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Provide federal grant funding to a program that supports one or more of the 19 Federal Program Purpose Areas as defined by 34 U.S.C. 10441(b).

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**Memorandum of Agreement Terms and Conditions
Revised October 2023**

This Memorandum of Agreement (Contract) is entered into, by and between the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, Office of the Secretary, Grants Management Division (“the Commonwealth”) and Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (“the Contractor”) to establish an agreement for the provision of grant funds to enhance the capacity of local communities to develop and strengthen effective law enforcement and prosecution strategies to combat violent crimes against women and to develop and strengthen victim services in cases involving violent crimes against women. This MOA is effective from January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024.

Definitions:

For the purposes of this Contract, the definitions listed in this section shall represent the common and exclusive understanding of the parties hereto. The singular and plural form, as well as the small or upper case, of any defined term can be used interchangeably regardless of whether the definition refers to the singular or plural term, or uses the small or upper case, and pronouns shall be deemed to include all genders.

1. “Contract” shall mean a subaward provided by the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Justice and Public Safety Cabinet to a subrecipient for the subrecipient to carry out part of a Federal award received by the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, which is acting as a pass-through entity. Per the United States Department of Justice (DOJ) Grants Financial Guide, a subaward may be provided through any form of legal agreement, including an agreement that the pass-through entity considers a contract.
2. “Contractor” shall mean a designated agency that has received a subaward subject to oversight by the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Justice and Public Safety Cabinet.
 - a. Contractor shall include but not be limited to any employee, subcontractor, vendor, designee, or any other individual or entity acting on behalf of the Contractor providing services pursuant to this Contract.
3. “Grants Director” shall mean the Director of the Grants Management Division, Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, or a written designee.
4. “Grants Management Division” and “GMD” shall mean the Grants Management Division, Justice and Public Safety Cabinet.
5. “Intelligrants”, “IG” and “IGX” shall mean the Grants Management Division enterprise information technology system of record for grants management.
6. “State Administering Agency” shall mean the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, the recipient of federal funding from DOJ.
7. “Technical Assistance” shall mean the sharing of information and expertise, instruction, skills training, and transmission of working knowledge, including, but not limited to:
 - a. Program technical assistance related to the methods of carrying out the program.
 - b. Financial technical assistance related to the methods used to manage the federal funds received by the sub-recipient.
8. “VAWA” shall mean the Violence Against Women Act and its corresponding implementing regulations.

Background Information:

These terms and conditions are for Contracts funded under Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) STOP Formula Grants Program federal awards received by the Kentucky Justice and Public Safety Cabinet (JPSC) from the United States Department of Justice (USDOJ) Office on Violence Against Women (OVW). The general purpose of the STOP Formula Grants Program is to assist states, state and local courts (including juvenile courts), Indian Tribal governments, tribal courts, and units of local government to develop and strengthen effective law enforcement and prosecution strategies to combat violent crimes against women for the protection and safety of victims, and to develop and strengthen victim services in cases involving crimes against women.

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State agencies, local units of government and private not-for-profit organizations may apply for these funds. Funds are typically awarded through a competitive process. The Kentucky JPSC awarding official for this Contract is the JPSC Secretary, who can be contacted at 125 Holmes St, Frankfort KY 40601.

Scope of Work:

The primary objective of the project is to develop and strengthen effective law enforcement, prosecution, judicial strategies, and victim services throughout Kentucky in cases of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking and/or dating violence involving victims 11 years of age and older.

The Commonwealth shall:

1. Provide Intelligrants 10.0 (IGX) site administration and user accounts with appropriate access for the Contractor.
2. Have sole discretion to determine whether the Contractor's expenditures referenced in this Contract are reasonable and in keeping with the purposes set out in the Contract.
3. Have sole discretion to determine the manner in which the Contractor makes the Commonwealth whole, which may include refunding any funds disbursed to it pursuant to this Contract, in the event it is determined the Contractor used the funds for an unallowable cost or unreasonably and not in keeping with the scope of work set out in this Contract.
4. Develop and implement a risk-based monitoring plan to evaluate Contractor in accordance with the requirements of 28 C.F.R. § 94 and 2 C.F.R. § 200.332.
5. Evaluate each Contractor's risk of noncompliance with Federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of the Contract for purposes of determining the appropriate subrecipient monitoring schedule as described in 2 C.F.R. § 200.332 (d) and (e).
6. Conduct regular desk monitoring and on-site monitoring of all contracts in accordance with the GMD risk-based monitoring schedule.
7. Monitor the activities of the Contractor as necessary to ensure that the funds related to the Contract are used for authorized purposes, in compliance with statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of the Contract, and that Contract performance goals are achieved.
8. Maintain a copy of site visit results and other documents related to Contractor compliance.
9. Provide, upon request, technical assistance with Contract administration, reporting requirements, and navigation of IGX.
10. Complete all federal reporting required as the recipient of VAWA funds. This reporting includes, but is not limited to:
 - a. Completing reporting required by the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA);
 - b. Distributing the annual OVW required programmatic reporting form to all Contractors, collecting completed forms and verifying proper completion, and timely submitting the forms to OVW or its designee;
 - c. Annual VAWA programmatic reporting; and
 - d. Federal financial reporting.
11. Reimburse the Contractor in accordance with the pricing section within this Contract.

The Contractor shall:

1. Carry out the project detailed in the Contractor's approved application in IGX, VAWA-2023-Lexingto-00030, using funds only for the purposes outlined therein and in this Contract and in accordance with all Contract Terms and Conditions, including all requirements and materials incorporated by reference therein.
2. Provide a program that supports one or more of the 19 Federal Program Purpose Areas as defined by 34 U.S.C. § 10441(b).

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- a. Training law enforcement officers, judges, other court personnel, and prosecutors to more effectively identify and respond to violent crimes against women, (including the crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking, including the appropriate use of nonimmigrant status under subparagraphs (T) and (U) of section 101(a)(15) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. § 1101(a)(15)).
- b. Developing, training, or expanding units of law enforcement officers, judges, other court personnel, and prosecutors specifically targeting violent crimes against women, including the crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- c. Developing and implementing more effective police, court, and prosecution policies, protocols, orders, and services specifically devoted to preventing, identifying, and responding to violent crimes against women, including the crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking, as well as the appropriate treatment of victims including implementation of the grant conditions in section 4002(b) of the Violence Against Women Act of 1994 (34 U.S.C. 12291(b)).
- d. Developing, enlarging, or strengthening victim services and legal assistance programs, including domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking programs, developing or improving delivery of victim services to underserved populations, providing specialized domestic violence court advocates in courts where a significant number of protection orders are granted, and increasing reporting and reducing attrition rates for cases involving violent crimes against women, including crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- e. Supporting formal and informal statewide, multidisciplinary efforts, to the extent not supported by state funds, to coordinate the response of state law enforcement agencies, prosecutors, courts, victim services agencies, and other state agencies and departments, to violent crimes against women, including the crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- f. Training of sexual assault forensic medical personnel examiners in the collection and preservation of evidence, analysis, prevention, and providing expert testimony and treatment of trauma related to sexual assault.
- g. Developing, enlarging, or strengthening programs to assist law enforcement, prosecutors, courts, and others to address the needs and circumstances of individuals 50 years of age and over, individuals with disabilities, and Deaf individuals who are victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, including recognizing, investigating, and prosecuting instances of such violence or assault and targeting outreach and support, counseling, legal assistance and other victim services to such individuals.
- h. Providing assistance to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault in immigration matters.
- i. Maintaining core victim services and criminal justice initiatives, while supporting complementary new initiatives and emergency services for victims and their families, including rehabilitative work with offenders.
- j. Developing and promoting state, local, or tribal legislation and policies that enhance best practices for responding to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- k. Developing, implementing, or enhancing Sexual Assault Response Teams, or other similar coordinated community responses to sexual assault.
- l. Developing and strengthening policies, protocols, best practices, and training for law enforcement agencies and prosecutors relating to the investigation and prosecution of sexual assault cases and the appropriate treatment of victims.

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m. Developing, enlarging, or strengthening programs addressing sexual assault against men, women, and youth in correctional and detention settings.

n. Identifying and conducting inventories of backlogs of sexual assault evidence collection kits and developing protocols and policies for responding to and addressing such backlogs, including protocols and policies for notifying and involving victims.

o. Developing, enlarging, or strengthening programs and projects to provide services and responses targeting male and female victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, whose ability to access traditional services and responses is affected by their sexual orientation or gender identity, as defined in section 249(c) of title 18 of the United States Code.

p. Developing, enhancing, or strengthening prevention and educational programming to address domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, or female genital mutilation or cutting, with not more than 5 percent of the amount allocated to a state to be used for this purpose.

q. Developing, enhancing, or strengthening programs and projects to improve evidence collection methods for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking, including through funding for technology that better detects bruising and injuries across skin tones and related training.

r. Developing, enlarging, or strengthening culturally specific victim services programs to provide culturally specific victim services and responses to female genital mutilation or cutting.

s. Paying any fees charged by any governmental authority for furnishing a victim or the child of a victim with any of the following documents: (A) A birth certificate or passport of the individual as required by law. (B) An identification card issued to the individual by a State or Tribe, that shows that the individual is a resident of the State or a member of the Tribe.

3. Provide all required financial and programmatic documentation, as detailed in Grants Management Division Terms and Conditions below, to allow the Commonwealth to complete all required federal reporting.
4. Agree that the Commonwealth shall have sole discretion to determine whether the Contractor's expenditures referenced in this contract are reasonable and in keeping with the purposes set out in the Contract.
5. Make the Commonwealth whole, which may include refunding any funds disbursed to it pursuant to this Contract, in the event it is determined the Contractor used the funds for an unallowable cost or unreasonably and not in keeping with the scope of work set out in this Contract.

Pricing:

1. The total Contract amount is \$50,000. Payments shall be made through a reimbursement process only, on a quarterly basis, unless otherwise specified by the Commonwealth.
2. The Commonwealth shall provide payment within thirty (30) days of receipt of a valid invoice.
3. Reimbursement shall be based on the Contractor's percentage effort and salary/fringe expenses.
4. Reimbursement of allowable travel expenses shall comply with the Kentucky Model Procurement Code, including relevant regulations and Finance and Administration Cabinet Policies.
5. The Contractor shall be reimbursed for no spending unless and except as specifically authorized by the specifications of this Contract or authorized in advance and in writing by the Commonwealth.
6. Payments shall be made upon receipt of required reports and a determination by the Commonwealth that the Contractor's services are reasonable and in keeping with the purposes set out in this Contract.

VAWA Standard Terms and Conditions

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1. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with applicable portions of the Violence Against Women Act of 1994, P.L. 103-322, the Violence Against Women Act of 2000, P.L. 106-386, the Violence Against Women and Department of Justice Reauthorization Act of 2005, P.L. 109-162, the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2013, P.L. 113-4, the Violence Against Women Act Reauthorization Act of 2022, P.L. 117-103, the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, 34 U.S.C. 10101 et seq., and OVW's implementing regulations at 28 C.F.R. Part 90. The terms and conditions of this Contract are material requirements of the Contract. Compliance with any assurances or certifications submitted by the Contractor that relate to conduct during the period of performance also is a material requirement of this Contract. By signing and accepting this Contract on behalf of the Contractor, the authorized Contractor official accepts all material requirements of the award, and specifically adopts, as if personally executed by the authorized Contractor official, all assurances or certifications submitted by or on behalf of the Contractor that relate to conduct during the period of performance. Failure to comply with any one or more of these Contract requirements -- whether a condition set out in full below, a condition incorporated by reference below, or a certification or assurance related to conduct during the project period -- may result in the Grants Management Division ("GMD") and/or OVW taking appropriate action with respect to the Contractor and the Contract. Among other things, the GMD or OVW may withhold award funds, disallow costs, or suspend or terminate the Contract. DOJ, including OVW, also may take other legal action as appropriate. Any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement to the federal government or the GMD related to this Contract (or concealment or omission of a material fact) may be the subject of criminal prosecution (including under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and/or 1621, and/or 34 U.S.C. 10272), and also may lead to imposition of civil penalties and administrative remedies for false claims or otherwise (including under 31 U.S.C. 3729-3730 and 3801-3812). Should any provision of a requirement of this Contract be held to be invalid or unenforceable by its terms, that provision shall first be applied with a limited construction so as to give the maximum effect permitted by law. Should it be held, instead, that the provision is invalid or unenforceable; such provision shall be deemed severable from this Contract.
2. The Contractor shall comply with the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements in 2 C.F.R. Part 200, as adopted and supplemented by the Department of Justice (DOJ) in 2 C.F.R. Part 2800 (together, the "Part 200 Uniform Requirements"). The Contractor shall also retain all financial records pertinent to this award, including the general accounting ledger and all supporting documents, are subject to agency review throughout the life of the award, during the close-out process, and for three years after submission of the final Federal Financial Report (SF-425) or as long as the records are retained, whichever is longer, pursuant to 2 C.F.R. 200.334, 200.337.
3. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with the current edition of the DOJ Grants Financial Guide as posted on the DOJ website, including any updated version that may be posted during the period of performance.
4. A Contractor at any tier that is eligible under the Part 200 Uniform Requirements and other applicable law to use the "de minimis" indirect cost rate described in 2 C.F.R. 200.414(f), and that elects to use the "de minimis" indirect cost rate, should do so in writing, by explicitly stating this election on the Operating Expenses page and the Budget Narrative page of the VAWA Application in Intelligrants 10.0 (IGX). When electing to use the "de minimis" indirect cost rate, the Contractor agrees it is eligible for this rate. In addition, the Contractor shall comply with all associated requirements in Part 200 Uniform Requirements. The "de minimis" rate may be applied only to modified total direct costs (MTDC) as defined by the Part 200 Uniform Requirements.
5. If the Contractor at any tier currently has other active awards, subawards, or contracts of federal funds, or if the Contractor receives any other award, subaward, or contract of federal funds during the period of performance for this Contract, the

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Contractor promptly shall determine whether funds from any of those other federal awards, subawards, or contracts have been, are being, or are to be used (in whole or in part) for one or more of the identical cost items for which funds are provided under this Contract. If so, the Contractor shall promptly notify GMD in writing of the potential duplication, and, if so requested by GMD, shall seek a grant adjustment or change in project objectives to eliminate any inappropriate duplication of funding.

6. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with applicable requirements regarding the federal System for Award Management (SAM) currently accessible at <https://sam.gov>. This includes applicable requirements regarding registration with SAM, as well as maintaining current information in SAM. The Contractor at any tier shall provide a SAM Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) to GMD. Contracts shall not be approved or funds reimbursed if the Contractor has not provided a SAM UEI to GMD. The Contractor at any tier shall also comply with applicable restrictions on subcontracts to subcontractors at any tier, including restrictions on subcontracts to entities that do not acquire and provide (to the subcontractor at any tier) the unique entity identifier assigned by SAM.
7. The Contractor at any tier shall have written procedures in place to respond in the event of an actual or imminent "breach" (OMB M-17-12) if the Contractor creates, collects, uses, processes, stores, maintains, disseminates, discloses, or disposes of "personally identifiable information (PII)" (2 C.F.R. 200.1) within the scope of an OVW grant-funded program or activity, or 2) uses or operates a "Federal information system" (OMB Circular A-130). The Contractor's breach procedures shall include a requirement to report actual or imminent breach of PII to GMD no later than 12 hours of an occurrence of an actual breach, or the detection of an imminent breach.
8. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with all applicable requirements (including requirements to report allegations) pertaining to prohibited conduct related to the trafficking of persons, whether on the part of the Contractor, or individuals defined (for purposes of this condition) as "employees" of the Contractor. The details of the Contractor obligations related to prohibited conduct related to trafficking in persons are posted on the OVW website at <https://www.justice.gov/ovw/award-conditions> (Award Condition: Prohibited conduct by recipients and subrecipients related to trafficking in persons (including reporting requirements and OVW authority to terminate award)), and are incorporated by reference here.
9. Determination of suitability required, in advance, for certain individuals who may interact with participating minors. This condition applies to this Contract if it is indicated in the Contract that a purpose of some or all of the activities to be carried out under the Contract is to benefit a set of individuals under 18 years of age. The Contractor, as well as any subcontractors or consultants providing services to minors shall make determinations of suitability before certain individuals may interact with participating minors. This requirement applies regardless of an individual's employment status. The details of this requirement are posted on the OVW website at <https://www.justice.gov/ovw/award-conditions> (Award condition: Determination of suitability required, in advance, for certain individuals who may interact with participating minors), and are incorporated by reference here.
10. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with all applicable laws, regulations, policies, and official DOJ or OVW guidance (including specific cost limits, prior approval, and reporting requirements, where applicable) governing the use of federal funds for expenses related to conferences (as the term is defined by DOJ), including the provision of food and/or beverages at such conferences. Information on the pertinent DOJ definition of conferences and the rules applicable to this Contract appears in the [DOJ Grants Financial Guide](#) and on the OVW website at <https://www.justice.gov/ovw/conference-planning>.
11. The Contractor shall collect and maintain data that measures the performance and effectiveness of work under the Contract. The data shall be provided to GMD in a manner (including within the timeframes) specified by GMD. Data collection supports compliance with the Government Performance and Results Act (GPRA) and the GPRA Modernization Act of 2010, and other applicable laws.

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12. The Contractor shall adhere to the OVW Training Guide Principles for Grantees and Subgrantees when developing or delivering any training or training materials generated under this Contract.
13. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with all applicable requirements of 28 C.F.R. Part 38. Among other things, 28 C.F.R. Part 38 includes rules that prohibit specific forms of discrimination on the basis of religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice. Part 38 also sets out rules and requirements that pertain to Contractor organizations that engage in or conduct explicitly religious activities.
14. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with all applicable requirements of 28 C.F.R. Part 42, specifically including any applicable requirements in Subpart E of 28 C.F.R. Part 42 that relates to an equal employment opportunity program.
15. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with all applicable requirements of 28 C.F.R. Part 54, which relates to nondiscrimination on the basis of sex in certain "education programs."
16. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with, and is subject to, all applicable provisions of 41 U.S.C. 4712, including all applicable provisions that prohibit, under specified circumstances, discrimination against an employee as reprisal for the employee's disclosure of information related to gross mismanagement of a federal grant, a gross waste of federal funds, an abuse of authority relating to a federal grant, a substantial and specific danger to public health or safety, or a violation of law, rule, or regulation related to a federal grant. The Contractor shall also inform its employees, in writing (and in the predominant native language of the workforce), of employee rights and remedies under 41 U.S.C. 4712. Should a question arise as to the applicability of the provisions of 41 U.S.C. 4712 to this Contract, the Contractor is to contact GMD for guidance.
17. In general, as a matter of federal law, this Contract may not be used, either directly or indirectly, to support or oppose the enactment, repeal, modification, or adoption of any law, regulation, or policy, at any level of government in order to avoid violation of 18 U.S.C. 1913. The Contractor may, however, use federal funds to collaborate with and provide information to federal, state, local, tribal and territorial public officials and agencies to develop and implement policies and develop and promote state, local, or tribal legislation or model codes designed to reduce or eliminate domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking (as those terms are defined in 34 U.S.C. 12291(a)) when such collaboration and provision of information is consistent with the activities otherwise authorized under this grant program. Another federal law generally prohibits this federal Contract from being used by the Contractor at any tier to pay any person to influence (or attempt to influence) a federal agency, a Member of Congress, or Congress (or an official or employee of any of them) with respect to the awarding of a federal grant or cooperative agreement, Contract "subgrant", subcontract, or loan, or with respect to actions such as renewing, extending, or modifying any such award. See 31 U.S.C. 1352. Certain exceptions to this law apply, including an exception that applies to Indian tribes and tribal organizations. Should any questions arise as to whether a particular use of federal funds by a Contractor would or might fall within the scope of these prohibitions; the Contractor is to contact GMD for guidance. The Contractor may not proceed without the express prior written approval of GMD.
18. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with all applicable restrictions on the use of federal funds set out in federal appropriations statutes. Pertinent restrictions, for each fiscal year, are set out at <https://www.justice.gov/ovw/award-conditions> (Award Condition: General appropriations-law restrictions on use of federal award funds), and are incorporated by reference here. Should a question arise as to whether a particular use of federal funds would or might fall within the scope of an appropriations-law restriction, the recipient is to contact GMD for guidance, and may not proceed without the express prior written approval of GMD.
19. The Contractor at any tier must refer to GMD, and the Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of the Inspector General (OIG), within five (5) days of identifying any credible evidence that a principal, employee, agent, contractor, subcontractor, or

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other person has, in connection with funds under this contract - 1) submitted a claim that violates the False Claims Act; or 2) committed a criminal or civil violation of laws pertaining to fraud, conflict of interest, bribery, gratuity, or similar misconduct. Potential fraud, waste, abuse, or misconduct involving or relating to funds under this contract should be reported to GMD through the Justice Listens contact page accessible at <https://justice.ky.gov/About/justicelistens/Pages/contactjl.aspx>, and to OIG by--(1) online submission accessible via the OIG webpage at <https://oig.justice.gov/hotline/contact-grants.htm> (select "Submit Report Online"); (2) mail directed to: U.S. Department of Justice, Office of the Inspector General, Investigations Division, ATTN: Grantee Reporting, 950 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20530; and/or (3) by facsimile directed to the DOJ OIG Investigations Division (Attn: Grantee Reporting) at (202) 616-9881 (fax). Additional information is available from the DOJ/OIG website at <https://oig.justice.gov/hotline>.

20. No Contractor at any tier under this Contract, or entity that receives a procurement contract or subcontract with any funds under this Contract, may require any employee or contractor to sign an internal confidentiality agreement or statement that prohibits or otherwise restricts, or purports to prohibit or restrict, the reporting (in accordance with law) of waste, fraud, or abuse to an investigative or law enforcement representative of a federal department or agency authorized to receive such information. The foregoing is not intended, and shall not be understood by DOJ or GMD, to contravene requirements applicable to Standard Form 312 (which relates to classified information), Form 4414 (which relates to sensitive compartmental information), or any other form issued by a federal department or agency governing nondisclosure of classified information.
- a. In accepting this award, the Contractor--
 - i. represents that it neither requires nor has required internal confidentiality agreements or statements from employees or contractors that currently prohibit or otherwise currently restrict (or purport to prohibit or restrict) employees or contractors from reporting waste, fraud, or abuse as described above; and
 - ii. certifies that, if it learns or is notified that it is or has been requiring its employees or contractors to execute agreements or statements that prohibit or otherwise restrict (or purport to prohibit or restrict), reporting of waste, fraud, or abuse as described above, it shall immediately stop any further obligations of federal Contract funds, shall provide prompt written notification to GMD and OVC, and shall resume (or permit resumption of) such obligations only if expressly authorized to do so by GMD and OVC.
 - b. If the Contractor does or is authorized under this award to make contracts ("subgrants"), procurement contracts, or both--
 - i. it represents that--
 1. it has determined that no other entity that the Contractor's application proposes may or will receive these federal contract funds (whether through a contract ("subgrant"), procurement contract, or subcontract under a procurement contract) either requires or has required internal confidentiality agreements or statements from employees or contractors that currently prohibit or otherwise currently restrict (or purport to prohibit or restrict) employees or contractors from reporting waste, fraud, or abuse as described above; and
 2. it has made appropriate inquiry, or otherwise has an adequate factual basis, to support this representation; and
 - ii. it certifies that, if it learns or is notified that any contractor or subcontractor entity that receives funds under this Contract is or has been requiring its employees or contractors to execute agreements

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or statements that prohibit or otherwise restrict (or purport to prohibit or restrict), reporting of waste, fraud, or abuse as described above, it shall immediately stop any further obligations of Contract funds to or by that entity, shall provide prompt written notification to GMD and OVW, and shall resume (or permit resumption of) such obligations only if expressly authorized to do so by GMD and OVW.

21. Pursuant to Executive Order 13513, "Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging While Driving," 74 Fed. Reg. 51225 (October 1, 2009), the Contractor at any tier is encouraged to adopt and enforce policies banning employees from text messaging while driving any vehicle during the course of performing work funded by the Contract, and to establish workplace safety policies and conduct education, awareness, and other outreach to decrease crashes caused by distracted drivers.
22. The Contractor at any tier authorizes the GMD, the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW), the Kentucky Auditor of Public Accounts (APA), and/or the Office of the Chief Financial Officer (OCFO) and its representatives, access to and the right to examine all records, books, paper, or electronic documents related to the Contract.
23. The Contractor shall not use this Contract to supplant State and local funds that would otherwise be available for the activities under this Contract.
24. The Contractor at any tier shall not exclude, deny benefits to, or discriminate against any person on the basis of actual or perceived race, color, religion, national origin, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, or disability in any program or activity funded in whole or in part by OVW. The Contractor at any tier may provide sex-segregated or sex-specific programming if doing so is necessary to the essential operations of the program, so long as the Contractor at any tier provides comparable services to those who cannot be provided with the sex-segregated or sex-specific programming.
25. The Contractor at any tier shall comply with the provisions of 34 U.S.C. 12291(b) (2), nondisclosure of confidential or private information, which includes creating and maintaining documentation of compliance, such as policies and procedures for release of victim information. The Contractor at any tier shall also apply with the regulations implementing this provision at 28 CFR 90.4(b) and "Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) on the VAWA Confidentiality Provision (34 U.S.C. 12291(b)(2))" on the OVW website at <https://www.justice.gov/ovw/resources-and-faqs-grantees>. The Contractor shall maintain this condition when collaborating with or providing information to public officials and agencies to develop and implement policies and develop and promote legislation or model codes to reduce or eliminate domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
26. The Contractor at any tier shall not use grant funds to support activities that compromise victim safety and recovery or undermine offender accountability, such as: procedures or policies that exclude victims from receiving safe shelter, advocacy services, counseling, and other assistance based on their actual or perceived sex, age, immigration status, race, religion, sexual orientation, gender identity, mental health condition, physical health condition, criminal record, work in the sex industry, or the age and/or sex of their children; procedures or policies that compromise the confidentiality of information and privacy of persons receiving OVW-funded services; procedures or policies that impose requirements on victims in order to receive services (e.g., seek an order of protection, receive counseling, participate in couples' counseling or mediation, report to law enforcement, seek civil or criminal remedies, etc.); procedures or policies that fail to ensure service providers conduct safety planning with victims; project design and budgets that fail to account for the access needs of participants with disabilities and participants who have limited English proficiency or are Deaf or hard of hearing; or any other activities outlined in the solicitation or companion guide under which the application was submitted.
27. The Contractor at any tier must have a policy or issue a policy within 270 days of the contract date, to address workplace-related incidents of sexual misconduct, domestic violence, and dating violence involving an employee,

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volunteer, consultant, or contractor. The details of this requirement are posted on the OVW website at <https://www.justice.gov/ovw/subaward-conditions> (Award Condition: Policy for response to workplace-related sexual misconduct, domestic violence, and dating violence), and are incorporated by reference here.

28. The Contractor at any tier must obtain advance written approval from GMD and from the OVW program manager assigned to the federal award from which Contract funds are derived, and must comply with all conditions specified by GMD and the OVW program manager in connection with that approval, before: 1) using Contract funds to purchase ownership of, or a license to use, a copyrighted work; or 2) incorporating any copyrighted work, or portion thereof, into a new work developed using Contract funds. The Contractor at any tier understands and agrees that OVW reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable right to reproduce, publish, or otherwise use the work, in whole or in part (including in the creation of derivative works), for federal purposes, and to authorize others to do so.
29. The Contractor at any tier using Contract funds for prosecution activities shall comply with the statutory certification requirement of 34 U.S.C. 10454 (regarding victim-centered prosecution). The Contractor shall also provide the Commonwealth with a timeline for timely completion of the requirements and, upon request, other documentation of progress. Non-compliance with any of the foregoing may also result in termination or suspension of the Contract or other remedial measures, in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.
30. The Contractor shall comply with the following legal assistance eligibility requirements for all legal assistance activities using Contract funds: (1) any person providing legal assistance through a program funded under this Contract (A)(i) is a licensed attorney or is working under the direct supervision of a licensed attorney, (ii) in immigration proceedings, is a Board of Immigration Appeals accredited representative, (iii) in Veterans' Administration claims, is an accredited representative, or (iv) is any person who functions as an attorney or lay advocate in tribal court; and (B)(i) has demonstrated expertise in providing legal assistance to victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking in the targeted population; or (ii)(I) is partnered with an entity or person that has demonstrated expertise described in clause (i) and (II) has completed or will complete training in connection with domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, or sexual assault and related legal issues, including training on evidence-based risk factors for domestic and dating violence homicide; (2) any training program conducted in satisfaction of the requirement of paragraph (1) has been or will be developed with input from and in collaboration with a tribal, state, territorial, local, or culturally specific domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking victim service provider or coalition, as well as appropriate tribal, state, territorial, and local law enforcement officials; (3) any person or organization providing legal assistance using Contract funds has informed and will continue to inform state, local, territorial, or tribal domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, or sexual assault programs and coalitions, as well as appropriate state and local law enforcement officials of their work; and (4) the Contractor's organizational policies do not require mediation or counseling involving offenders and victims physically together, in cases where sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, stalking, or child sexual abuse is an issue.
31. The Contractor shall provide no less than 25 percent matching funds unless the Contractor is a qualifying victim service provider as defined by 34 U.S.C. §12291(a) (50) or requests and is granted a waiver or partial waiver by GMD.
32. Contractor shall ensure that all VAWA funded staff, including those applied as match, complete twelve (12) hours of related training during the grant award period including:
 - a. At least two (2) hours of training in the area of meaningful access covering one or more of the following training topics:
 - i. providing culturally competent and/or accessible services,
 - ii. providing anti-oppressive,
 - iii. anti-racist services and/or

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- iv. a related topic.
- b. At least one (1) hour of training in the area of domestic violence risk assessment and reduction, lethality or a related topic.
Training may be in-person, online or virtual. Completed training shall be documented on quarterly Progress Reports and supporting documentation held in contractor grant files. If a new staff member is added to the project late in the award period, contractor may contact GMD to discuss the possible proration of the training requirement.
- 33. Contractor shall ensure that all agency staff complete a minimum of two (2) hours of training during the grant year in the area of meaningful access that may include providing culturally competent and/or accessible services, providing anti-oppressive and /or anti-racist services or a related topic. Training may be in-person, on-line or virtual. training shall be documented on the 4th quarter Progress Reports and supporting documentation held in contractor grant files.
- 34. Contractors receiving funds from the court funding allocation shall identify or provide on-line, virtual or in person training opportunities on topics related to domestic violence risk assessment and reduction, lethality or a related topic for judges and court staff who interact with victims of domestic violence. Documentation of any trainings offered and/or qualifying trainings identified, how judges and court staff were notified of the available training opportunities, the number of judges and staff who attended qualifying training, the training attended by each judge or staff member and the length of the training attended by each shall be provided as an attachment to the 4th Quarter Progress Report in IGX.
- 35. Contractors who use VAWA funds to employ law enforcement officers or prosecutors shall require VAWA funded staff to actively participate on or support any Sexual Assault Response Teams (SARTs) or other community coordinated responses to sexual assault, dating/domestic violence or stalking within their jurisdiction and if none exists, to initiate discussion and efforts to implement at least one such team within the jurisdiction served. Efforts shall be documented on quarterly Progress Reports.

Grants Management Division Standard Terms and Conditions

1. The Contractor shall take reasonable steps to provide meaningful access to their programs and activities for persons with Limited English Proficiency (LEP), in accordance with DOJ, pertaining to Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d.
2. The Contractor shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws. Contractor shall also comply with all applicable Commonwealth of Kentucky, Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, Grants Management Division policies and procedures unless a specific exemption has been granted by the Grants Management Division to the Contractor.
3. Pursuant to 34 USC § 60105, the Death in Custody Act (DCRA), any Contractor state and local law enforcement or correctional agency shall identify all reportable in-custody deaths that occurred in their jurisdictions by notifying the Kentucky Justice and Public Safety Cabinet's Criminal Justice Statistical Analysis Center at jus.dicrareporting@ky.gov.
4. The Contractor shall receive and engage in any training and technical assistance activities required in writing by GMD.
5. The Contractor understands and agrees that GMD and/or OVW may withhold award funds, or may impose other related requirements, if (as determined by GMD or OVW) the Contractor does not satisfactorily and within sixty (60) days address outstanding issues from audits required by the Part 200 Uniform Requirements (or by the terms of this award), or other outstanding issues that arise in connection with audits, investigations, or reviews of OVW awards or Contracts made by GMD.
6. The Contractor and all its subcontractors shall ensure each award is accounted for separately to prevent comingling of funds, which is prohibited. Funds specifically budgeted and/or received for one project may not be used to support another. The Contractor is required to maintain an adequate accounting system that allows the Contractor to maintain documentation to support all receipts and expenditures of

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- awarded funds. Furthermore, all financial statements and accounting transactions shall be prepared in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.
7. Contractors that are state agencies shall utilize eMARS funding codes approved by GMD to ensure proper drawdown and reimbursement of funds. State agencies shall verify their eMARS funding codes with GMD staff prior to submission of their first Financial Report.
 8. The maximum compensation rate for a consultant under this Contract shall be \$81.25/hr or \$650/day.
 9. The Contractor may be required by the State Administering Agency to obtain a surety bond if the approved federal share is greater than \$100,000 or if determined to be a high-risk agency. In general, a Contractor may be designated as high-risk if any of the following apply to the Contractor:
 - a. Has a history of unsatisfactory performance;
 - b. Is not financially stable;
 - c. Has a management system that does not meet the standards set forth in 2 C.F.R. Part 200 (Subpart D-Post Federal Award Requirements (Standards for Financial and Program Management));
 - d. Has not conformed to the terms and conditions of previous awards; or
 - e. Is otherwise not responsible.
 10. The Contractor shall comply with the procurement procedures and regulations set forth by the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Finance and Administration Cabinet, <https://finance.ky.gov/services/eprocurement/Pages/LawsPrefRegsPolicies.aspx>. Note: the Contractor shall follow the most restrictive policy, whether it is the U.S. Department of Justice (if applicable), Commonwealth of Kentucky, or the Contractor's.
 11. The Contractor shall commence project activities within sixty (60) days of the approved project start date for the Contract, unless otherwise specified in the grant application. If the project is not operational within that time period, written notification shall be submitted to GMD including detailed steps taken to initiate the project, reason(s) for delay, and expected starting time. GMD may cancel the project and/or redistribute funds if the project is not implemented within a reasonable timeframe and/or justification is not provided. Any new positions requested in the grant shall be filled within sixty (60) days of the approved project start date for the Contract, unless otherwise discussed with GMD; failure to do so may result in a decrease in Contract funds.
 12. The Contractor shall not make changes to the overall scope of the project without express written prior approval from GMD. However, minor changes to the project and budget adjustments may be requested using the GAM process. Approval of a GAM shall be obtained prior to any obligation of grant funds not approved in the most current version of the budget. GAMs shall be submitted by October 31, 2024, unless otherwise approved by GMD staff, and retroactive revisions shall not be approved. GMD shall be notified in writing of all employee changes pertaining to this grant within thirty (30) days of occurrence. A GAM is required for changes in the Contractor Executive Director, Financial Officer, or Project Director. Contractor should note that its Financial Officer cannot be the same person that functions as the Contractor Executive Director or Project Director.
 13. The Contractor shall maintain time and activity records for all personnel (including volunteers if applicable) assigned to this award. Support shall reasonably reflect the total activity for which the employee is compensated by the organization and cover both federally funded and all other activities. Where grant recipients work on multiple grant programs or cost activities, documentation shall support a reasonable allocation or distribution of costs among specific activities or cost objectives. Timesheet records shall be signed by the individual and his/her immediate supervisor, and records retention requirements shall be followed. Timesheets shall include activity, dates of activity, assigned codes, number of hours worked, name, and signature. Electronic signature is allowable.

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14. Unless otherwise approved, the Contractor shall purchase equipment funded with this award within the first four (4) months of the project. This allows acquisition time and provides eight (8) months in which to use the equipment.
15. The Contractor shall ensure that any materials resulting from grant-funded project activities, including any websites funded in whole or in part by this Contract, shall contain an acknowledgement of support through the use of the following or comparable footnote: "This project was supported by Subaward Number (insert current subaward number) awarded through the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, state administering office for the Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice's STOP Formula Grant Program. The opinions, findings, conclusions, and recommendations expressed in this publication/program/exhibition are those of the author(s) and do not necessarily reflect the views of the Kentucky Justice and Public Safety Cabinet or the U.S. Department of Justice."
16. The Contractor shall submit financial and program reports at least quarterly, as required.
 - a. The Contractor shall collect and maintain data that measures the performance and effectiveness of work under this award. The data shall be provided to OVW and GMD in the manner (including timeframes) specified by OVW or GMD in the program solicitation or other applicable written guidance.
 - b. The Contractor's Financial Director or designee shall approve financial reports. Failure to submit financial reports according to the time set forth may result in delays or withholding of funds. Financial reports may be submitted on a monthly or quarterly basis as determined by the Contractor with approval by GMD; however, once a method is selected, it cannot be changed during the grant period.
 - c. Contractors shall submit to GMD financial reports which include itemized expenses requested for reimbursement. Invoices and other documentation of award and any required match expenditures shall be submitted with each quarterly or monthly financial report, as required. Copies of Contracts associated with any expenditures within the Contractual services category of the approved budget shall be submitted to GMD within ten days of execution. For information on Contract assistance, including type of Contract needed and verbiage may be found at http://www.ojp.gov/funding/pdfs/procurement_procedures.pdf.
 - d. If it is determined the Contractor is non-compliant with the DOJ Grants Financial Guide, 2 C.F.R. § 200, or any applicable Commonwealth of Kentucky, Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, Grants Management Division policies and procedures at any time throughout the duration of the award, a more stringent review of the Contractor may be undertaken to determine the extent of non-compliance. If at the conclusion of the review, GMD staff continue to have concerns, additional corrective action steps may be taken which may include but are not limited to, technical assistance, a corrective action plan, or a formal audit.
 - e. The Contractor assures that it will collect and maintain information on race/ethnicity; gender; age; and victims who identify as LGBTQ, as having a disability, as being limited English proficient, as D/deaf or hard of hearing, as immigrants, refugees, or asylum seekers, as being in a correctional setting and as living in a rural area, where such information is voluntarily furnished by the victim.
 - f. Contractors are required to submit performance reports to GMD within the identified timeframe and an additional annual report in early 2024 on a form provided by OVW and GMD and by the deadline provided by GMD staff. GMD programmatic reports must be submitted in Intelligrants 10.0 (IGX) each quarter. The schedule for filing quarterly reports is as follows:
 - i. Quarter 1 runs from January 1st – March 31st with reporting due April 15th;
 - ii. Quarter 2 runs from April 1st – June 30th with reporting due July 15th;

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- iii. Quarter 3 runs from July 1st – September 30th with reporting due October 15th;
 - iv. Quarter 4 runs from October 1st – December 31st with reporting due January 15th.
17. The Contractor shall adhere to the Contractor's own written hiring policies, as well as any statutory or regulatory requirements, when hiring for grant-funded positions.
 18. Contractor shall maintain a conflict of interest policy consistent with 2 C.F.R. § 200.318(c) and that such conflict of interest policy is applicable to each activity funded under this award. Contractor shall disclose in writing to GMD and DOJ any potential conflict of interest affecting the awarded funds in accordance with 2 C.F.R. § 200.112. Failure to do so may result in withholding of reimbursement, termination of the award, or other appropriate action.
 19. The Contractor shall comply with any additional requirements that may be imposed by GMD during the period of performance for this award, if the Contractor is designated as "high-risk" either as a result of the GMD risk assessment process, or for purposes of the DOJ high-risk grantee list.
 20. The Director of GMD, upon a finding that there (1) has been substantial failure by the Contractor to comply with applicable laws, regulations, and/or the terms and conditions of the award or relevant solicitation, (2) has been failure by the Contractor to make satisfactory progress toward the goals, objectives, or strategies set forth in the application, or (3) have been project changes proposed or implemented by the Contractor to the extent that, if originally submitted, the application would not have been selected for funding, may terminate or suspend until the Director is satisfied that there is no longer such failure or changes, all or part of the award, in accordance with the provisions of 28 C.F.R. Part 18, as applicable mutatis mutandis. The federal regulation providing uniform rules for termination of grants and cooperative agreements is 2 C.F.R. 200.340.
 21. The Contractor shall provide services, at no charge, through the VAWA-funded project. Any deviation from this provision requires prior approval from GMD.

Justice and Public Safety Cabinet Terms and Conditions

1. Contractor shall comply at all times with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, executive orders, and attorney general opinions.
2. Contractor shall comply with all applicable Commonwealth of Kentucky Executive Department policies and procedures, and Commonwealth Office of Technology policies and procedures.
3. The Contractor shall report any and all acts and omissions constituting a violation of applicable federal, state, or local laws, policies and procedures, or this Contract, to the Commonwealth in writing within one business day of the discovery of the violation.
4. To the extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the Commonwealth against any and all claims, losses, demands, obligations, and litigation, including attorneys' fees, that result from or by: (1) services rendered by the Contractor in connection with performance of this Contract; (2) any and all bad-faith, erroneous, negligent, reckless, and unlawful acts and omissions of the Contractor, its officers, or employees in the performance of this Contract; (3) the Contractor's creation of a hazardous condition or exacerbation of a pre-existing hazardous condition; (4) the Contractor's publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, use, or disposition, of any data processed under the Contract in a manner not authorized by the Contract, or by federal or Commonwealth regulations or statutes; (5) the Contractor's employment practices during the term of this Contract; and (6) any failure of the Contractor, its officers, or employees to observe federal, state, and local laws, including but not limited to labor laws and minimum wage laws.
5. Both parties, including any subcontractors or agents of each, shall comply with all applicable state and federal confidentiality laws, including the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, and to protect the security, confidentiality, and integrity of education and health information. The

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Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the Commonwealth shall be entitled, without waiving any other rights or remedies, to injunctive or equitable relief to enforce the requirements of this provision of this Contract.

6. Vendors and other state agencies that receive Personal Information as defined by and in accordance with Kentucky's Personal Information Security and Breach Investigation Procedures and Practices Act, KRS 61.931, et seq. ("the Act"), shall secure and protect the Personal Information by, without limitation, complying with all requirements applicable to non-affiliated third parties set for in the Act.

6.1. "Personal Information" is defined in accordance with KRS 61.931(6) as "an individual's first name or first initial and last name; personal mark; or unique biometric or genetic print or image, in combination with one(1) or more of the following data elements:

6.1.1. An account, credit card number, or debit card number that, in combination with any required security code, access code, or password, would permit access to an account;

6.1.2. A Social Security number;

6.1.3. A taxpayer identification number that incorporates a Social Security number;

6.1.4. A driver's license number, state identification card number, or other individual identification number issued by an agency;

6.1.5. A passport number or other identification number issued by the United States government; or

6.1.6. Individually Identifiable Information as defined in 45 C.F.R. sec. 160.013 (of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act), except for education records covered by the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act, as amended 20 U.S.C. sec. 1232g.

6.2. As provided in KRS 61.931(5), a "non-affiliated third party" means "any person or entity that has a agreement or contract with the Commonwealth and receives (accesses, collects, or maintains) personal information from the Commonwealth pursuant to the contract or Contract."

6.3. The Contractor shall cooperate with the Commonwealth in complying with the response, mitigation, correction, investigation, and notification requirements of the Act.

6.4. The Contractor shall notify as soon as possible, but not to exceed seventy-two (72) hours, the Commonwealth, the Commissioner of the Kentucky State Police, the Auditor of Public Accounts, and the Commonwealth Office of Technology, of a determination of, or knowledge of, a breach, unless the exception set forth in KRS 61.932(2) applies and the Contractor abides by the requirements set for in that exception. Notification shall be in writing on a form developed by the Commonwealth Office of Technology

6.5. The Contractor shall undertake a prompt and reasonable investigation of any breach as required by KRS 61.933.

6.6. Upon conclusion of an investigation of a security breach of Personal Information as required by KRS 61.933, the Contractor shall pay the costs of the notification, investigation, and mitigation of the security breach.

6.7. In accordance with KRS 61.932(2)(a), the Contractor shall implement, maintain, and update security and breach investigation procedures that are appropriate to the nature of the information disclosed, that are at least as stringent as the security and breach investigation procedures and practices established by the Commonwealth Office of Technology.

7. The Contractor shall not distribute, divulge, publish, or release any data or information obtained from or owned by the Commonwealth without the prior written approval of the Commonwealth unless compelled to do so by law or by a judicially signed order from a court of competent jurisdiction. The Contractor acknowledges that it receives the Commonwealth's data or information solely for the purposes of this Contract, and that its receipt of the Commonwealth's data or information in no way creates any ownership interest in the Commonwealth's data or information, unless explicitly provided otherwise within the terms and conditions of this Contract.

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8. The Contractor shall ensure that any and all access to Commonwealth data by Contractor personnel is limited to only those Contractor personnel with a necessary and essential purpose to fulfill the terms and conditions within this Contract.

9. The Contractor shall not utilize Commonwealth data for the Contractor's benefit except as contemplated within and pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Contract. The Contractor shall not sell or resell any and all Commonwealth data.

10. The Contractor shall ensure that any and all data transmitted and received on behalf of and as directed by the Commonwealth is transmitted and received only via secure methods and protocols.

11. Upon the expiration of the term of this Contract, unless it is renewed prior to its expiration, the Contractor shall either: (1) return any and all data provided by the Commonwealth, destroy any and all copies of the data in whatever form they occur, complete the attached Data Destruction Certification, and submit the certificate to the Commonwealth no less than 7 calendar days after expiration of this Contract; (2) destroy the data, including any and all copies of the data in whatever form they occur, without returning the data to the Commonwealth, complete the attached Data Destruction Certification, and submit the certificate to the Commonwealth no less than 7 calendar days after expiration of this Contract; or (3) retain the data subject to the terms of this Contract regarding data ownership, privacy, and breach. The Commonwealth retains discretion to choose the option Contractor shall perform. In the event that the Commonwealth has not communicated to the Contractor which option should be followed, the Contractor shall perform the actions listed in option (1).

12. The parties agree that they receive all information communicated between them before the execution of this Contract in strict confidence and that the receiving party, its agents, or employees shall not, without prior written consent of the other party, disclose any such information, subject to Commonwealth of Kentucky and federal disclosure laws.

13. The Contractor shall not represent that a working copy, draft, or the finalized version of this Contract is identical to a previous iteration of this Contract if the Contractor has made edits since the last iteration. The Contractor shall clearly present all edits, either through editing functions in word processing software, or as a list provided contemporaneously with the most recently edited iteration.

14. During the term of this Contract, Contractor shall be authorized in its sole discretion to discipline, terminate, or take any other personnel action against Contractor personnel. Upon communication by Commonwealth of an issue with Contractor personnel, Contractor shall have the sole authority to take action to effect a solution.

15. In no event shall any person or entity be deemed to be a third-party beneficiary of this Contract.

16. The Contractor acknowledges that the Commonwealth may execute Contracts with other vendors for additional or related goods and services that address, interact with, or otherwise regard this Contract. The Contractor shall fully cooperate with such other vendors and vendor personnel, agents, and designees. The Contractor shall not commit any act; allow any omission; or permit its personnel, agents, or designees to commit any act or allow any omission that will interfere with the performance of work by any other vendor or any other vendor's personnel, agents, or designees.

17. Each party shall provide a contact to resolve any and all issues related to this Contract and promptly update the contact information as necessary.

18. All notices under this Contract shall be given in writing. Electronic mail constitutes a writing.

19. No change, waiver, or discharge of any liability or obligation under this Contract on any one or more occasions shall be deemed a waiver of performance of any continuing or other obligation, or shall prohibit enforcement of any obligation, on any other occasion.

20. No party shall assign its respective rights or obligations under this Contract without prior written consent of the other party. Any purported assignment or delegation in violation of this Contract is void.

21. The Contractor agrees that any and all violations of this Contract may result in the immediate termination of this Contract. Unless federal law applies, this Contract shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

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22. The parties agree that any claim, action, or lawsuit arising under this Contract must be brought in Franklin County in Frankfort, Kentucky, unless federal law applies, in which case any claim, action, or lawsuit arising under this Contract must be brought in the United States District Court in Lexington, Kentucky.

23. This Contract is the final and exclusive agreement between the parties. All prior negotiations and agreements are superseded by this Contract.

24. Nothing in this Contract shall be deemed to waive, or otherwise limit, the rights, privileges, immunities, including sovereign immunity granted under Kentucky Constitution §§ 230 & 231 and the United States Constitution Eleventh Amendment, and matters of defense now available or hereafter made available to the Commonwealth and/or its officers and employees.

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**Memorandum of Agreement Standard Terms and Conditions
Revised January 2023**

1.00 Effective Date

All Memorandum of Agreements are not effective until the Secretary of the Finance and Administration Cabinet or his authorized designee has approved the agreement and until the agreement has been submitted to the government contract review committee. However, in accordance with KRS 45A.700, memoranda of agreement in aggregate amounts of \$50,000 or less are exempt from review by the committee and need only be filed with the committee within 30 days of their effective date for informational purposes.

KRS 45A.695(7) provides that payments on personal service contracts and memoranda of agreement shall not be authorized for services rendered after government contract review committee disapproval, unless the decision of the committee is overridden by the Secretary of the Finance and Administration Cabinet or agency head, if the agency has been granted delegation authority by the Secretary.

2.00 EEO Requirements

The Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1978 applies to All State government projects with an estimated value exceeding \$500,000. The contractor shall comply with all terms and conditions of the Act.

3.00 Cancellation Clause

Both parties shall have the right to terminate and cancel this contract at any time not to exceed thirty (30) days' written notice served on the Contractor by registered or certified mail.

4.00 Funding Out Provision

The state agency may terminate this agreement if funds are not appropriated to the contracting agency or are not otherwise available for the purpose of making payments without incurring any obligation for payment after the date of termination, regardless of the terms of the agreement. The state agency shall provide the Contractor thirty (30) calendar day's written notice of termination of the agreement due to lack of available funding.

5.00 Reduction in Contract Worker Hours

The Kentucky General Assembly may allow for a reduction in contract worker hours in conjunction with a budget balancing measure for some professional and non-professional

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service contracts. If under such authority the agency is required by Executive Order or otherwise to reduce contract hours, the agreement will be reduced by the amount specified in that document. If the contract funding is reduced, then the scope of work related to the contract may also be reduced commensurate with the reduction in funding. This reduction of the scope shall be agreeable to both parties and shall not be considered a breach of contract.

6.00 Access to Records

The state agency certifies that it is in compliance with the provisions of KRS 45A.695, "Access to contractor's books, documents, papers, records, or other evidence directly pertinent to the contract." The Contractor, as defined in KRS 45A.030, agrees that the contracting agency, the Finance and Administration Cabinet, the Auditor of Public Accounts, and the Legislative Research Commission, or their duly authorized representatives, shall have access to any books, documents, papers, records, or other evidence, which are directly pertinent to this agreement for the purpose of financial audit or program review. The Contractor also recognizes that any books, documents, papers, records, or other evidence, received during a financial audit or program review shall be subject to the Kentucky Open Records Act, KRS 61.870 to 61.884. Records and other prequalification information confidentially disclosed as part of the bid process shall not be deemed as directly pertinent to the agreement and shall be exempt from disclosure as provided in KRS 61.878(1)(c).

7.00 Violation of tax and employment laws

KRS 45A.485 requires the Contractor and all subcontractors performing work under the contract to reveal to the Commonwealth any final determination of a violation by the Contractor within the previous five (5) year period of the provisions of KRS chapters 136, 139, 141, 337, 338, 341, and 342. These statutes relate to corporate and utility tax, sales and use tax, income tax, wages and hours laws, occupational safety and health laws, unemployment insurance laws, and workers compensation insurance laws, respectively. Disclosure of any violations is required prior to the award of any state contract and throughout the duration the contract.

Failure to disclose violations, shall be grounds for the Commonwealth's disqualification of a contractor or subcontractor from eligibility for future state contracts for a period of two (2) years.

To comply with KRS 45A.485, the Contractor and all subcontractors performing work

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under this contract shall report any such final determination(s) of any violation(s) within the previous five (5) years to the Commonwealth by providing a list of the following information regarding any violation(s): (1) specific KRS violated, (2) date of any final determination of a violation, and (3) state agency which issued the final determination.

A list of any disclosures made prior to award of a contract shall be attached to the contract.

The Contractor affirms that it has not violated any of the provisions of the above statutes within the previous five (5) year period, aside from violations explicitly disclosed and attached to this contract. Contractor further affirms that it will (1) communicate the above KRS 45A.485 disclosure requirements to any subcontractors and (2) disclose any subcontractor violations it becomes aware of to the Commonwealth.

8.00 Discrimination

This section applies only to agreements disbursing federal funds, in whole or part, when the terms for receiving those funds mandate its inclusion. Discrimination (because of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, or disability) is prohibited. During the performance of this agreement, the Contractor agrees as follows:

The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or age. The Contractor further agrees to comply with the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), Public Law 101-336, and applicable federal regulations relating thereto prohibiting discrimination against otherwise qualified disabled individuals under any program or activity. The Contractor agrees to provide, upon request, needed reasonable accommodations. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age or disability. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following; employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensations; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices setting forth the provisions of this non-discrimination clause.

In all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, the Contractor will, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration

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for employment without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age or disability.

The Contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he/she has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice advising the said labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this section, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance.

The Contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order No. 11246 of September 24, 1965 as amended, and of the rules, regulations and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.

The Contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order No. 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, and by the rules, regulations and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations and orders.

In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this agreement or with any of the said rules, regulations or orders, this agreement may be cancelled, terminated or suspended in whole or in part and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further government contracts or federally-assisted construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order No. 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in or as otherwise provided by law.

The Contractor will include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) of section 202 of Executive Order 11246 in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations or orders of the Secretary of Labor, issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order No. 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance; provided, however, that in the event a Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the agency,

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the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

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Approvals

This contract is subject to the terms and conditions stated herein. By affixing signatures below, the parties verify that they are authorized to enter into this contract and that they accept and consent to be bound by the terms and conditions stated herein. In addition, the parties agree that (i) electronic approvals may serve as electronic signatures, and (ii) this contract may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which when executed and delivered shall constitute a duplicate original, but all counterparts together shall constitute a single contract.

1st Party:

Signature

Title

Printed Name

Date

2nd Party:

Linda Gorton

Signature

Mayor

Title

Linda Gorton

Printed Name

12/16/2023

Date

Other Party:

Signature

Title

Printed Name

Date

Approved as to form and legality:

Attorney Signature

Date

Printed Name



Commonwealth of Kentucky

CONTRACT MODIFICATION

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 Grant activity-Div of Emergency Mgmt

Reason for Modification: MODIFICATION #1
 July 14, 2023

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 Amount of Increase/Decrease - \$0.00
 New Contract Amount - \$19,997,077.17

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 The Hatch Act; and,
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Change service date end from June 30, 2024 to June 30, 2034.

Issuer Contact:

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 Phone: 502-607-5709
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Vendor Name:

Multiple Provider

 702 Capitol Avenue
 OMPS
 Frankfort

Vendor No.

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Vendor Contact

Name: No Contact
 Phone: XXX-XXX-XXXX
 Email:

KY 40601

Effective From: 07/01/2022

Effective To: 06/30/2034

Line Item	Delivery Date	Quantity	Unit	Description	Unit Price	Contract Amount	Total Price
1		0.00000		FEMA DR-4428 Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)	\$0.000000	\$19,997,077.17	\$19,997,077.17

Extended Description:

Reference PON2 21*1036

1. FAIN# FEMA-4428-DR-KY

2. Federal Award Date - May 5, 2020

3. Description - The Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, as appropriated to the Department of Homeland Security each Fiscal year, provides funding to States, Territories, federally-recognized tribes and local communities in their efforts to reduce the risk of future damage, loss of life and property in any area affected by a major disaster. This program is authorized by the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, Public Law 93-288, and 42 U.S.C 5170c under the guidance of 2 CFR 200. The Commonwealth acts as the Grantee for this grant program and the communities/entities are the SUB-grantee. These funds will be reimbursed to eligible sub-grantees in all 120 counties for eligible work completed on behalf of any approved projects. Beginning on February 6, 2019 and continuing through March 10, 2019, the Commonwealth of Kentucky experienced a system that produced strong winds and episodes of torrential rain which caused flooding, flash flooding, landslides and mudslide severely affected the many Counties of the Commonwealth. The Kentucky Emergency Management (KYEM) Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) provides supplemental federal disaster grant assistance statewide for eligible mitigation projects as stated in 44 CFR 206.43. These funds will be reimbursed to eligible sub-grantees (state and local governments and nonprofits) in all 120 counties for eligible work completed on behalf of the approved project.

4. Name of Federal awarding agency FEMA Region IV - Richard S. Flood, Chief, Hazard Mitigation Assistance Branch or Nika Barnard (770) 220-5261; Pass-through entity - Kentucky Emergency Management

5. CFDA# and Name - 97.039 Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, amount available under award 12 month lock-in letter dated 05/05/2019- \$16,339,949.00.

Shipping Information:	Billing Information:
DR4428-0022 LFUCG 200 E Main Street Lexington KY 40507	DMA - Division of Administrative Services 100 Minuteman Pkwy Procurement Sec Frankfort KY 40601

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Memorandum of Agreement Terms and Conditions

This Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) is entered into, by and between the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Department of Military Affairs, Division of Emergency Management (the "Commonwealth") and DR-4428 subrecipients ("the Contractor") to establish an agreement for implementation of elements of a federal program, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP). The Commonwealth and Contractor may collectively be referred to as "Parties". The initial MOA is effective from July 1, 2022, through ~~June 30, 2024~~ June 30, 2034.

Scope of Services

Beginning May 5, 2019 Kentucky received a Presidential Disaster Declaration FEMA-4428-DR-KY as a result of the Commonwealth of Kentucky experiencing a system that produced strong winds and episodes of torrential rain which caused flooding, flash flooding, landslides and mudslide between February 6, 2019 and continuing through March 10, 2019. The Kentucky Emergency Management (KYEM) Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) provides supplemental federal disaster grant assistance statewide for eligible mitigation projects as stated in 44 CFR 206.434. The Commonwealth acts as the Grantee for this grant program and the communities/entities are the SUB-grantee. These funds will be reimbursed to eligible sub-grantees (state and local governments and nonprofits) in all 120 counties for eligible work completed on behalf of the approved project.

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The total contract amount is for \$19,997,077.17. Payments from the contract will be made through the reimbursement process, whereby the Second Party provides backup for the expenditures and is reimbursed after review by the First Party.

The Second Party fees and expenses relative to the performance of the scope of services outlined in this Contract and in the detailed attachment(s) to this contract shall not exceed the Total Order Amount as set forth on signature page of this Contract. The subject services and functions are to be performed during the term of this contract as set forth on page 1. It is understood that this contract is not effective and binding until approved by the Secretary of the Finance and Administration Cabinet and/or Legislative Research Commission's Government Contract Review Committee per KRS 45A.705.

Payment by the First Party to the Second Party shall be made only after receipt of appropriate, acceptable and timely invoice, as so described in this Contract, and as submitted in written or electronic format to the First Party by the Second Party. The preferred method of payment will be through electronic funds transfer.

(a) The contractor shall be reimbursed for no other expenses than those, which have been expressly detailed in this Contract. All direct charges shall be documented to support the direct charging of the expense.

(b) Where applicable:

(i) Invoicing for fee: The contractor's fee shall be original invoice(s) and shall be documented by the contractor. The invoice(s) must conform to the method prescribed in the specifications of this contract.

(ii) Invoicing for travel expenses: The contractor must follow instructions prescribed in the specifications of this contract. Either original or certified copies of receipts must be submitted for airline tickets, motel bills, restaurant charges, rental car charges, and other miscellaneous expenses.

(iii) Invoicing for miscellaneous expenses: The contractor must follow instructions prescribed in the specifications of this contract. Expenses submitted shall be documented by original or certified copies.

The contractor shall be paid no travel expense unless and except as specifically authorized under the specifications of this contract. Unless otherwise indicated, travel reimbursement shall be in accordance with 200 KAR 2:006. No travel time nor travel expenses will be included in the Second Party's or any subcontractor's hourly rates.

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- (a) Extension and Amendment. The terms and conditions of this contract may be modified by written agreement of the Parties pursuant to KRS Chapter 45A and subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Finance and Administration Cabinet and/or the Legislative Research Commission’s Government Contracts Review Committee.
- (b) Successors and Assigns. The Parties shall not assign any right herein without the written consent of the other party. Covenants made herein shall bind and inure to the benefit of any successors and assigns of the Parties whether or not expressly assumed or acknowledged by such successors or assigns.
- (c) Entire Contract. This document forms the entire contract between the Parties. Prior discussions and understandings concerning the scope and subject matter are superseded and incorporated into the express terms herein.
- (d) Severability. If any provision of this contract is held judicially invalid, the remainder shall continue in force and effect to the extent not inconsistent with such holding.
- (e) Breach of Contract. Breach or violation of Terms and Conditions shall be cause for termination of contract.
- (f) Waiver. Waiver of enforcement of any term or condition herein upon an event of breach shall not automatically extend to any other or future event of breach.
- (g) Change of Circumstances. The Parties shall promptly notify each other of any legal impediment, change of circumstances, pending litigation, or any other event or condition that may adversely affect their ability to carry out this contract.
- (h) Liability and Indemnity. Nothing in this contract shall be construed as an indemnification by or among the Parties for liabilities of the first or second party or any third person for property loss, damage, death, or personal injury (“Claims”) arising out of and during the performance of this Contract.
- (i) Applicable Federal Laws and Regulations. This contract is incidental to the implementation of a federal grant program and accordingly, shall be governed by and construed according to federal law to the extent it may affect the right, remedies, and obligations of the United States.

Federal Grant Subrecipient Requirements

To the extent not inconsistent with the express terms of this contract, 49 CFR 18, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Contracts and 2 CFR 200, Subpart E, Cost Principles, are hereby incorporated by reference herein. Consistent therewith, the Commonwealth, as a pass-through entity for federal awards, shall monitor the performance of federal grant subrecipients (the “Subrecipients”) and impose requirements upon Subrecipients in order for the Commonwealth to meet its responsibility to the federal awarding agency including without limitation, the identification of required financial and performance reports.

- (a) Audits. Subrecipients agree to comply with federally-mandated audits. The Commonwealth agrees to review required audits promptly.

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1. Pursuant to 2 CFR 200.501, Subrecipients expending more than \$750,000 in federal grant monies per fiscal year shall conduct a single or program-specific audit for that fiscal year within nine (9) months of the end thereof and shall provide the final audit report to the Commonwealth within thirty (30) days of receipt.
 2. Pursuant to 2 CFR 200.512, Contractor(s) that are a governmental entity, institution of higher learning, or other nonprofit institution, shall procure an annual audit within nine (9) months of closing of the fiscal year and shall fully comply with Federal Audit Clearinghouse audit submission requirements. The Commonwealth shall access and review audit reporting packages and data collection forms from the Federal Audit Clearinghouse as soon as practicable after the required submission. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Commonwealth may require Contractor(s) provide it with a copy of any required audit.
- (b) **Reporting.** Subrecipients agree to comply with federally-mandated reporting.
1. Pursuant to 2 CFR 200.112, Subrecipients shall disclose to the Commonwealth in writing and within five (5) days of having knowledge of any real or potential conflict of interest that may arise during the administration of the federal award. For this paragraph, "conflict of interest" is defined by applicable federal, state, and local statutes or regulations, and Subrecipients' policies.
 2. Pursuant to 2 CFR 200.338, Subrecipients shall disclose to the federal awarding agency and to the Commonwealth in writing and within thirty (30) days of discovering of any violation of federal criminal law concerning fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations which may affect the federal award; failure to act in strict conformity with this section may result in the imposition of any remedy authorized thereby.
- (c) **Monitoring.** The Commonwealth agrees to monitor Subrecipients.
1. **Risk Analysis—2 CFR 200.331(b) requires the Commonwealth evaluate each Subrecipient's risk of noncompliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of the award for purposes of determining appropriate Subrecipient monitoring, which may include consideration of such factors as:**
 - a. **The Subrecipient's prior experience with the same or similar awards;**
 - b. **The results of previous audits, including whether or not the Subrecipient receives a single audit and the extent to which the same or similar award has been audited as a major program;**
 - c. **Whether Subrecipient has new personnel or new or substantially changed systems; and**
 - d. **The extent and results of federal awarding agency monitoring (e.g., if the Subrecipient also receives federal awards directly from a federal awarding agency.)**
 2. **Monitoring Activities—2 CFR 200.331(d) requires the Commonwealth, as the pass-through entity, monitor the activities of Sub-recipients to ensure**

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performance goals are achieved and that awards are used for authorized purposes and in compliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of the award. Monitoring of the Subrecipient must include:

- a. Reviewing financial and performance reports required by the First Party;
 - b. Following-up and ensuring that the Subrecipient takes timely and appropriate action on all deficiencies pertaining to the Federal award provided to the Subrecipient from the First Party detected through audits, on-site reviews, and other means; and
 - c. Issuing a management decision for audit findings pertaining to the Federal award provided to the Subrecipient from the First Party as required by 2 CFR §200.521 Management decision.
3. Monitoring Tools—Depending upon Commonwealth’s assessment of risk posed by the Subrecipient, monitoring tools may be utilized to ensure accountability and compliance with program requirements and achievement of performance goals. Monitoring tools include but are not limited to:

 - a. Providing Subrecipients with training and technical assistance on program-related matters;
 - b. Performing on-site reviews of the Subrecipient’s program operations;
 - c. Arranging for agreed-upon-procedures engagements as described in 2 CFR §200.425 Audit services; and
 - d. Imposition of specific award conditions.
4. Subaward Conditions—2 CFR 200.331(c) requires the Commonwealth consider imposing specific subaward conditions upon Sub-recipients as needed, consistent with 2 CFR 200.207. The Commonwealth shall consider:

 - a. Criteria set forth in 2 CFR 200.205, federal awarding agency review of risk posed by applicants;
 - b. Whether the applicant or recipient has a history of failing to comply with federal award terms and conditions;
 - c. Whether the applicant or recipient fails to meet expected performance goals as described in 2 CFR 200.210; and
 - d. Whether the applicant or recipient is not otherwise responsible.
5. Additional Conditions—The Commonwealth may impose upon Subrecipients additional federal award conditions.

 - a. Additional federal award conditions may include:
 - i. Requiring payment as reimbursement rather than advance payments;
 - ii. Withholding authority to proceed to the next phase until receipt of evidence of acceptable performance within a given period of performance;
 - iii. Requiring additional, detailed financial reports;
 - iv. Requiring additional project monitoring;

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- v. Requiring the non-federal entity obtain technical or management assistance; or
 - vi. Establishing additional prior approvals.
 - b. If the Commonwealth imposes an additional federal award condition upon Sub-recipients, the Commonwealth shall notify the Subrecipient in writing as to:
 - i. The nature of the additional requirements;
 - ii. The reason why the additional requirements are being imposed;
 - iii. The nature of the action needed to remove the additional requirement, if applicable;
 - iv. The time allowed for completing the actions if applicable, and
 - v. The method for requesting reconsideration of the additional requirements imposed.
- 6. Removal of Conditions—Any specific condition imposed shall be promptly removed once the conditions prompting such condition has been corrected.
- 7. Remedies For Noncompliant Sub-recipients—2 CFR 200.331(h) requires the Commonwealth consider taking enforcement action against Subrecipients who fail to comply with federal statutes, regulations or the terms and conditions of a federal award when the Commonwealth determines that noncompliance cannot be remedied by imposing additional conditions as described above. In accordance with 2 CFR 200.338, the Commonwealth may take one or more of the following actions, as appropriate in the circumstances:
 - a. Temporarily withhold cash payments pending correction of the deficiency by the non-Federal entity or more severe enforcement action.
 - b. Disallow (that is, deny both use of funds and any applicable matching credit for) all or part of the cost of the activity or action not in compliance.
 - c. Wholly or partly suspend or terminate the Federal award.
 - d. Recommend to the Federal awarding agency to initiate suspension or debarment proceedings as authorized under 2 CFR part 180 and Federal awarding agency.
 - e. Withhold further Federal awards for the project or program.
 - f. Take other remedies that may be legally available.

Subcontractor Agreements – Incorporation of Terms

The Parties agree that all subcontractors performing Activities in furtherance of this contract shall be bound by the terms and conditions herein. Contractor(s) further agrees to incorporate this contract by reference in any written agreement with a subcontractor performing Activities in furtherance of this contract.

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Lobbying and Political Activity (if applicable)

No funds expended or reimbursed under this contract shall be used to influence, directly or indirectly, the introduction or modification of any federal or state legislation or the outcome of any federal, state or local election, referendum, or initiative.

- (a) Certification. Contractor(s) certify to the best of their knowledge and belief, that for the preceding contract period, if any, and for this current contract period:
1. No federal funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of Contractor(s) to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative contract, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment or modification of any federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative contract;
 2. If any funds, other than federal funds, have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with this federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative contract, Contractor(s) shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying;"
 3. Contractor(s) shall require that the language of this certification be included in award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers, including subcontractors, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative contracts, and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly; and
 4. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction under section 31, U. S. C. 1352. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for such failure.
- (b) Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (if applicable) 31 U.S.C. 1352 is incorporated by reference herein. Pursuant thereto, Contractor(s) that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must file required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not, and has not, used federal-appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining a federal contract, grant or other award. Each tier shall disclose lobbying with non-federal funds that take place in connection with obtaining a federal award. Disclosures under this paragraph shall be forwarded tier-to-tier up to the non-federal awarding agency.

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- (c) The Hatch Act (if applicable) Contractor(s) agrees to comply with 5 U.S.C. 1501 *et seq.*, the Hatch Act, and regulations promulgated thereunder including 5 CFR Part 151, limiting political activity of employees or officers of state or local governments whose employment is connected to an activity financed in whole or part with federal funds.

Information Ownership and Management

- (a) Unless otherwise stated herein, data and information shared or acquired by the Parties in furtherance of this contract ("Data") shall be and remain the sole property of the Commonwealth. Contractor(s) and their agents and assigns shall not use Data for any other purpose not expressly authorized herein to extent permitted by state and federal law.
- (b) Contractor(s) agrees to comply with KRS 61.931 *et seq.*, Kentucky's Personal Information Security and Breach Investigation Procedures and Practices Act, (the "Act.") To the extent Contractor(s) receives Personal Information as defined by and in accordance with the Act, in furtherance of Activities performed hereunder, Contractor(s) shall secure and protect Personal Information by, and without limitation:
1. Utilizing security and breach investigation procedures appropriate to the nature of the Personal Information disclosed, reasonably designed to protect the Personal Information from unauthorized access, use, modification, disclosure, manipulation or destruction; and
 2. Notifying the Commonwealth of a security breach relating to Personal Information in the possession of practice or subcontractors without undue delay.

Financial Management System

Contractor(s) agrees to establish and maintain a financial management system which shall provide accurate, current, and complete disclosure of financial reporting for Activities in accordance with reporting requirements set forth in this contract including, without limitation:

- (a) Records identifying the source and application of funds which shall contain information pertaining to federal and state funds received, obligations, unobligated balances (if applicable), assets, liabilities, expenditures and income;
- (b) Effective control over and accountability for all funds, property, and assets to safeguard and assure that they are used solely for authorized purposes under this contract;
- (c) Procedures for determining the reasonableness of costs in accordance with the terms and conditions of this contract; and
- (d) Accounting records supported by source documentation.

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- (a) Contractor(s) agree to comply with 41 U.S.C. 701 *et seq.*, the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and maintain a drug-free workplace.
- (b) Contractor(s) covenant and agree to comply with Final Rule, Government-Wide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants), issued by the United States Office of Management and Budget, and any amendments thereto.

Environmental Standards

- (a) Contractor(s) agree that Activities performed in furtherance of this contract shall comply with the Clean Air Act, the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, the Resources Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liabilities Act (CERCLA), National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), and any other applicable federal, state, or local environmental law, regulation, or policy.
- (b) Contractor(s) shall ensure that Activities shall not occur at a facility listed on the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) list of violating facilities pursuant to 40 CFR 15 without the prior written agreement of the Commonwealth. Contractor(s) shall notify the Commonwealth immediately upon receipt of any communication from the EPA relating to performance of this contract.
- (c) Contractor(s) is encouraged to integrate National Environmental Policy Act compliance and related legislation as implemented under 44 CFR and 2 CFR 200, in the execution and administration of this contract.

Preference for U.S. Flag Carriers

Contractor(s) agree to comply with 46 U.S.C. 1241(b), and regulations issued thereunder to include 46 CFR 381, concerning the use of privately-owned United States flag commercial vessels.

Debarment and Suspension

- (a) Contractor(s) shall not make any award or permit any award, subgrant, or contract at any tier to any party debarred, suspended, or excluded from or ineligible for participation in federal assistance programs under Executive Order 12549 and 12689, "Debarment and Suspension."
- (b) The Final Rule, Government-Wide Debarment and Suspension (Non-procurement), issued by the United States Office of Management and Budget is incorporated by reference and the Second Party covenants and agrees to comply with all the provision thereof, including any amendments to the Final Rule that may hereafter be issued.

Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act

Contractor(s) agrees to comply with 40 U.S.C. 3145, the Copeland Anti-Kickback Act, and regulations promulgated thereunder including 29 CFR 3, whereby, it shall be unlawful to induce, by force, intimidation, threat, procuring dismissal from employment, or otherwise, any person employed in the construction or repair of public buildings or public works, finance in whole or in part by the United States, to give up any part of the compensation to which that person is entitled under a contract of employment.

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Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act

Contractor(s) shall comply with 40 U.S.C. 3701 et seq., the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act.

Patent Rights

The Patent Right Clause found at 37 CFR 401.12, is hereby incorporated by reference herein, which governs rights to inventions made by non-profit organizations and small business firms under government grants, contracts, and cooperative contracts.

Davis-Bacon Act (if applicable)

40 U.S.C. 3141 et seq. and regulations 29 CFR 5 are incorporated by reference herein. The Davis-Bacon Act requires contractors pay laborers and mechanics at prevailing wages determined by the Secretary of Labor, and to make payment at least once per week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency.

Procurement

- (a) Contractor(s) shall acquire goods and service consistent with KRS 45A and applicable federal standards and procedures including, without limitation, 2 CFR 200, 44 CFR, 49 CFR, and 32 CFR.
- (b) Contractor(s) agrees to comply with 41 U.S.C. 10, the Buy American Act, the Memorandum of Understanding between the United States of America and the European Economic Community on Government Procurement, and the North American Free Trade Contract (NAFTA.)
- (c) Contractor(s) shall comply with the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, to procure:
 - 1. Items designated within Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) guideline 40 CFR 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000;
 - 2. Solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and

Establish an affirmative procurement program for the procurement of recovered materials identified in EPA guidelines.

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Whereas, the first party, the state agency, has concluded that either state personnel are not available to perform said function, or it would not be feasible to utilize state personnel to perform said function; and **Whereas**, the second party, the Contractor, is available and qualified to perform such function; and **Whereas**, for the abovementioned reasons, the state agency desires to avail itself of the services of the second party;

NOW THEREFORE, the following terms and conditions are applicable to this contract:

1.00 Effective Date

This contract is not effective until the Secretary of the Finance and Administration Cabinet or his authorized designee has approved the contract and until the contract has been submitted to the Legislative Research Commission, Government Contract Review Committee ("LRC"). However, in accordance with KRS 45A.700, contracts in aggregate amounts of \$10,000 or less are exempt from review by the committee and need only be filed with the committee within 30 days of their effective date for informational purposes.

KRS 45A.695(7) provides that payments on personal service contracts and memoranda of agreement shall not be authorized for services rendered after government contract review committee disapproval, unless the decision of the committee is overridden by the Secretary of the Finance and Administration Cabinet or agency head, if the agency has been granted delegation authority by the Secretary.

2.00 LRC Policies

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

Pursuant to KRS 45A.725, LRC has established policies which govern rates payable for certain professional services. These are located on the LRC webpage (<https://apps.legislature.ky.gov/moreinfo/Contracts/homepage.html>) and would impact any contract established under KRS 45A.690 et seq., where applicable.

3.00 Choice of Law and Forum

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

This contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Any action brought against the Commonwealth on the contract, including but not limited to actions either for breach of contract or for enforcement of the contract, shall be brought in Franklin Circuit Court, Franklin County, Kentucky in accordance with KRS 45A.245.

4.00 EEO Requirements

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

The Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1978 applies to All State government projects with an estimated value exceeding \$500,000. The contractor shall comply with all terms and conditions of the Act.

5.00 Cancellation

Both parties shall have the right to terminate and cancel this contract at any time not to exceed thirty (30) days' written notice served on the Contractor by registered or certified mail.

6.00 Funding Out Provision

The state agency may terminate this contract if funds are not appropriated to the contracting agency or are not otherwise available for the purpose of making payments without incurring any obligation for payment after the date of termination, regardless of the terms of the contract. The state agency shall provide the Contractor thirty (30) calendar days' written notice of termination of the contract due to lack of available funding.

7.00 Reduction in Contract Worker Hours

The Kentucky General Assembly may allow for a reduction in contract worker hours in conjunction with a budget balancing measure for some professional and non-professional service contracts. If under such authority the agency is required by Executive Order or otherwise to reduce contract hours, the agreement

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will be reduced by the amount specified in that document. If the contract funding is reduced, then the scope of work related to the contract may also be reduced commensurate with the reduction in funding. This reduction of the scope shall be agreeable to both parties and shall not be considered a breach of contract.

8.00 Authorized to do Business in Kentucky

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

The Contractor affirms that it is properly authorized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to conduct business in this state and will remain in good standing to do business in the Commonwealth of Kentucky for the duration of any contract awarded.

The Contractor shall maintain certification of authority to conduct business in the Commonwealth of Kentucky during the term of this contract. Such registration is obtained from the Secretary of State, who will also provide the certification thereof.

Registration with the Secretary of State by a Foreign Entity

Pursuant to KRS 45A.480(1)(b), an agency, department, office, or political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Kentucky shall not award a state contract to a person that is a foreign entity required by KRS 14A.9-010 to obtain a certificate of authority to transact business in the Commonwealth ("certificate") from the Secretary of State under KRS 14A.9-030 unless the person produces the certificate within fourteen (14) days of the bid or proposal opening. Therefore, foreign entities should submit a copy of their certificate with their solicitation response. If the foreign entity is not required to obtain a certificate as provided in KRS 14A.9-010, the foreign entity should identify the applicable exception in its solicitation response. Foreign entity is defined within KRS 14A.1-070.

For all foreign entities required to obtain a certificate of authority to transact business in the Commonwealth, if a copy of the certificate is not received by the contracting agency within the time frame identified above, the foreign entity's solicitation response shall be deemed non-responsive or the awarded contract shall be cancelled.

Businesses can register with the Secretary of State at <https://onestop.ky.gov/Pages/default.aspx>

9.00 Invoices for fees

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

The Contractor shall maintain supporting documents to substantiate invoices and shall furnish same if required by state government.

10.00 Travel expenses, if authorized

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

The Contractor shall be paid for no travel expenses unless and except as specifically authorized by the specifications of this contract or authorized in advance and in writing by the Commonwealth. The Contractor shall maintain supporting documents that substantiate every claim for expenses and shall furnish same if requested by the Commonwealth.

11.00 Other expenses, if authorized herein

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

The Contractor shall be reimbursed for no other expenses of any kind, unless and except as specifically authorized within the specifications of this contract or authorized in advance and in writing by the Commonwealth.

If the reimbursement of such expenses is authorized, the reimbursement shall be only on an out-of-pocket basis. Request for payment of same shall be processed upon receipt from the Contractor of valid, itemized statements submitted periodically for payment at the time any fees are due. The Contractor shall maintain supporting documents that substantiate every claim for expenses and shall furnish same if requested by the Commonwealth.

12.00 Purchasing and specifications

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The Contractor certifies that he/she will not attempt in any manner to influence any specifications to be restrictive in any way or respect nor will he/she attempt in any way to influence any purchasing of services, commodities or equipment by the Commonwealth of Kentucky. For the purpose of this paragraph and the following paragraph that pertains to conflict-of interest laws and principles, "he/she" is construed to mean "they" if more than one person is involved and if a firm, partnership, corporation, or other organization is involved, then "he/she" is construed to mean any person with an interest therein.

13.00 Conflict-of-interest laws and principles

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

The Contractor certifies that he/she is legally entitled to enter into this contract with the Commonwealth of Kentucky, and by holding and performing this contract, he/she will not be violating either any conflict of interest statute (KRS 45A.330-45A.340, 45A.990, 164.390), or KRS 11A.040 of the executive branch code of ethics, relating to the employment of former public servants.

14.00 Campaign finance

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

The Contractor certifies that neither he/she nor any member of his/her immediate family having an interest of 10% or more in any business entity involved in the performance of this contract, has contributed more than the amount specified in KRS 121.056(2), to the campaign of the gubernatorial candidate elected at the election last preceding the date of this contract. The Contractor further swears under the penalty of perjury, as provided by KRS 523.020, that neither he/she nor the company which he/she represents, has knowingly violated any provisions of the campaign finance laws of the Commonwealth, and that the award of a contract to him/her or the company which he/she represents will not violate any provisions of the campaign finance laws of the Commonwealth.

15.00 Access to Records

The state agency certifies that it is in compliance with the provisions of KRS 45A.695, "Access to contractor's books, documents, papers, records, or other evidence directly pertinent to the contract." The Contractor, as defined in KRS 45A.030, agrees that the contracting agency, the Finance and Administration Cabinet, the Auditor of Public Accounts, and the Legislative Research Commission, or their duly authorized representatives, shall have access to any books, documents, papers, records, or other evidence, which are directly pertinent to this agreement for the purpose of financial audit or program review. The Contractor also recognizes that any books, documents, papers, records, or other evidence, received during a financial audit or program review shall be subject to the Kentucky Open Records Act, KRS 61.870 to 61.884. Records and other prequalification information confidentially disclosed as part of the bid process shall not be deemed as directly pertinent to the agreement and shall be exempt from disclosure as provided in KRS 61.878(1)(c).

16.00 Social security

This section does not apply to governmental or quasi-governmental entities.

The parties are cognizant that the state is not liable for social security contributions, pursuant to 42 U.S. Code, section 418, relative to the compensation of the second party for this contract.

Any exceptions to this stipulation require an attachment or exhibit that explicitly addresses, and provides a basis for, payment of second party's social security contributions by the state, pursuant to 42 U.S. Code, section 418.

17.00 Violation of tax and employment laws

KRS 45A.485 requires the Contractor and all subcontractors performing work under the contract to reveal to the Commonwealth any final determination of a violation by the Contractor within the previous five (5) year period of the provisions of KRS chapters 136, 139, 141, 337, 338, 341, and 342. These statutes relate to corporate and utility tax, sales and use tax, income tax, wages and hours laws, occupational safety and health laws, unemployment insurance laws, and workers compensation insurance laws, respectively. Disclosure of any violations is required prior to the award of any state contract and throughout the duration the contract.

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Failure to disclose violations, shall be grounds for the Commonwealth's disqualification of a contractor or subcontractor from eligibility for future state contracts for a period of two (2) years.

To comply with KRS 45A.485, the Contractor and all subcontractors performing work under this contract shall report any such final determination(s) of any violation(s) within the previous five (5) years to the Commonwealth by providing a list of the following information regarding any violation(s): (1) specific KRS violated, (2) date of any final determination of a violation, and (3) state agency which issued the final determination.

A list of any disclosures made prior to award of a contract shall be attached to the contract. The Contractor affirms that it has not violated any of the provisions of the above statutes within the previous five (5) year period, aside from violations explicitly disclosed and attached to this contract. Contractor further affirms that it will (1) communicate the above KRS 45A.485 disclosure requirements to any subcontractors and (2) disclose any subcontractor violations it becomes aware of to the Commonwealth.

18.00 Discrimination

This section applies only to contracts disbursing federal funds, in whole or part, when the terms for receiving those funds mandate its inclusion. Discrimination (because of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, or disability) is prohibited. During the performance of this contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:

The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or age. The Contractor further agrees to comply with the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), Public Law 101-336, and applicable federal regulations relating thereto prohibiting discrimination against otherwise qualified disabled individuals under any program or activity. The Contractor agrees to provide, upon request, needed reasonable accommodations. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age or disability. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensations; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices setting forth the provisions of this non-discrimination clause.

In all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, the Contractor will state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age or disability.

The Contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he/she has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding a notice advising the said labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this section and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance.

The Contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order No. 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, and of the rules, regulations and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.

The Contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order No. 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, and by the rules, regulations and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his/her books, records and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations and orders.

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In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any of the said rules, regulations or orders, this contract may be cancelled, terminated or suspended in whole or in part, and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further government contracts or federally-assisted construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order No. 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, and such other sanctions that may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in or as otherwise provided by law.

The Contractor will include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) of section 202 of Executive Order 11246 in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations or orders of the Secretary of Labor, issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order No. 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance; provided, however, that in the event a Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the agency, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

19.00 Bidder, Offeror, or Contractor Mandatory Representations Compliance with Commonwealth Law

The contractor represents that, pursuant to KRS 45A.485, they and any subcontractor performing work under the contract will be in continuous compliance with the KRS chapters listed below and have revealed to the Commonwealth any violation determinations within the previous five (5) years:

KRS Chapter 136 (CORPORATION AND UTILITY TAXES)
KRS Chapter 139 (SALES AND USE TAXES)
KRS Chapter 141 (INCOME TAXES)
KRS Chapter 337 (WAGES AND HOURS)
KRS Chapter 338 (OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH OF EMPLOYEES)
KRS Chapter 341 (UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION)
KRS Chapter 342 (WORKERS' COMPENSATION)

Boycott Provisions

The contractor represents that, pursuant to KRS 45A.607, they are not currently engaged in, and will not for the duration of the contract engage in, the boycott of a person or an entity based in or doing business with a jurisdiction with which Kentucky can enjoy open trade. **Note:** The term Boycott does not include actions taken for bona fide business or economic reasons, or actions specifically required by federal or state law.

Lobbying Prohibitions

The contractor represents that they, and any subcontractor performing work under the contract, have not violated the agency restrictions contained in KRS 11A.236 during the previous ten (10) years, and pledges to abide by the restrictions set forth in such statute for the duration of the contract awarded.

The contractor further represents that, pursuant to KRS 45A.328, they have not procured an original, subsequent, or similar contract while employing an executive agency lobbyist who was convicted of a crime related to the original, subsequent, or similar contract within five (5) years of the conviction of the lobbyist.

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Approvals

This contract is subject to the terms and conditions stated herein. By affixing signatures below, the parties verify that they are authorized to enter into this contract and that they accept and consent to be bound by the terms and conditions stated herein. In addition, the parties agree that (i) electronic approvals may serve as electronic signatures, and (ii) this contract may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which when executed and delivered shall constitute a duplicate original, but all counterparts together shall constitute a single contract.

1st Party:

Charles T. Jones
Digitally signed by JONES.CHARLES.THOMAS.1104180716
Date: 2023.08.02 07:31:02 -04'00'

Signature
Charles T. Jones

Printed Name

Executive Director

Title
2 August 2023

Date

2nd Party:

James A. Perrott
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Date: 2023.08.02 09:19:37 -04'00'

Signature
JAMES A. Perrott

Printed Name

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Title
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Date

Other Party:

Signature

Printed Name

Title

Date

Approved as to form and legality:

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1st Party:

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2nd Party:

Linda Gorton

Signature

Mayor

Title

Linda Gorton

Printed Name

12/13/2023

Date

Other Party:

Signature

Title

Printed Name

Date

Approved as to form and legality:

Attorney

MAYOR LINDA GORTON



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EXHIBIT 9B

CLEAR SITE CERTIFICATE - Title Attorney

I, EVAN P THOMPSON, an Attorney at Law, acting as Title Counsel to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (the "Grantee"), the owner of the Project cited above, do hereby certify:

1. That I have investigated and ascertained the location of and am familiar with the legal description of the site or sites being provided by the Grantee for all elements of the Project identified above to be constructed (modified, extended, improved, altered) operated and maintained in and upon such site or sites.

2. That I have examined the deed records of the county or counties in which such Project is to be located, and in my opinion the Grantee has a legal and valid fee simple title or such other estate or interest in the site of the Project, including necessary easements and rights-of-way sufficient to assure undisturbed use and possession for the purpose of construction, operation and maintenance for the estimated life of the Project.

3. That any deeds or documents required to be recorded in order to protect the title of the owner and the interest of the Grantee have been duly recorded and filed of record wherever necessary.

4. If applicable, that the title to real property for which the Kentucky Infrastructure Authority funded the cost has been encumbered in accordance with the requirements of State and local law to adequately protect the interest of the Kentucky Infrastructure Authority.

5. Remarks:

Dated this 27th day of November, 2023.

Attorney at Law:

Address: 200 East Main Street, 11th Floor, Lexington, KY 40507



EXHIBIT 9A

CLEAR SITE CERTIFICATE – CWP Grantee

I Linda Gorton, the Authorized Official of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, certifies that the Grantee has acquired all real property, including easements and rights-of-way, that are or will be required for construction, (erection, extension, modification, addition) operation and maintenance of the utility infrastructure project identified above.

I certify that the Grantee will not use Cleaner Water Program Funds for the purchase of real property (including easements) unless the purchase is from a willing seller.

I certify that, if another water or wastewater entity is served by the Project identified above, either the Grantee cited above or the entity to be served has acquired real property including easements and rights-of-way required for the proposed service.

I certify that the Title Attorney's Certification given on the attached certificate covers all real property including easements and rights-of way required for construction, operation and maintenance of the Grantee's project identified above.

I further certify that all real property, including easements required for the Grantee's project identified above, was acquired in accordance with the requirements of the Surface Transportation and Uniform Relocation Assistance Act of 1987 as set forth in 49 CFR Part 24.

Dated this 7th day of December, 2023

Linda Gorton

Grantee's Authorized Official

Mayor

Title (Chairman, Mayor, Commissioner, Manager, Superintendent, etc.)