



APPLICATION FOR
GROUP FLEXIBLE PURCHASE PAYMENT
DEFERRED FIXED ANNUITY CONTRACT

underwritten by
Nationwide Life Insurance Company
One Nationwide Plaza
Columbus, Ohio 43215
1-877-677-3678

APPLICANT:

The Monterey County 457(b) Deferred Compensation Plan (the "Applicant"), applies to be the Contract Owner of a Group Flexible Purchase Payment Deferred Fixed Annuity Contract (the "Contract") underwritten by Nationwide Life Insurance Company ("Nationwide").

The Group Flexible Purchase Payment Deferred Fixed Annuity Contract applied for will become effective on the "Effective Date of Contract" if the initial Purchase Payment and this application are accepted by Nationwide. In the event the initial Purchase Payment or this application is not accepted, Nationwide's liability will be limited to a return of the initial Purchase Payment, and any subsequent Purchase Payments remitted.

PURCHASE PAYMENT

Applicant agrees to permit Participants in its Plan to allocate Purchase Payments to the Contract as of the "Effective Date of Contract".

EXCHANGE AND TRANSFER LIMITATION ELECTION

Elect One:

[] Contract Level Aggregate Exchange and Transfer Limitation (the limitation on Outgoing Exchanges from the Fixed Account is determined based on total assets held in the Contract's Fixed Account's value under the Contract as of the last Business Day preceding the current calendar year).

Combined aggregate Exchange and Transfer limitation of 12% of the Contract Value with a combined maximum number of outgoing Exchanges and Transfers per Participant of 4 per year. The Contract Value for purposes of determining the limitation is established on the last Business Day of the previous calendar year for the current calendar year.

[] Participant Level Exchange and Transfer Limitation (the limitation on Outgoing Exchanges from the Contract is applied to each Participant Account under the Contract. The Contract Owner, or its designated Record Keeper is responsible for applying this limitation).

Combined per Participant Exchange and Transfer limitation of 20% of the Participant's Account Value allocated to the Fixed Account with a combined maximum number of outgoing Exchanges and Transfers per Participant of 2 per year. A Participant is required to wait a minimum of 0 days between each Exchange and/or Transfer.

SIGNATURES

Signed on behalf of The Monterey County 457(b) Deferred Compensation Plan this 23 day of MAY 2019.

[Signature]
(Authorized Signature of Applicant)

MAY 23, 2019
(Date)

CHAIR
(Title)

(Authorized Nationwide Agent/Representative Signature)

(Date)

(Title)



Nationwide Retirement Solutions Employer Security Administrator Request Form

This form is required to establish one person within the Plan Sponsor's office as the Employer Security Administrator (ESA) on the NRS web site. The ESA will administer all other web site roles for the Plan's account. **All fields are required.**

Please fax this form to 877-677-4329, Attention: Automation Technical Support OR email to Welcome@Nationwide.com

Plan Sponsor Information (please print)

Plan Sponsor Name: *County of Monterey*

? Plan Sponsor Tax ID Number (nine-digit number used for identification and setup purposes only): *94-6000524*

? Plan Sponsor/Pay Center Number:

Plan Sponsor Address: *168 W Mission Street
Salinas, CA 93901*

Primary Plan Contact Name: *Paulette Clark*

Primary Plan Contact Phone Number: *(831) 755-5456*

Primary Plan Contact Email Address: *CLARKpj@CO.Monterey.CA.US*

Name of Person to Grant Access: *Paulette Clark*

Title of Person to be Granted Access: *HR Program Manager - Employee Benefits*

ESA role access will enable the following functions to be performed:
View Customer Account, View Aggregate Account, View Current Allocations, Establish access for Staff Positions within the Plan office, View Plan Reports, and View Plan Level and Participant Level Statements

Payroll Automation

Payroll Automation enables a pay center to easily submit payroll detail, salary deferral contributions, and employer contributions electronically. If you are interested in payroll automation, **no action is necessary**. A representative from Nationwide will contact you shortly to discuss how you can take advantage of this valuable feature. If you have questions about how automation will benefit you, please contact Nationwide at 1-877-496-1630.

Opt Out of Payroll Automation

By checking here, the plan chooses not to take advantage of payroll automation at this time and acknowledges that the Plan will be responsible for manually submitting legible and reconciled payroll detail and contributions to Nationwide each pay cycle.

Required Authorization*

* For security/audit purposes, approval should be a plan official other than the person for whom access is being requested

Approving Plan Official's Name (please print): *DEAN CAROTHERS*

Plan Official's Title: *CHAIR*

Plan Official's Signature: *[Signature]* Date: *5/22/2019.*