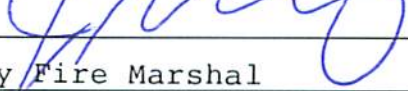


**TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR
AFFIDAVIT FOR PAYMENT OF MEMBERSHIP DUES**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HIDALGO**

I, Juan Martinez, do hereby state that my membership in the National Fire Protection Association on behalf of Hidalgo County and dues to be paid by Hidalgo County is necessary in the performance of my duties as an official employee of Hidalgo County. I further state to the best of my knowledge and belief the following:

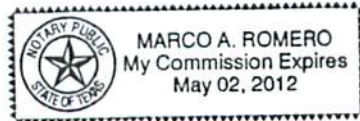
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3. Neither the association or organization nor an employee of the association or organization directly or indirectly influences or attempts to influence the outcome of any legislation pending before the legislature.
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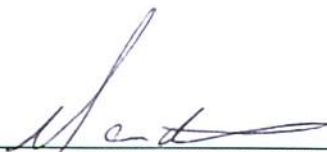
SIGNATURE: 
TITLE: Deputy Fire Marshal

DATE: 8/19/08

Before me Marco A. Romero, a Notary Public, appeared JUAN G. MARTINEZ, and on his/her oath deposed and stated that the facts as set forth in the above affidavit to be true and correct in every respect.

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NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR
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AUTHORITY TO OBTAIN AFFIDAVIT:	LGC § 113.064(b)
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Organization Hidalgo County
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