

AFFIDAVIT OF DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP

I, _____ [employee name] submit this Affidavit of Domestic Partnership to establish

_____ [domestic partner name] as my domestic partner (as defined below) in order to

obtain benefits that Columbus Metropolitan Library (CML) may extend to employees' domestic partners.

1. I declare that my domestic partner is eligible for benefits because (you must check one of these):

- We meet all of the following criteria:
 - We are both at least 18 years of age
 - We are both competent to contract on the effective date of coverage
 - Neither of us is legally married to any other person and not related in any way that would prohibit marriage
 - We are each other's sole domestic partner
 - We are and have been in an exclusive, committed relationship that is intended to be permanent for at least 12 months
 - We share a mutual obligation of support and responsibility for each other's welfare
 - We share a permanent residence and intend to reside together indefinitely

OR

- We have registered as Domestic Partners or have entered into a Civil Union in a state (or municipality)

that has such registration.

2. I agree to notify CML within 31 days of any change in the circumstances attested to in this affidavit by reporting a change in family status.

3. If requested, I will provide to the Plan Administrator, or designated representative, documents to verify my Domestic Partner's eligibility.

4. I understand that providing false or misleading information in the Affidavit may result in any, or all, of the following actions by CML: a requirement that I reimburse CML for all expenses, termination of my employment, and other legal action against me.

Employee Signature

Date

STATE OF: _____

COUNTY OF: _____

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public, personally appeared _____, who executed the above Affidavit of Domestic Partnership as a free and voluntary act.

In Witness Whereof, I have signed my name and affixed my seal this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

