Application No._____

Veteran's Preference Request

Pursuant to K.S.A. 73-201(c), Veterans shall be preferred for initial employment and first promotion in the state government of Kansas, and in the counties and cities of this state, if competent to perform such services. Any veteran thus preferred shall not be disqualified from holding any position in such service on account of the veteran's age or by reason of any physical or mental disability as long as such age or disability does not render the veteran incompetent to perform the duties of the position applied for. When any veteran shall apply for appointment to any such position, place, or employment, the officer, board or person whose duty it is or may be to appoint a person to fill such place shall, if the applicant be a veteran of good reputation, and can competently perform the duties of the position applied for by the veteran, consider the veteran for appointment to such position, place or employment.

In the event an eligible veteran is not hired for a position in which he or she has applied, notification will be sent within 30 days by certified mail or personal service. Such notice will advise the veteran of an administrative appeal process.

To determine eligibility, please answer the following questions:	Yes	No
I entered the armed forces before Oct. 15, 1976, and separated from the armed forces under honorable conditions. I served i) on active duty during any war (official dates for war service are 4/6/1917 – 7/ 2/1921 and 12/7/1941 – 4/28/1952); ii) during the period 4/28/1952 - 7/1/1955; iii) in any campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge or service medal has been authorized; or iv) for more than 180 consecutive days since 1/31/1955 but prior to 10/15/1976, excluding an initial period of active duty for training under the "six month" reserve or national program.	☐	☐
I entered the armed forces on or after 10/15/1976 and separated from the armed forces under honorable conditions and was awarded a service medal or campaign badge.	☐	☐
I separated from the armed forces under honorable conditions and have a disability certified by the U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs as being service connected, have been issued the purple heart by the U.S. government, or have been released from active service with a service-connected disability.	☐	☐
I am the spouse of a veteran who has a 100% service connected disability as determined by the U.S. Dept. of Veteran Affairs.	☐	☐
I am the spouse of a veteran who died while and as a result of service in the armed forces and have not remarried.	☐	☐
I am the spouse of a prisoner of war, as defined by K.S.A. 75-4364 and amendments thereto.	☐	☐

If you marked "Yes" on any of the above questions and desire to use Veteran's Preference, please sign and date this form and submit to City Manager's Office along with a copy of your DD214 form or the DD214 form of the veteran under which you qualify.

Name:_____

Signature:_____ Date: 12/31/2008

Office Use Only:
Position Applied for: Date Rec'd:_____
Circle one: Hired Sent Notification (Date:_____)