



# Equal Employment Opportunity Self-Identification Applicant Survey

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Position Applied For: \_\_\_\_\_

## Survey of Sex, Ethnic Group and Race

Cairo-Durham Central School District (District) is an equal opportunity employer and government contractor. It has been and shall continue to be both the official policy and the commitment of the District, including all its divisions to further equal employment opportunities in hiring or employment. The District is committed to the employment and advancement of minorities, females, individuals with disabilities, and veterans. No question on this form is intended to secure information to be used for such discrimination. If you fall into one of these protected classifications, we invite you to identify to yourself and receive coverage under the District's Affirmative Action Plan.

Completion of this form is voluntary and in no way affects the decision regarding your employment opportunity. The District is required by federal regulations to report information as requested below. The information provided will be held in the strictest confidence, will be maintained in a separate file, and will not be used in a manner inconsistent with the Acts. You may inform us of your status related to the following data or your change in status at this time and/or any time in the future.

**Select the categories that apply. See definitions below.**

|               |   |  |
|---------------|---|--|
| Sex:          | <input type="checkbox"/> Male                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Female                                    |
| Ethnic Group: | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino               | <input type="checkbox"/> Not Hispanic or Latino                    |
| Race:         | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander |
|               | <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American        | <input type="checkbox"/> White                                     |
|               | <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native | <input type="checkbox"/> Two or More races                         |

### Definitions – Race / Ethnic Groups

**Hispanic or Latino** – A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin regardless of race.

**White (Not Hispanic or Latino)** – A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.

**Black or African American (Not Hispanic or Latino)** – A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

**Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (Not Hispanic or Latino)** – A person having origins in any of the peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.

**Asian (Not Hispanic or Latino)** – A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian Subcontinent, including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam.

**American Indian or Alaska Native (Not Hispanic or Latino)** – A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America), and who maintain tribal affiliation or community attachment.

**Two or More Races (Not Hispanic or Latino)** – All persons who identify with more than one of the above five races.



## Applicant Survey Survey of Protected Veteran Status

Cairo-Durham Central School District is a government contractor subject to the Vietnam Era Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, as amended (Section 4212), which requires government contractors to take affirmative action to employ and advance in employment: (1) disabled veterans; (2) recently separated veterans; (3) active duty wartime or campaign badge veterans; and (4) Armed Forces service medal veterans. The District's affirmative action policy prohibits discrimination and requires us to take affirmative action to employ and advance in employment qualified protected veterans at all levels of employment. The below invitation is made pursuant to this policy.

Disclosure of this information is voluntary and refusing to provide it will not subject you to any adverse treatment. The information will be used only in ways that are consistent with Section 4212. The information you submit will be kept confidential, except that (i) supervisors and managers may be informed regarding restrictions on the work or duties of disabled veterans, and regarding necessary accommodations; (ii) first aid and safety personnel may be informed, when and to the extent appropriate, if you have a condition that might require emergency treatment; and (iii) government officials engaged in enforcing laws administered by the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, or enforcing the Americans with Disabilities Act, may be informed.

Protected veterans may have additional rights under USERRA—the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act. In particular, if you were absent from employment in order to perform service in the uniformed service, you may be entitled to be reemployed by your employer in the position you would have obtained with reasonable certainty if not for the absence due to service. For more information, call the U.S. Department of Labor's Veterans Employment and Training Service ("VETS"), toll-free, at 1-866-4-USA-DOL.

### INVITATION TO SELF-IDENTIFY

Do you identify as one (or more) of the following protected veteran categories? See Categories and definitions below. *Please check the appropriate box below this section. NOTE: You do not have to indicate which specific category applies.*

**Disabled Veteran:** (i) a veteran of the U.S. military, ground, naval, or air service who is entitled to compensation (or who but for the receipt of military retired pay would be entitled to compensation) under laws administered by the Secretary of Veteran Affairs; or (ii) a person who was discharged or released from active duty because of a service-connected disability.

**Recently Separated Veteran:** any veteran during the three-year period beginning on the date of such veteran's discharge or release from active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval, or air service.

**Armed Forces Service Medal Veteran:** a veteran who, while serving on active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval, or air service, participated in a United States military operation for which an Armed Forces medal was awarded pursuant to Executive Order 12985.

**Active Duty Wartime or Campaign Badge Veteran:** a veteran who served on active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval, or air service either during a "period of war" as defined below or in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge has been authorized under the laws administered by the Department of Defense.

**"Period of war"** is defined for these purposes by the Department of Labor as:

- June 27, 1950 to January 31, 1955 (Korean conflict)
- February 28, 1961 to May 7, 1975 (for veterans serving in the Republic of Vietnam)
- August 5, 1964 to May 7, 1975 (for all other veterans who served during the Vietnam conflict)
- August 2, 1990 to the present (Gulf War)



**If you believe you belong to any of the categories of protected veterans listed above, please indicate by checking the appropriate box below.**

- I IDENTIFY AS ONE OR MORE OF THE CLASSIFICATIONS OF PROTECTED VETERAN LISTED ABOVE.
- I AM NOT A PROTECTED VETERAN.
- I DECLINE TO ANSWER.

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## Voluntary Self-Identification of Disability

Form CC-305  
OMB Control Number 1250-0005  
Expires 1/31/2020  
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### Why are you being asked to complete this form?

Because we do business with the government, we must reach out to, hire, and provide equal opportunity to qualified people with disabilities.<sup>1</sup> To help us measure how well we are doing, we are asking you to tell us if you have a disability or if you ever had a disability. Completing this form is voluntary, but we hope that you will choose to fill it out. If you are applying for a job, any answer you give will be kept private and will not be used against you in any way.

If you already work for us, your answer will not be used against you in any way. Because a person may become disabled at any time, we are required to ask all of our employees to update their information every five years. You may voluntarily self-identify as having a disability on this form without fear of any punishment because you did not identify as having a disability earlier.

### How do I know if I have a disability?

You are considered to have a disability if you have a physical or mental impairment or medical condition that substantially limits a major life activity, or if you have a history or record of such an impairment or medical condition.

Disabilities include, but are not limited to:

- Blindness
- Autism
- Bipolar disorder
- Post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)
- Deafness
- Cerebral palsy
- Major depression
- Obsessive compulsive disorder
- Cancer
- HIV/AIDS
- Multiple sclerosis (MS)
- Impairments requiring the use of a wheelchair
- Diabetes
- Schizophrenia
- Missing limbs or partially missing limbs
- Intellectual disability (previously called mental retardation)
- Epilepsy
- Muscular dystrophy

Please check one of the boxes below:

- YES, I HAVE A DISABILITY (or previously had a disability)
- NO, I DON'T HAVE A DISABILITY
- I DON'T WISH TO ANSWER

\_\_\_\_\_  
Your Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Today's Date



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### Reasonable Accommodation Notice

Federal law requires employers to provide reasonable accommodation to qualified individuals with disabilities. Please tell us if you require a reasonable accommodation to apply for a job or to perform your job. Examples of reasonable accommodation include making a change to the application process or work procedures, providing documents in an alternate format, using a sign language interpreter, or using specialized equipment.

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<sup>1</sup> Section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended. For more information about this form or the equal employment obligations of Federal contractors, visit the U.S. Department of Labor's Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP) website at [www.dol.gov/ofccp](http://www.dol.gov/ofccp).

**PUBLIC BURDEN STATEMENT:** According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless such collection displays a valid OMB control number. This survey should take about 5 minutes to complete.



## Information for Requesting Information About An Accommodation

The District has appointed the following individual(s) as the official(s) responsible for processing requests for reasonable accommodation from applicants and employees with disabilities:

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|-----------------|--|
| Name            | Gina M. Pambianchi   |
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