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Colfax, WA 99111

## Veteran's Scoring Criteria Status Declaration (formerly Veteran's Preference)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please print) Last First MI

- RCW 41.04.010 provides for a veterans' scoring criteria status (formerly called a "preference") to be added to the passing grade of certain veterans. <http://app.leg.wa.gov/rcw/default.aspx?cite=41.04.010>
- See also RCW 41.04.007 "Veteran" defined for certain purposes <http://app.leg.wa.gov/rcw/default.aspx?cite=41.04.007>

### 1. I certify that:

- ✓ I have been released from active military service or I am in receipt of separation orders; AND
  - ✓ I received an honorable discharge or discharge of physical reasons with an honorable record
- YES     NO

**➡ IF YOU ANSWERED "NO" TO ABOVE, STOP HERE AND SUBMIT THIS FORM**

### 2. Have you been appointed to a position with the state, county or municipal government or other political subdivision of the State of Washington *after* you were eligible for veteran's points?

- YES     NO    If "Yes": Job Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Date Appointed \_\_\_\_\_

**➡ IF YOU ANSWERED "YES" TO ABOVE, STOP HERE AND SUBMIT THIS FORM**

### 3. Scoring Criteria Status Claimed (check one if you are eligible):

- Ten percent (10%) to a veteran who served during a period of war or in an armed conflict as defined in RCW 41.04.005 and does not receive military retirement. The percentage shall be added to the passing mark, grade, or rating of competitive examinations until the veteran's first appointment. The percentage shall not be utilized in promotional examinations.
- Five percent (5%) to a veteran who did not serve during a period of war or in an armed conflict as defined in RCW 41.04.005 or is receiving military retirement. The percentage shall be added to the passing mark, grad, or rating of competitive examinations until the veteran's first appointment. The percentage shall not be utilized in promotional examinations.
- Five percent to a veteran who was called to active military service from employment with the state or any of its political subdivisions or municipal corporations. The percentage shall be added to promotional examinations until the first promotion only.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge I am entitled to the veteran's scoring criteria status as set forth in RCW 41.04.010, and that by falsely claiming veterans' scoring criteria status I will be disqualified from employment with The City of Colfax Fire Department. I also understand that, if employed, any misrepresentation of facts regarding my receiving veteran's scoring criteria status is sufficient cause for dismissal.

**Please sign below and attach a copy of your DD Form 214 or other form of verification (DD Form 214WS Worksheet, USDVA Verification Letter, Statement of Military Service).**

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date Signed \_\_\_\_\_