

Request for Confidentiality Under Tax Code Section 25.025

Appraisal District Name

Phone (area code and number)

Appraisal District Address, City, State, ZIP Code

Appraisal District Website Address

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS: This form is used for qualified property owners to make an election to restrict public access to their home address information pursuant to Tax Code Section 25.025. This election remains in effect until rescinded in writing by the qualified individual. Tax Code Section 25.025 does not prohibit the public disclosure of information in appraisal records that identifies property by home address if the information does not identify the qualified individual property owner who has made this election.

State judges (as defined by Government Code Section 572.002), federal judges and their spouses are not required to file this request. The Office of Court Administration automatically notifies the appraisal district at the time of a judge's qualification for confidentiality.

FILING INSTRUCTIONS: This document must be filed with the appraisal district office in each county in which the property is located. Do not file this document with the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts. A directory with contact information for appraisal district offices may be found on the Comptroller's website.

SECTION 1: Name and Address

Provide the information to be held confidential.

Name of Person Requesting Confidentiality

Name of Property Owner (if different)

Home Address (number and street), City, State, ZIP Code

SECTION 2: Qualification

Select the box below indicating your qualification under Tax Code Section 25.025(a) for restriction of public access to your home address.

Address Confidentiality Program

A participant in the Office of the Attorney General's address confidentiality program administered under Code of Criminal Procedure, Chapter 56, Subchapter C.

Refer to section 3 for required documentation to be provided with this request.

Armed Forces

A current or former member of the U.S. armed forces who has served in an area that the U.S. President designates by executive order as an area in which armed forces of the United States are or have engaged in combat.

Attorney General Employee

A current or former **employee** of the Office of the Attorney General who is or was assigned to a division with duties which involve law enforcement.

Commissioned Security Officer

Occupations Code Section 1702.002 defines commissioned security officer as a security officer to whom a security officer commission has been issued by the Texas Private Security Board.

Community Supervision and Corrections Department

An **officer or employee** of a community supervision and corrections department established under Government Code Chapter 76 who performs a duty described in Government Code Section 76.004(b).

County Jailer

Occupations Code Section 1701.001 defines a county jailer as a person employed as a county jail guard under Local Government Code Section 85.005.

District, Criminal District, County or Municipal Attorney

A current or former district attorney, criminal district attorney, county or municipal attorney whose jurisdiction includes any criminal law or child protective services matters or the current or former **employee** of the attorney.

Family Violence

An individual who shows that the individual, the individual's child or another person in the individual's household is a victim of family violence as defined by Family Code Section 71.004.

Refer to section 3 for required documentation to be provided with this request.

Federal Judge

A current, former or a retired judge of a U.S. court of appeals, a U.S. district court or a U.S. bankruptcy court; or a current, former or retired magistrate judge of a U.S. district court; the **spouse** of the judge or a current or former **employee** of the judge.

Juvenile Justice Program or Facility

A current or former **employee** of a juvenile justice program or facility as defined by Family Code Section 261.405.

- Juvenile Probation or Supervision Officer**
A current or former juvenile probation or supervision officer certified by the Texas Juvenile Justice Department, or the predecessors in function of the department under Title 12, Human Resources Code.
- Medical Examiner or Forensic Analyst**
A medical examiner or person who performs forensic analysis or testing who is employed by this state or one or more political subdivisions of this state.
- Peace Officer**
A current or former peace officer as defined by Code of Criminal Procedure Article 2.12, the **spouse** or **surviving spouse** of a current or former peace officer or the **adult child** of a current peace officer.
- Sexual Assault, Abuse, Stalking or Trafficking of Persons**
An individual who shows that the individual, the individual's child or another person in the individual's household is a victim of sexual assault or abuse, stalking or trafficking of persons.
Refer to section 3 for required documentation to be provided with this request.
- State Judge**
A current, former or retired judge of an appellate court, a district court, a statutory probate court, a constitutional county court or a county court at law of this state; a current, former or retired associate judge appointed under Family Code Chapter 201 or Government Code Chapter 54A; a justice of the peace; a master, magistrate, referee, hearing officer or associate judge appointed under Government Code Chapter 54; or a municipal court judge; the judge's **spouse** or a current or former **employee** of the judge.
- Texas Civil Commitment Office**
A current or former **employee** of the Texas Civil Commitment Office or of the predecessor in function of the office or a division of the office.
- Texas Department of Criminal Justice**
An **employee** of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.
- Texas Juvenile Justice Department**
A current or former **employee** of the Texas Juvenile Justice Department or of the predecessors in function of the department.
- U.S. Attorney or Assistant U.S. Attorney**
A current or former U.S. attorney or assistant U.S. attorney and the **spouse** and **child** of the attorney.
- U.S. Criminal Investigator**
A U.S. criminal investigator as described by Code of Criminal Procedure Article 2.122(a).
- U.S. Federal Protective Service**
A police officer or inspector of the U.S. Federal Protective Service.

SECTION 3: Required Documentation

- A victim of family violence, sexual assault, abuse, stalking or trafficking should attach to this request a copy of a protective order, a magistrate's order for emergency protection or other independent documentary evidence.
- A member of the address confidentiality program should attach to this request proof of certification under Code of Criminal Procedure Article 56.84.

SECTION 4: Property Types Associated with Home Address

Select the property type(s) below that may reference or be associated with the qualified applicant's home address.

- Single-family residential Multi-family residential Vacant land Commercial real and personal
- Oil, gas and minerals Other

SECTION 5: Signature

I certify the information in this document and any information attached is true and correct.

print
here ➔

Printed Name of Person Requesting Confidentiality

sign
here ➔

Signature of Person Requesting Confidentiality

Date

If you make a false statement on this form, you could be found guilty of a Class A misdemeanor or a state jail felony under Penal Code Section 37.10.