

# LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICER CONFLICTS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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(Instructions for completing and filing this form are provided on the next page.)

This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 1491, 80th Leg., Regular Session.

This is the notice to the appropriate local governmental entity that the following local government officer has become aware of facts that require the officer to file this statement in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code.

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

Date Received

1 Name of Local Government Officer

RUBEN ORTEGA

2 Office Held

3 Name of person described by Sections 176.002(a) and 176.003(a), Local Government Code

4 Description of the nature and extent of employment or other business relationship with person named in item 3

Pinnacle Propane sell to county

5 List gifts accepted by the local government officer and any family member, excluding gifts described by Section 176.003(a-1), if aggregate value of the gifts accepted from person named in item 3 exceed \$250 during the 12-month period described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(B)

Date Gift Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ Description of Gift \_\_\_\_\_

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(attach additional forms as necessary)

6 AFFIDAVIT



AFFIX NOTARY STAMP / SEAL ABOVE

I swear under penalty of perjury that the above statement is true and correct. I acknowledge that the disclosure applies to a family member (as defined by Section 176.001(2), Local Government Code) of this local government officer. I also acknowledge that this statement covers the 12-month period described by Section 176.003(a), Local Government Code.

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Signature of Local Government Officer

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by the said Ruben Ortega this the 14<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023, to certify which, witness my hand and seal of office

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Signature of officer administering oath

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Notary Public

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Notary Public  
Title of officer administering oath

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICER CONFLICTS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Section 176.003 of the Local Government Code requires certain local government officers to file this form. A "local government officer" is defined as a member of the governing body of a local governmental entity; a director, superintendent, administrator, president, or other person designated as the executive officer of the local governmental entity; or an employee of a local governmental entity with respect to whom the local governmental entity has, in accordance with Section 176.005, extended the requirements of Sections 176.003 and 176.004. This form is required to be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than 5 p.m. on the seventh business day after the date on which the officer becomes aware of the facts that require the filing of this statement.

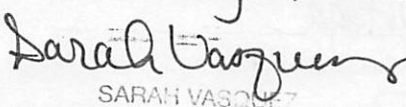
A local government officer commits an offense if the officer knowingly violates Section 176.003, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor.

Please refer to chapter 176 of the Local Government Code for detailed information regarding the requirement to file this form.

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM

*The following numbers correspond to the numbered boxes on the other side.*

1. **Name of Local Government Officer.** Enter the name of the local government officer filing this statement.
2. **Office Held.** Enter the name of the office held by the local government officer filing this statement.
3. **Name of person described by Sections 176.002(a) and 176.003(a), Local Government Code.** Enter the name of the person described by Section 176.002, Local Government Code with whom the officer has an employment or other business relationship as described by Section 176.003(a), Local Government Code.
4. **Description of the nature and extent of employment or business relationship with person named in item 3.** Describe the nature and extent of the employment or other business relationship with the person in item 3 as described by Section 176.003(a), Local Government Code.
5. **List gifts accepted, excluding gifts described by Section 176.003(a-1), if aggregate value of the gifts accepted from person named in item 3 exceed \$250.** List gifts accepted during the 12-month period (described by Section 176.003(a), Local Government Code) by the local government officer or family member of the officer, excluding gifts described by Section 176.003(a-1), from the person named in item 3 that in the aggregate exceed \$250 in value.
6. **Affidavit.** Signature of local government officer.

At 11:59 FILED  
Date February 24, 2023 o'clock A M  
  
SARAH VASQUEZ  
County Clerk, Brewster County, TX  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy

*Emailed by  
Kim from Judge's  
Office Requested  
Originals.*