



Police Department
Jeff Devlin, Chief of Police



tel: 954.967.4300

LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND (LETF) REQUEST FOR FUNDING

The Hollywood Police Department has a long-standing commitment to the reduction of crime and the implementation of crime and drug prevention initiatives throughout the City of Hollywood. Use of LETF Funds requires approval from the City Commission, in accordance with F.S. 932.7055, upon request by the Chief of Police. The Statute requires a portion of the revenues be donated or expended for the support or operation of the following:

- Drug treatment
- Crime prevention
- Drug abuse education
- Safe neighborhood
- Drug prevention
- School resource officer program

Applications with all attachments must be received by Wednesday, May 13, 2026. Send via email to mdellolio@hollywoodfl.org. For questions, please contact Madonna Dell'Olio at mdellolio@hollywoodfl.org or 954-967-4375.

Applicant Agency Information

Applicant Agency Legal Name: Florida Missing Children's Day Foundation			
Main Administrative Address: P.O. Box 15822			
City & State: Tallahassee, FL		32317	
Telephone Number: 850-583-0153		E-mail Address: ken-tucker@comcast.net or fmcdinfo@gmail.com	
Website: www.fmcdf.org			
CEO/Executive Director: Kenneth S. Tucker, President (904) 237-9999			

PROGRAM INFORMATION

Program Title:	Florida Missing Children's Day Foundation		
Name/ Title of Program Contact:	2026 FMCD Event		
Address:	P. O. Box 15822	Phone:	
City • Zip Code:	Tallahassee, FL	E-mail:	fmcdinfo@gmail.com
Total Program Budget:	\$35,000 Annually		

3250 Hollywood Boulevard
P.O. Box 229045
Hollywood, Florida
33021-6967
hollywoodfl.org

Amount Requested:	\$2,500
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Organization's Background: Please provide a concise description of the Applicant Agency, including its history, years of operation, general mission statement, and primary services provided.

The Florida Missing Children's Day Foundation (FMCDF) is a 501(c)(3), nonprofit corporation, established in 2008 pursuant to Florida Statute (F.S.) 683.231. The purpose of the FMCDF is to provide assistance, funding, and promotional support for activities authorized for Florida Missing Children's Day (FMCD) designated on the second Monday of September each year per Section 683.23 F.

LETF CATEGORY (Place an "X" to the left of one program area for which you Intend to Apply):

☐	1. Crime Prevention
☐	2. Drug Treatment or Abuse Prevention/Education
XX	3. Safe Neighborhood

HOLLYWOOD POLICE'S PRIORITY AREA (Place an "X" to the left of one program area for which you Intend to Apply):

☐	1. Diverting Youth from Criminal Justice System
XXX	2. Reducing Gun Violence/Violent Crime
☐	3. Programs which assist the Homeless/Mentally Ill

PROGRAM INFORMATION

1. How does your proposed project address the LETF Category (see above) as well as the Hollywood Police Department's Priority Area?

The Florida Missing Children's Day Foundation is a (501)(c)(3), non-profit organization that was established in order to provide support for Florida Missing Children's Day and spread information and awareness of missing persons issues in Florida. The abduction and death of a missing child is a violent crime, and the victims include the child, their families, their friends and communities across the state. All donations are utilized to pay expenses for the annual event, and no portion of the funds are used to pay salaries as the Florida Missing Children's Day Board is 100 percent voluntary. Chief Devlin is currently a very active member of the Foundation.

2. Why is this funding needed (What community problem does it address)? What data suggests this program should be implemented with this population or in this geographical location?

A missing child is unfortunately a traumatic event that can happen at any time across the State of Florida. In most instances the child is recovered safe and sound, but there are those cases where the child is abused and will suffer trauma from that event the rest of their lives. Then there are those instances where the child is found deceased or the child is never recovered and remains on a growing list of Missing Children. All of these impact heavily on the family, friends and community and even on the first responders involved in the search. The Florida Missing Children's Day Foundation in partnership with the Florida Missing Endangered Children Person's Clearinghouse Information (MEPIC) work to raise awareness about child safety and to provide an annual Missing Children's Day event to let the families know they are not forgotten.

3. Program Summary (3-5 sentences): Provide an overview of program services.

The FMCD Foundation serves two primary purposes. The first is to host an annual event in Tallahassee Florida that serves to let the families of missing children know that they are remembered and to raise awareness of the fact that each year children are the victims of abduction and sadly murdered. The impact on families and the community is indescribable.

The second role of the foundation is to fund safety fairs across the state to raise awareness about missing children, child safety and community awareness to protect children. The Foundation also recognizes and presents annual awards to children, first responders and citizens for heroic actions in preventing a child abduction.

4. Describe the program in detail and how it will be implemented: (Describe Who, What, Where, and When)

Please make sure your response includes program successes or challenges if previously funded, Why the agency needs the funding and its impact on the community. All programs must address a specific population and the narrative should indicate the number of clients served, services provided etc.

The FMCDF is tasked with providing funding and promotional support for FMCD and education in remembrance of Florida's past and present missing children and in recognition of the state's efforts to protect the safety of children through prevention, education and community involvement. The FMCDF relies on it's sponsors and donations to fund FMCD. FMCD is not a state or federally funded event. FDLE provides administrative support to FMCDF and does not solicit or collect donations on their behalf. All donation inquiries need to go through the main [FMCDF website](#) or staff.

5. Describe the Applicant Agency's experience in serving the target population and the capacity of the Applicant Agency to undertake the proposed program.

The Florida Missing Children's Day Foundation has successfully raised the funds needed to host the annual Florida Missing Children's Day event since being created by the Florida Legislature in 2008. The primary partner in raising these funds is law enforcement agencies across the state via donations from their forfeiture funds. In recent years the budget requirements have increased and currently \$35,000 per year is needed to fund the event.

6. Has your agency received funding from LETF? (If yes, identify the source, the \$ amount and provide performance data regarding your contracted outcomes for the various fiscal years your agency was funded).

The Law Enforcement Trust Funds from local law enforcement agencies across Florida provide the largest portion of funds needed to host the annual event. A list of our major sponsors for the 2025 event can be found at <https://www.fmcdcf.org/sponsorship>. The primary deliverables for this annual event is to cover the cost of hosting the event which includes a number of cash awards, family expenses (travel, lodging, and food), rental of venue facility, equipment rentals.

Total Program Line Item Budget

LETF Line Item Budget	Calculation	Total Amount
Program Expenses		
Personnel Costs/Salaries	\$ 0	0
Fringe Benefits	\$ 0	0
Consultants and Professional Fees	\$ 0	0
Equipment	\$	
Supplies	\$	
Other (specify <u>Please see attached.</u>)		
Total Program Expenses:	\$ 35, 000	\$ 35, 000
LETF Request		\$ 2, 500

BUDGET NARRATIVE (Required for ALL applications)(Provide an explanation of what the budget will include)

(Please see Attached)

2026 Florida Missing Children's Day Budget – Expected

Item Needed	Estimated Cost
Tallahassee Automobile Museum	\$8,600
Catering	\$5,300
Audio Equipment	\$1,450
Regional Essay Contest	\$700
State Essay Contest	\$100
National Anthem Contest	\$650
Awards	\$1,600
Citizen Award Prize	\$750
Invitation Postcards	\$300
Stickers	\$200
Lanyards	\$550
Award Portfolios	\$1,000
Bagpiper	\$250
Travel Reimbursement	\$4,500
Hotel for FMCDF Members	\$780
K9 Bandanas	\$120
Dog Bones/Bowls	\$70
Bottled Water/Ice/Drinks	\$700
Flowers	\$160
Photos	\$130
Wix Website Renewal	\$0
Web Domain	\$288
P.O. Box Renewal	\$210
Sunbiz	\$70
FDLE Personnel Reimbursement	\$250
FDLE Expenses	\$2,750
Total Amount	\$31,478.00 \$35,000.00 (estimated for inflation)

OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO SIGN AND BIND APPLICANT AGENCY TO THE APPLICATION:

Kenneth S. Tucker

Signature

Kenneth S. Tucker

Name (Print or Type)

Florid Missing Children's Day Foundation - President

Title (Print or Type)

5/11/26

Date

STATE OF Florida

COUNTY OF St. Johns

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 11 day of May, 2026 by

Kenneth Tucker

(name of individual signing)

as

President
(title)

of

Florida Missing Children's Day Foundation
(name of Applicant Agency/entity)

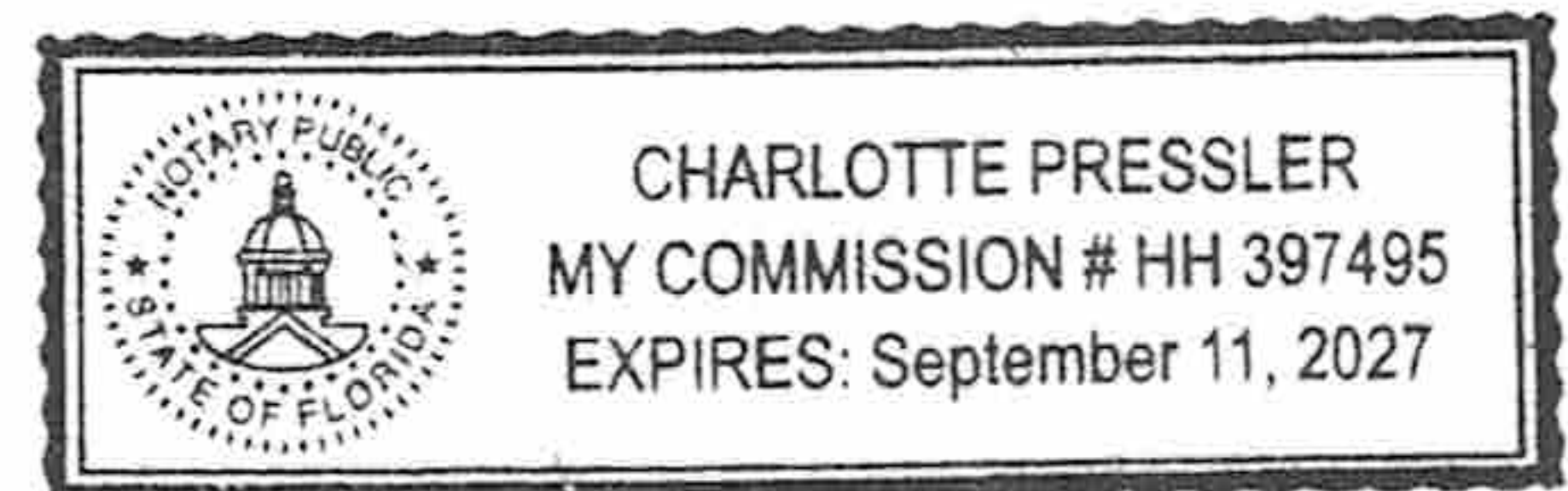
known to me to be the person described herein, or who produced as identification, and who did/did not take an oath.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Charlotte Pressler

My commission expires:

9-11-2027



Attachments

Attachment A	Certificate of Incorporation www.Sunbiz.org
Attachment B	IRS Form 501(c)(3)
Attachment C	IRS Form W-9

State of Florida

Department of State

I certify from the records of this office that FLORIDA MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY FOUNDATION, INC. is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, filed on February 2, 2009.

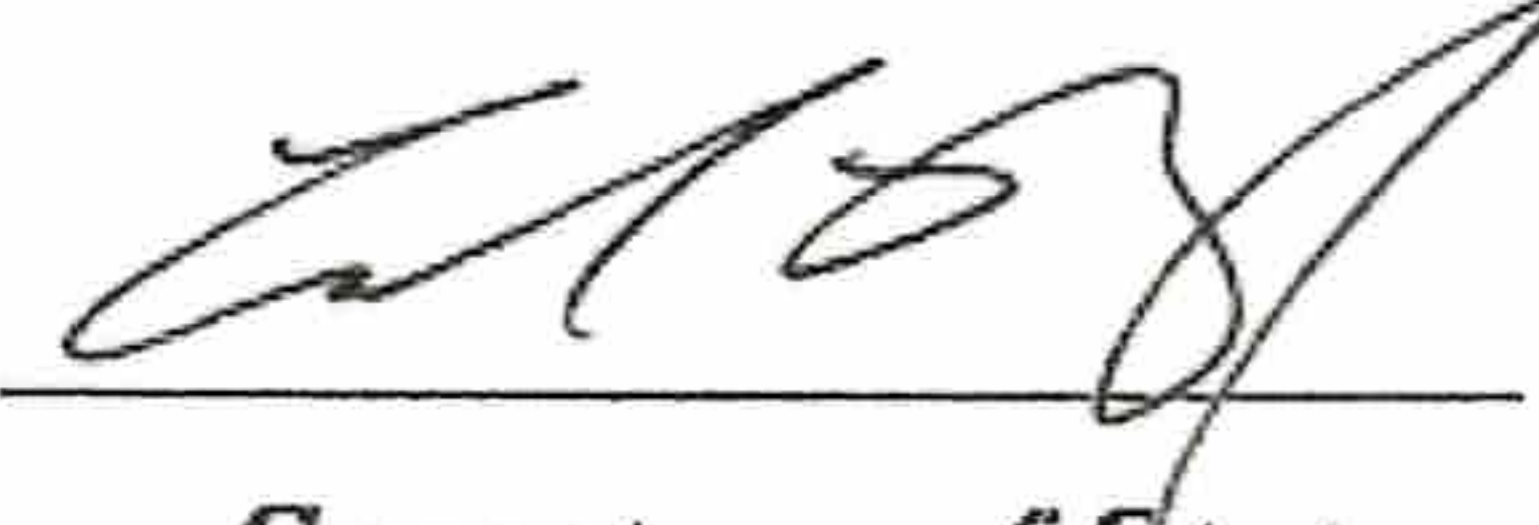
The document number of this corporation is N09000001030.

I further certify that said corporation has paid all fees due this office through December 31, 2026, that its most recent annual report/uniform business report was filed on April 30, 2026, and that its status is active.

I further certify that said corporation has not filed Articles of Dissolution.

*Given under my hand and the
Great Seal of the State of Florida
at Tallahassee, the Capital, this
the Thirtieth day of April, 2026*




Secretary of State

Tracking Number: 7726807952CC

To authenticate this certificate, visit the following site, enter this number, and then follow the instructions displayed.

<https://services.sunbiz.org/Filings/CertificateOfStatus/CertificateAuthentication>

Attachment A

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
P. O. BOX 2508
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date:

MAR 18 2010

FLORIDA MISSING CHILDRENS DAY
FOUNDATION INC
C/O FDLE/MISSING ENDANGERED PERSONS
2331 PHILLIPS ROAD
TALLAHASSEE, FL 32308

Employer Identification Number:
26-4636458

DLN:
17053357317019

Contact Person:
THOMAS C KOESTER ID# 31116

Contact Telephone Number:
(877) 829-5500

Accounting Period Ending:
December 31

Public Charity Status:
170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

Form 990 Required:
Yes

Effective Date of Exemption:
February 2, 2009

Contribution Deductibility:
Yes

Addendum Applies:
No

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

Letter 947 (DO/CG)

Attachment B-1

FLORIDA MISSING CHILDRENS DAY

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert Choi". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Robert" and last name "Choi" clearly distinguishable.

Robert Choi
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements

Enclosure: Publication 4221-PC

Letter 947 (DO/CG)

Attachment B-2

**Request for Taxpayer
Identification Number and Certification**

Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

Give form to the
requester. Do not
send to the IRS.

Before you begin. For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see *Purpose of Form*, below.

Print or type. See Specific Instructions on page 3.	1 Name of entity/individual. An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's name on line 1, and enter the business/disregarded entity's name on line 2.) FLORIDA MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY FOUNDATION INC	
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above. N/A	
	3a Check the appropriate box for federal tax classification of the entity/individual whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one of the following seven boxes. ☐ Individual/sole proprietor ☐ C corporation ☐ S corporation ☐ Partnership ☐ Trust/estate ☐ LLC. Enter the tax classification (C = C corporation, S = S corporation, P = Partnership) Note: Check the "LLC" box above and, in the entry space, enter the appropriate code (C, S, or P) for the tax classification of the LLC, unless it is a disregarded entity. A disregarded entity should instead check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. ☒ Other (see instructions) NONPROFIT CORPORATION	
	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any) _____ <i>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the United States.)</i>	
	3b If on line 3a you checked "Partnership" or "Trust/estate," or checked "LLC" and entered "P" as its tax classification, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate in which you have an ownership interest, check this box if you have any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries. See instructions ☐	
5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.). See instructions. PO BOX 15822		
6 City, state, and ZIP code TALLAHASSEE, FL 32317		
7 List account number(s) here (optional)		
Requester's name and address (optional)		

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. See also *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

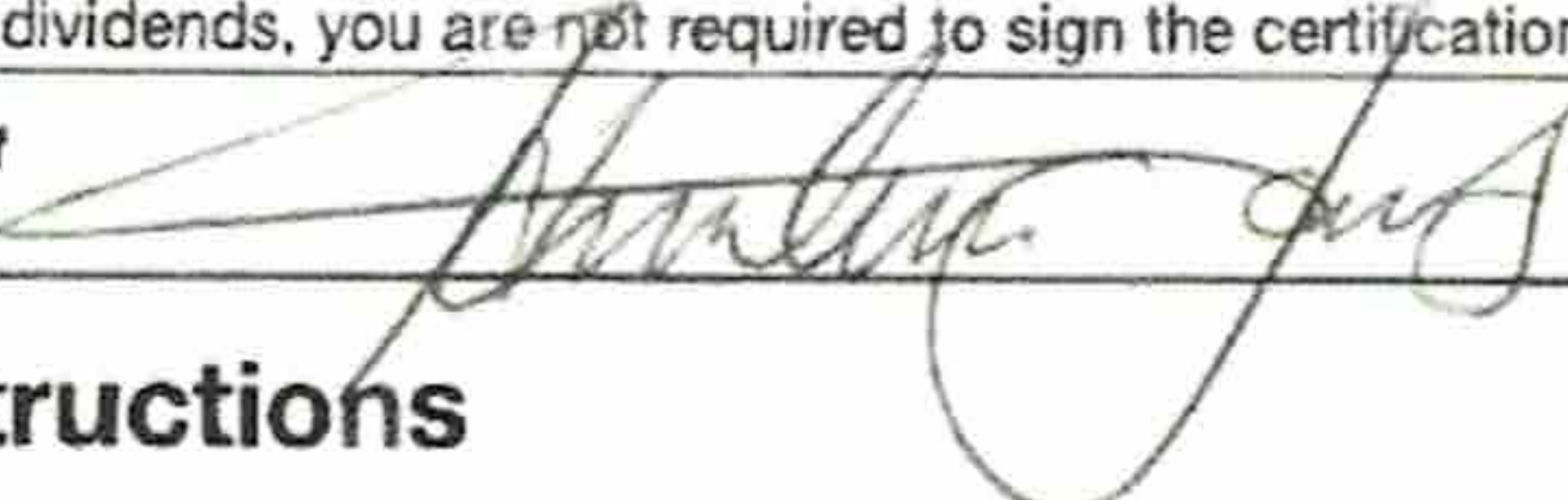
Social security number								
			-					
or								
Employer identification number								
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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and, generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person 	Date MARCH 30, 2026
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

What's New

Line 3a has been modified to clarify how a disregarded entity completes this line. An LLC that is a disregarded entity should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. Otherwise, it should check the "LLC" box and enter its appropriate tax classification.

New line 3b has been added to this form. A flow-through entity is required to complete this line to indicate that it has direct or indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries when it provides the Form W-9 to another flow-through entity in which it has an ownership interest. This change is intended to provide a flow-through entity with information regarding the status of its indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries, so that it can satisfy any applicable reporting requirements. For example, a partnership that has any indirect foreign partners may be required to complete Schedules K-2 and K-3. See the Partnership Instructions for Schedules K-2 and K-3 (Form 1065).

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS is giving you this form because they

Attachment C