RESOLUTION 26-03

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF NORTH CENTRAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT AMENDING ITS CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE

WHEREAS, Government Code section 87300 requires every public agency to adopt and promulgate a conflict of interest code; and

WHEREAS, the Political Reform Act (Government Code section 81000 et seq.) requires periodic review of conflict of interest codes and amendments when necessary; and

WHEREAS, the Fair Political Practices Commission has adopted Title 2, California Code of Regulations, section 18730, which contains the terms of a standard model conflict of interest code that may be incorporated by reference and amended by the Fair Political Practices Commission to conform to amendments to the Political Reform Act; and

WHEREAS, Government Code section 87306.5 requires every local agency that has adopted a conflict of interest code to review its code biennially and, if amendments are required, submit the amended code to its code reviewing body for approval, or, if no amendments are required, submit the required biennial notice; and

WHEREAS, the District last reviewed its Conflict of Interest Code in compliance with the Political Reform Act at a regular meeting held on August 25, 2022, by and through Resolution No. 22-11; and

WHEREAS, Government Code section 82011 provides that the code reviewing body for local agencies located entirely within a county is the County Board of Supervisors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the North Central Fire Protection District hereby finds, determines, and orders as follows:

1. All previously adopted resolutions approving separate Conflict of Interest Codes and appendices applicable to designated employees and disclosure categories are hereby repealed.

2. The Conflict of Interest Code for the North Central Fire Protection District is hereby amended and adopted in the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A", which is incorporated herein by this reference.

3. The Conflict of Interest Code is adopted pursuant to and in accordance with the Political Reform Act (Government Code section 81000 et seq.) and Government Code section 87300 et seq.

4. The Secretary of the Board is authorized and directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution, together with Exhibit "A", to the Clerk of the Fresno County Board of Supervisors, as the District's code reviewing body, for review and approval pursuant to the Political Reform Act.

The foregoing resolution was duly introduced and adopted by the Board of Directors of the North Central Fire Protection District at a regular meeting held on the 23rd day of July, 2026, by the following vote:

AYES:	Nonini, Golden, Foglio, Souza, Abrahamian
NOES:	None
ABSENT:	None
ABSTAIN:	None

The foregoing resolution is hereby approved.

Board Chairperson

Ken Abrahamian

ATTEST:

Amanda Souza
Board Secretary

Exhibit "A"

CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE FOR NORTH CENTRAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

The Political Reform Act, sections 81000, et seq. of the California Government code, requires state and local government agencies to adopt and promulgate conflict of interest codes. The Fair Political Practices Commission has adopted a regulation, section 18730 of title 2 of the California Code of Regulations, which contains the terms of a standard conflict of interest code and which can be incorporated by reference in any agency's code. After public notice and hearing, it may be amended by the Fair Political Practices Commission to conform to amendments in the Political Reform Act.

Wherefore, the terms of 2 California Code of Regulations section 18730 and any amendments to it duly adopted by the Fair Political Practices Commission are hereby incorporated by the reference and such regulation together with both the Appendix attached hereto as Appendix "A", designating officials and employees and establishing disclosure categories, and the Appendix attached hereto as Appendix "A", describing the categories of disclosure, shall constitute the conflict of interest code of the **North Central Fire Protection District (the "District").**

The Form 700s for designated positions, other than the **members of the District's Board of Directors** along with any alternates **("Board Members"), District Fire Chief ("Fire Chief")**, and the District General Manager ("General Manager"), shall be filed with the District. The Board Members, Fire Chief, and General Manager are to file their original Form 700s directly with the Fair Political Practices Commission ("FPPC") using the FPPC's electronic filing system.

The District shall retain a copy of all electronically filed Form 700s, a copy of all paper Form 700s with waivers, and the original Form 700s of designated positions not required to file with the County. The District shall make the Form 700s available for public review, inspection, and reproduction. (Gov. Code section 81008.)

The provisions of all Conflict of Interest Codes and amendments thereto previously adopted by the District are hereby superseded.

Adopted: July 23, 2026

APPENDIX "A"

Public Officials Who Manage Public Investments

It has been determined that the positions listed below manage public investments *and will file a statement of economic interests pursuant to Government Code Section 87200.* These positions are listed for informational purposes only:

- Board Members
- General Manager
- Fire Chief

An individual holding one of the above-listed positions may contact the Fair Political Practices Commission for assistance or written advice regarding their filing obligations if they believe that their position has been categorized incorrectly. The Fair Political Practices Commission makes the final determination whether a position is covered by Government Code Section 87200.

List of Designated Positions	Assigned Disclosure
Categories	
Division Chief	Category 1
Attorney	Category 1
*Consultants	Category 1

*Consultants/New Positions are included in the list of designated positions and shall disclose pursuant to the disclosure requirements in this code subject to the following limitation:

The Fire Chief and/or General Manager may determine in writing that a particular consultant, although a "designated position", is hired to perform a range of duties that is limited in scope and thus is not required to fully comply with the disclosure requirements described in this section. Such written determination shall include a description of the consultant's duties and, based upon that description, a statement of the extent of disclosure requirements. The determinations of the Fire Chief and/or General Manager constitute public record and shall be retained for public inspection in the same manner and location as this conflict of interest code. (Gov. Code Sec. 81008.)

APPENDIX "B", DISCLOSURE CATEGORIES

Individuals holding designated positions must report their interests according to their assigned disclosure category(ies).

Disclosure Category 1

Interests in real property located within the jurisdiction or within two miles of the boundaries of the jurisdiction or within two miles of any land owned or used by the agency; and investments and business positions in business entities, and income, including loans, gifts, and travel payments, from all sources.

Disclosure Category 2

Interests in real property located within the jurisdiction or within two miles of the boundaries of the jurisdiction or within two miles of any land owned or used by the agency.

Disclosure Category 3

Investments and business positions in business entities, and income, including loans, gifts, and travel payments, from sources, that provide services, supplies, materials, machinery, or equipment of the type utilized by the agency.

Disclosure Category 4

Investments and business positions in business entities, and income, including loans, gifts, and travel payments, from sources, that provide services, supplies, materials, machinery, or equipment of the type utilized by the designated position's division or department.

Disclosure Category 5

Investments and business positions in business entities, and income, including loans, gifts, and travel payments, from sources, that filed a claim against the agency during the previous two years, or have a claim pending.

Disclosure Category 6

Investments and business positions in business entities, and income, including loans, gifts, and travel payments, from sources of the type to request an entitlement to use agency property or facilities, including, but not limited to:

- a license
- utility permit
- station vendor permit.