



# CITY OF BOSTON JOBS AND LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE

THE LIVING WAGE DIVISION • (617) 918-5236

## VENDORS LIVING WAGE AFFIDAVIT

Any for-profit or not-for-profit vendor who employs at least 25 full-time equivalents (FTEs) and who has been awarded a service contract of \$25,000 or more from the City of Boston must comply with the provisions of the Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance which requires any such vendors to pay at least the **living wage which is \$15.31 per hour** to any employee who directly expends his or her time on the services set out in the contract. All subcontractors whose subcontracts are at least \$25,000 are also required to pay the living wage.

*If you are bidding on or negotiating a service contract that meets the above criteria, you should submit this affidavit prior to the awarding of the contract. If you believe that you are exempt from the Living Wage Ordinance, complete Section 4: Exemption from Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance, or if you are requesting a general waiver, please complete Section 5: General Waiver Reason(s).*

**WARNING:** No service contract will be executed until this affidavit is completed, signed and submitted to the contracting department

**IMPORTANT:** Please print in ink or type all required information. Assistance in completing this form may be obtained by calling or visiting the Living Wage Administrator, the Living Wage Division of the Office of Workforce Development, telephone: (617) 918-5236, or your contracting department.

**Part 1: VENDOR INFORMATION:**

Name of vendor: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Vendor address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State/Zip code

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 2: CONTRACT INFORMATION:**

Name of the program or project under which the contract or subcontract is being awarded:  
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Contracting City of Boston department: \_\_\_\_\_

Start date of contract: \_\_\_\_\_ End date of contract: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of contract:  1 year  2 years  3 years  Other: \_\_\_\_\_ (years)

**PART 3: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Please answer the following questions regarding your company or organization:

1. Your company or organization is: *check one*:

- For profit
- Not for profit

2. Total number of "FTE" employees which you employ company-wide (full time + combined part-time employees) (Example: 24 full-time staff + 2 part-time staff working 20 hours a week = 25 FTEs.)

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3. Total number of individual employees who will be assigned to work on the above-stated contract:

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Do you anticipate hiring any additional employees to perform the work of the service contract?

- Yes
- No

*If yes*, how many additional FTEs do you plan to hire? \_\_\_\_\_

**PART 4: EXEMPTION FROM BOSTON JOBS AND LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE**

Any vendor who qualifies may request an exemption from the provisions of the Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance by completing the following:

I hereby request an exemption from the Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance for the following reason(s): Attach any pertinent documents to this application to prove that you are exempt from the Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance. Please check the appropriate box(es) below:

- The construction contract awarded by the City of Boston is subject to the state prevailing wage law; or
- Assistance or contracts awarded to youth programs, provided that the contract is for stipends to youth in the program. "Youth Program" means any city, state, or federally funded program which employs youth, as defined by city, state, or federal guidelines, during the summer, or as part of a school to work program, or in other related seasonal or part-time program; or
- Assistance or contracts awarded to work-study or cooperative educational programs, provided that the Assistance or contract is for stipends to students in the programs; or
- Assistance and contracts awarded to vendors who provide services to the City and are awarded to vendors who provide trainees a stipend or wage as part of a job training program and provides the trainees with additional services, which may include but are not limited to room and board, case management, and job readiness services, and provided further that the trainees do not replace current City-funded positions.

Please give a full statement describing in detail the reasons you are exempt from the Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance (attach additional sheets if necessary):

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**PART 5. GENERAL WAIVER REASON(S)**

I hereby request a general waiver from the Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance. The application of the Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance to my contract violates the following state or federal statutory, regulatory or constitutional provision(s):

State the specific state or federal statutory, regulatory or constitutional provision(s), which makes compliance with the Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance unlawful:

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**GENERAL WAIVER ATTACHMENTS:**

Please attach a copy of the conflicting statutory, regulatory or constitutional provision(s) that makes compliance with this ordinance unlawful.

Please give a full statement describing in detail the reasons the specific state or federal statutory, regulatory or constitutional provision(s) makes compliance with the Boston Jobs and Living Wage Ordinance unlawful (attach additional sheets if necessary):

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**PART 6: VENDOR AFFIDAVIT:**

I \_\_\_\_\_ a principal officer of the covered vendor certify and swear/affirm that the information provided on this **Vendors Living Wage Affidavit** is true and within my own personal knowledge and belief.

Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINTED NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_