**Western Reserve Area Agency on Aging
OAA Nutrition Program**

**NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT OF APPLICANT TO BECOME A FOOD PREPARER**

THIS AFFIDAVIT MUST BE EXECUTED FOR THE COMPETITIVE PROPOSAL TO BE CONSIDERED

STATE OF OHIO }

COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA } SS.

      being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he/she is

      of

(Sole Owner, Partner, President, etc.) (Business name)

and that the following statements are true and complete:

 1. The competitive proposal submitted by my business is genuine and not collusive or sham;

 2. My business, the Applicant herein, has not colluded, conspired, connived, or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any other person or entity to put in a sham bid; any other person or entity involved in the submission of the competitive proposal of my business shall refrain from making a competitive proposal for the WRAAA 2022-2023 Nutrition Program;

 3. My business, the Applicant herein, has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference with any person or entity (a) to fix the proposed price of meals, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of my business’ competitive proposal, or of that of any other caterer, or (b) to secure any advantage against the Western Reserve Area Agency on Aging or any person or persons interested in the proposed contract;

 4. All statements contained in my business’ competitive proposal are true and complete; my business, the Applicant herein, has not directly or indirectly submitted or divulged its competitive proposal, the contents thereof, or information relative thereto to any third party whatsoever.

 AFFIANT

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_2021.

 NOTARY PUBLIC

 (SEAL)

 My commission expires: