## SIGNATURE AUTHORIZATION FORM (SAF) WASHINGTON MILITARY DEPARTMENT

Camp Murray, Washington 98430-5122

Please read instructions on page 2 before completing this form.

NAME OF ORGANIZATION			DATE SUBMITTED
GRANT PROGRAM - Acronyms Accepted			AGREEMENT NUMBER(S)
1. AUTHORIZING AUTHORITY			
PHYSICAL SIGNATURE	E-SIGNATURE	PRINT OR TYPE NAME	TITLE & TERM OF OFFICE (If applicable)
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2. AUTHORIZED TO SIGN AGREEMENTS / AMENDMENTS			
PHYSICAL SIGNATURE	E-SIGNATURE	PRINT OR TYPE NAME	TITLE & TERM OF OFFICE (If applicable)
3. AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REQUESTS FOR REIMBURSEMENT			
PHYSICAL SIGNATURE	E-SIGNATURE	PRINT OR TYPE NAME	TITLE & TERM OF OFFICE (If applicable)

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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SIGNATURE AUTHORIZATION FORM (SAF)

This form identifies the authorizing authority(ies) and person(s) who have the authority to sign agreements, amendments, and requests for reimbursement. It is required for the management of your agreement with the Washington Military Department (WMD). Please complete all sections. The signature and/or e-signatures included on this SAF must match what is on the agreement, amendment, debarment form, and A-19 invoice voucher submitted. It is required that the signatures in WMD's files are current. Changes in staffing or responsibilities will require a new SAF.

At least one person must be assigned to each of the three roles and the same person can be assigned to multiple roles. If more than one individual will be signing an agreement, amendment, or reimbursement request please make sure everyone signs this form. If additional lines are needed, please fill out two forms and title them 1 of 2 and 2 of 2.

- 1. **Authorizing Authority.** Generally, the person(s) signing in this section heads the governing body of the organization such as the board chair or mayor. In some cases, the chief executive officer may have been delegated this authority.
- 2. **Authorized to Sign Agreements / Amendments.** The person(s) given the authority to bind the agency/organization to the terms and conditions of the agreement. Usually, it is the county commissioner, mayor, executive director, city clerk, etc.
- 3. Authorized to Sign Requests for Reimbursement. Often the executive director, city clerk, treasurer, or administrative assistant have this authority. When a request for reimbursement is received, the signature on the A-19 invoice voucher is verified that it matches the signature on this form. <a href="It is advisable to have more than one person authorized to sign reimbursement requests">It is advisable to have more than one person authorized to sign reimbursement requests</a>. This will help prevent delays in processing a request if one person is temporarily unavailable. The payment can be delayed if the request is presented without the proper signature.

Once filled out, send the original to WMD with the signed agreement. It is recommended you keep a copy with the executed agreement in your files. Multiple grant agreements can be included on one SAF if they are all under the same grant program (e.g., 22EMPG and 23EMPG). Two distinct grant programs cannot be included on the same SAF (e.g., SHSP and EMPG).

If you have any questions regarding this form or to request new forms, please call your main grant point of contact at WMD.