if you are not a Participant in this Plan. You may save more money if you take advantage of this tax credit rather than using the Dependent Care Assistance Account under our Plan. Ask your tax adviser which is better for you.

#### Premium Expense Account:

A Premium Expense Account allows you to use tax-free dollars to pay for certain premium expenses under various insurance programs that we offer you. These premium expenses include:

- -- Health care premiums for your spouse and dependents under our insured group medical plan.
- -- Health care premiums under privately held insurance policies.

- -- Group term life insurance premiums.
- -- Dental insurance premiums.
- -- Disability insurance premiums.
- -- Disability insurance premiums under privately held insurance policies.
- -- Cancer insurance premiums.
- -- Vision insurance premiums.
- -- Accidental death and dismemberment insurance premiums.
- -- Prescription drug coverage.
- -- Other insurance coverage that we may provide.

Under our Plan, we will establish sub-accounts for you for each different type of insurance coverage that is available. Also, certain limits on the amount of coverage may apply.

The Administrator may terminate or modify Plan benefits at any time, subject to the provisions of any insurance contracts providing benefits described above. We will not be liable to you if an insurance company fails to provide any of the benefits described above. Also, your insurance will end when you leave employment, are no longer eligible under the terms of any insurance policies, or when insurance terminates.

Any benefits to be provided by insurance will be provided only after (1) you have provided the Administrator the necessary information to apply for insurance, and (2) the insurance is in effect for you.

"Privately held insurance policies" do not include coverage obtained through a spouse's employment. Cost of these policies will only be reimbursed on adequate proof of coverage.

#### V BENEFIT PAYMENTS

# 1. When Will I Receive Payments From My Accounts?

During the course of the Plan Year, you may submit requests for reimbursement of expenses you have incurred. Expenses are considered "incurred" when the service is performed, not necessarily when it is paid for. The Administrator will provide you with acceptable forms for submitting these requests for reimbursement. If the request qualifies as a benefit or expense that the Plan has agreed to pay, you will receive a reimbursement payment soon thereafter. Remember, these reimbursements which are made from the Plan are generally not subject to federal income tax or withholding. Nor are they subject to Social Security taxes. Requests for payment of insured benefits should be made directly to the insurer. You will only be reimbursed

from the Dependent Care Assistance Account to the extent that there are sufficient funds in the Account to cover your request.

# 2. What Happens If I Don't Spend All Plan Contributions?

Any monies left at the end of the Plan Year will be forfeited. Obviously, qualifying expenses that you incur late in the Plan Year for which you seek reimbursement after the end of such Plan Year will be paid first before any amount is forfeited. However, you must make your requests for reimbursement no later than 90 days after the end of the Plan Year. Because it is possible that you might forfeit amounts in the Plan if you do not fully use the contributions that have been made, it is important that you decide how much to place in each account carefully and conservatively. Remember, you must decide which benefits you want to contribute to and how much to place in each account before the Plan Year begins. You want to be as certain as you can that the amount you decide to place in each account will be used up entirely.

# 3. Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA)

If you take leave under the Family and Medical Leave Act, you may revoke or change your existing elections for health insurance, group-term life insurance and the Health Care Reimbursement Plan. If your coverage in these benefits terminates, due to your revocation of the benefit while on leave or due to your non-payment of contributions, you will be permitted to reinstate coverage for the remaining part of the Plan Year upon your return. For the Health Care Reimbursement Plan, you may continue your coverage or you may revoke your coverage and resume it when you return. You can resume your coverage at its original level and make payments for the time that you are on leave. For example, if you elect \$1,200 for the year and are out on leave for 3 months, then return and elect to resume your coverage at that level, your remaining payments will be increased to cover the difference - from \$100 per month to \$150 per month. Alternatively your maximum amount will be reduced proportionately for the time that you were gone. For example, if you elect \$1,200 for the year and are out on leave for 3 months, your amount will be reduced to \$900. The expenses you incur during the time you are not in the Health Care Reimbursement Plan are not reimbursable.

If you continue your coverage during your unpaid leave, you may pre-pay for the coverage, you may pay for your coverage on an after-tax basis while you are on leave, or you and your Employer may arrange a schedule for you to "catch up" your payments when you return.

# 4. Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA)

If you are going into or returning from military service, you may have special rights to health care coverage under your Health Care Reimbursement Plan under the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act of 1994. These rights can include extended health care coverage. If you may be affected by this law, ask your Administrator for further details.

# 5. What Happens If I Terminate Employment?

If you leave our employ during the Plan Year, your right to benefits will be determined in the following manner:

- -- You will remain covered by insurance, but only for the period for which premiums have been paid prior to your termination of employment.
- -- You will still be able to request reimbursement for qualifying dependent care expenses for the remainder of the Plan Year from the balance remaining in your dependent care account at the time of termination of employment. However, no further salary redirection contributions will be made on your behalf after you terminate. You must submit all claims within 90 days of termination of employment.
- -- Your participation in the Health Care Reimbursement Plan will cease, and no further salary redirection contributions will be contributed on your behalf. However, you will be able to submit claims for health care expenses incurred prior to your date of termination. You must submit all claims within 90 days of termination of employment.

Under Federal law, if you, your spouse, and/or your covered dependents ("qualified beneficiaries") lose coverage under this Plan, then you, your spouse, and/or your covered dependents may be entitled to continuation of health care coverage. The Administrator will inform you of these rights if you lose coverage for any reason other than divorce, legal separation or a covered dependent ceasing to be a dependent. Generally, if we (and any related companies) employed twenty (20) or more employees "on a typical business day" in the preceding calendar year, health plan continuation must be made available for a period not to exceed eighteen (18) months if a loss of benefits occurs because of your termination of employment or reduction of hours, or for a period that could be extended for a second eighteen (18) month period, not to exceed thirty-six (36) months for any of the other reasons given in (b) and (c) below, if these events happen while a qualified beneficiary is already on COBRA continuation coverage. Under certain circumstances, persons who are disabled at the time of termination of employment or reduction in hours and/or within the first 60 days of COBRA coverage may be eligible for continuation of coverage for a total of 29 months (rather than 18). You should check with the Administrator for more details regarding this extended coverage. However, in certain circumstances, this continuation coverage may be terminated for reasons such as failure to pay continuation coverage cost, coverage under another employer's plan (whether as an employee or otherwise, provided the other employer's health plan does not contain any exclusion or limitation with respect to any pre-existing condition of the beneficiary unless the pre-existing condition limit does not apply to, or is satisfied by, the qualified beneficiary by reason of the group health plan portability, access and renewability requirements of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act or the Public Health Services Act), termination of our health plan, a "for cause" termination of coverage for reasons such as fraud, or you (or the person entitled to continued coverage) become enrolled in Medicare. However, if you become enrolled in Medicare, your covered dependents may still qualify for continuation coverage. The cost of continuation coverage must be paid by the individual choosing such coverage; however, the cost may not exceed 102% of the cost of the same coverage for a "similarly situated" employee or family member. When the continuation coverage for a disabled person is extended from 18 months to 29 months, the disabled person may be charged 150% (rather than 102%) of the cost of the coverage after expiration of the initial 18-month period.

(a) If you would otherwise lose your health plan coverage under this Plan because of a termination of employment (other than for reasons of gross misconduct) or reduction in hours, you may continue the health plan coverage provided under this Plan. However, this will not be a tax-deductible expense to you, absent unusual circumstances.

Your spouse or covered dependents may also continue health plan coverage for these reasons.

- (b) Your spouse may choose continuation coverage for himself or herself if he or she loses group health coverage for any of the following reasons: (1) your death; (2) your divorce or legal separation; or (3) you become enrolled in Medicare.
- (c) Your dependent children, including a child born to or placed for adoption with the Participant during the period of COBRA coverage, may choose continuation coverage for themselves if they lose group health coverage for any of the following reasons: (1) death of a parent-employee; (2) your divorce or legal separation; (3) you become enrolled in Medicare; or (4) your dependent ceases to be a "dependent child" under the Plan.

It is your responsibility to notify the Plan Administrator of a divorce, legal separation or other change in marital status, change in a spouse's address, or a child losing dependent status under the plan, within sixty (60) days of the event. It is our responsibility to notify the Plan Administrator of your death, termination of employment or reduction in hours, the Employer's bankruptcy (if it results in a loss of coverage), or Medicare eligibility (1) within thirty (30) days of any of these events or (2) within thirty (30) days following the date coverage ends.

You can elect to continue your participation in the Health Care Reimbursement Plan for the remainder of the Plan Year, subject to the following conditions. You may only continue to participate in the Health Care Reimbursement Plan if you have contributed more money than you have taken out in claims. For example, if you elected to contribute an annual amount of \$500 and, at the time you terminate employment, you have contributed \$300 but only claimed \$150, you may elect to continue coverage under the Health Care Reimbursement Plan. If you elect to continue coverage, then you would be able to continue to receive your health care reimbursements up to the \$500. However, you must continue to pay for the coverage, just as the money has been taken out of your paycheck, but on an after-tax basis. The Plan can also charge you an extra amount to provide this benefit. When you terminate employment the Administrator will provide you with a notice regarding your right to continue coverage.

## 6. Will My Social Security Benefits Be Affected?

Your Social Security benefits may be slightly reduced because when you receive tax-free benefits under our Plan, it reduces the amount of contributions that you make to the Federal Social Security system as well as our contribution to Social Security on your behalf.

## VI HIGHLY COMPENSATED AND KEY EMPLOYEES

## 1. Do Limitations Apply to Highly Compensated Employees?

Under the Internal Revenue Code, "highly compensated employees" and "key employees" generally are Participants who are officers, shareholders or highly paid. You will be notified by the Administrator each Plan Year whether you are a "highly compensated employee" or a "key employee."

If you are within these categories, the amount of contributions and benefits for you may be limited so that the Plan as a whole does not unfairly favor those who are highly paid, their spouses or their dependents. Federal tax laws state that a plan will be considered to unfairly favor the key employees if they as a group receive more than 25% of all of the nontaxable benefits provided for under our Plan.

Plan experience will dictate whether contribution limitations on "highly compensated employees" or "key employees" will apply. You will be notified of these limitations if you are affected.

# VII PLAN ACCOUNTING

#### 1. Periodic Statements

The Administrator will provide you with a statement of your account periodically during the Plan Year that shows your account balance. It is important to read these statements carefully so you understand the balance remaining to pay for a benefit. Remember, you want to spend all the money you have designated for a particular benefit by the end of the Plan Year.

# VIII GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT OUR PLAN

This Section contains certain general information which you may need to know about the Plan.

#### 1. General Plan Information

Okaloosa County, Florida is the name of the Plan.

Your Employer has assigned Plan Number 504 to your Plan.

The provisions of the Plan become effective on October 1, 2004, which is called the Effective Date of the Plan.

Your Plan's records are maintained on a twelve-month period of time. This is known as the Plan Year. The Plan Year begins on October 1 and ends on September 30.

## 2. Employer Information

Your Employer's name, address, and identification number are:

Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners 601 A N. Pearl St. #204 Crestview, Florida 32536 59-6000765 The Plan allows other employers to adopt its provisions. You or your beneficiaries may examine or obtain a complete list of employers, if any, who have adopted your Plan by making a written request to the Administrator.

Other Employers who have adopted the provisions of the Plan are:

Okaloosa County Property Appraiser 151 D NE Eglin Parkway Fort Walton Beach, FL 32548 59-0944574

Okaloosa County Tax Collector 151 E Eglin Parkway Fort Walton Beach, FL 32548 59-6002870

#### 3. Plan Administrator Information

The name, address and business telephone number of your Plan's Administrator are:

Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners 601 A N. Pearl St. #204 Crestview, Florida 32536 (850) 689-5977

The Administrator keeps the records for the Plan and is responsible for the administration of the Plan. The Administrator will also answer any questions you may have about our Plan. You may contact the Administrator for any further information about the Plan.

# 4. Service of Legal Process

The name and address of the Plan's agent for service of legal process are:

Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners 601 A N. Pearl St. #204 Crestview, Florida 32536

## 5. Type of Administration

The type of Administration is Employer Administration.

#### 6. Claims Submission

Claims for expenses should be submitted to:

MGIS P.O. Box 16110 Salt Lake City, UT 84116-0110

## IX ADDITIONAL PLAN INFORMATION

#### 1. Claims Process

You should submit reimbursement claims during the Plan Year, but in no event later than 90 days after the end of a Plan Year. However, if you terminate employment during the Plan Year, you must submit your claims within 90 days after your termination of employment. Any claims submitted after that time will not be considered. Claims for benefits that are insured will be reviewed in accordance with procedures contained in the policies. All other general claims or requests should be directed to the Administrator of our Plan. If a non-insured claim under the Plan is denied in whole or in part, you or your beneficiary will receive written notification. The notification will include the reasons for the denial, with reference to the specific provisions of the Plan on which the denial was based, a description of any additional information needed to process the claim and an explanation of the claims review procedure. If we fail to respond within 90 days, your claim is treated as denied. Within 60 days after denial, you or your beneficiary may submit a written request for reconsideration of the application to the Administrator.

Any such request should be accompanied by documents or records in support of your appeal. You or your beneficiary may review pertinent documents and submit issues and comments in writing. The Administrator will review the claim and provide, within 60 days, a written response to the appeal. (This period may be extended an additional 60 days under certain circumstances.) In this response, the Administrator will explain the reason for the decision, with specific reference to the provisions of the Plan on which the decision is based. The Administrator has the exclusive right to interpret the appropriate plan provisions. Decisions of the Administrator are conclusive and binding.

# X SUMMARY

The money you earn is important to you and your family. You need it to pay your bills, enjoy recreational activities and save for the future. Our flexible benefits plan will help you keep more of the money you earn by lowering the amount of taxes you pay. The Plan is the result of our continuing efforts to find ways to help you get the most for your earnings.

If you have any questions, please contact the Administrator.