

## CHILD/ADULT ABUSE RECORD SEARCH GUIDELINES

Background checks can be requested on **prospective employees, volunteers or adoptive parents** who will or may have unsupervised access to children under sixteen years of age, developmentally disabled persons, or vulnerable adults. The background check is for **initial employment or engagement decisions only.**

I, ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) **Give Grant County Fire District #3** my permission to inquire to the Washington State Patrol for the purpose of becoming a Volunteer with Grant County Fire District #3.

A business or organization **shall require each applicant to disclose** to the business or organization the following information:

- A. Have you been convicted of any crime against children or other persons?  
 YES    NO
- B. Have you been convicted of crimes relating to financial exploitation if the victim was a vulnerable adult?    YES    NO
- C. Have you been convicted of crimes related to drugs as defined in RCW 43.43.830?  
 YES    NO
- D. Have you been found in any dependency action under RCW 13.34.040 to have sexually abused or exploited any minor or to have physically abused any minor?  
 YES    NO
- E. Has a court found you in domestic relations proceeding under Title 26 RCW to have sexually abused or exploited any minor or to have physically abused any minor?  
 YES    NO
- F. Have you been found in any disciplinary board final decision to have sexually or physically abused or exploited any minor or developmentally disabled person or to have abused or financially exploited any vulnerable adult?  
 YES    NO
- G. Have you been found by a court in a protection proceeding under chapter 74.34 RCW, to have abused or financially exploited a vulnerable adult?  
 YES    NO

If you are offered a position as a paid employee or volunteer with the District, the District may under RCW 43.43.832 and .834 submit an inquiry to the Washington State Patrol to conduct a record check to verify the answers provided above. You Will be notified within ten (10) days after a response is received from the State patrol Of the nature of the response and be provided a copy of the response at your request. The District will use this information and record only to make the initial employment decision and for no other purpose.

**Signature**

**Date**