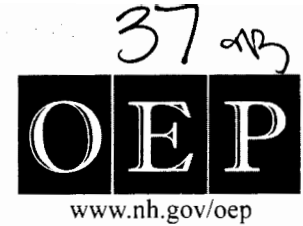




MARGARET WOOD HASSAN
GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
OFFICE OF ENERGY AND PLANNING
107 Pleasant Street, Johnson Hall
Concord, NH 03301-3834
Telephone: (603) 271-2155
Fax: (603) 271-2615



October 29, 2015

Her Excellency, Governor Margaret Wood Hassan
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Office of Energy and Planning (OEP) to amend the **SOLE SOURCE** Contract Agreement (Contract #1044264) with Southwestern Community Services, Inc. (VC #177511), Keene, NH, by increasing the contract amount by \$3,012.00 from \$159,639.00 to \$162,651.00 for the federal Weatherization Assistance Program, effective December 2, 2015, upon approval of Governor and Executive Council through March 31, 2016. This contract was originally approved by Governor and Executive Council on June 24, 2015, Item #101. 100% Federal Funds.

<u>Office of Energy and Planning, Low Income Weatherization</u>	<u>FY 2016</u>
01-02-02-024010-77060000	
074-500587 Grant for Pub. Assist & Relief	\$3,012.00

EXPLANATION

Federal rules for the administration of the Weatherization Assistance Program allow New Hampshire to carry-forward unspent funds from Program Year 2014 into the current program year. This amendment will allow full expenditure of available funds as well as continued leveraging of other funding sources to provide weatherization services to eligible low income families in New Hampshire. This three-year federal grant expires March 31, 2016.

This contract is **SOLE SOURCE** due to US DOE's grant guidance (10 CFR 440.15) giving Community Action Agencies preferred status for the Weatherization Assistance Program due to their non-profit status, their role providing a range of services to clients eligible for WAP, and their historical performance delivering the weatherization program.

In the event Federal Funds are no longer available, General Funds will not be requested to support this contract.

Respectfully submitted,

Meredith A. Hatfield
Director

Attachments

OFFICE OF ENERGY AND PLANNING

SUBJECT: WXN15 CONTRACT WITH SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC.

AMENDMENT

This Amendment dated October 29, 2015 is between the State of New Hampshire, Office of Energy and Planning, 107 Pleasant Street, Concord, Merrimack County, NH 03301 (hereinafter referred to as the "State") and Southwestern Community Services, Inc., 63 Community Way, PO Box 603, Keene, Cheshire County, NH 03431 (hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor").

Pursuant to an Agreement (hereinafter referred to as the "Agreement"), Contract Number 1044264, as approved by Governor and Council on June 24, 2015 (Item #101), the Contractor has agreed to provide certain Services, per the terms and conditions specified in the Agreement and in consideration of payment by the State of certain sums as specified therein.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Section 18 of the Agreement, the Agreement may be modified or amended only by a written instrument executed by the parties thereto and only after approval of such modification or amendment by the Governor and Council; and

WHEREAS, The State and the Contractor have agreed to amend the Agreement in certain respects;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and of the covenants and conditions in the Agreement as set forth herein, the parties agree to the following:

1. **Amendment and Modification of Agreement.** The Agreement is amended and modified as follows:
 - A. **Price Limitation:** Amend Subparagraph 1.8 of the Agreement by striking the current sum of \$159,639.00 and inserting in place thereof the total sum of \$162,651.00, wherever it occurs.
 - B. **Exhibit B Methods and Conditions of Payment:** Amend Exhibit B, first paragraph, by striking the current sum of \$114,677.00 and inserting \$117,689.00 for (the balance), to be spent on weatherization activities (Program Activity).
2. **Continuance of Agreement.** Except as specifically amended and modified by the Terms and Conditions of this Amendment, obligations of the parties hereunder shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the Agreement as it existed immediately prior to this Amendment.

Contract Amendment Office of Energy and Planning

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunto set their hands as of the day and year first above written.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Office of Energy and Planning

By: [Signature]
for Meredith A. Hatfield, Director

Southwestern Community Services, Inc.

By: [Signature]
John A. Manning, Chief Executive Officer

State of NH
County of Cheshire

On this 2 day of November, 2015, before me, Stacey McGilvery, the undersigned officer, personally appeared John A. Manning, who acknowledged him/herself to be the CEO of Southwestern Community Services, Inc., a corporation, and that he/she, as such CEO, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes contained therein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

[Signature]
Notary Public/Justice of the Peace

My Commission expires:

12/8/15



Contract Amendment Office of Energy and Planning

Approved as to form, execution and substance:

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

By: *MA. Am*
Assistant Attorney General

Date: November 9, 2015

I hereby certify that the foregoing contract was approved by the Governor and Council of the State of New Hampshire at their meeting on _____, ____.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

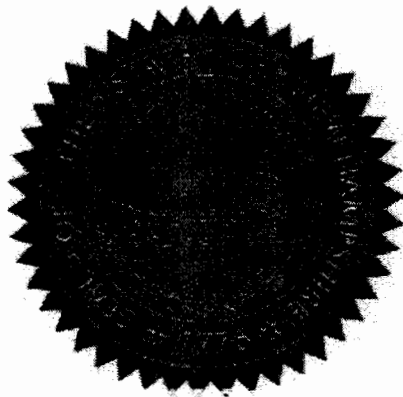
By: _____

Title: _____

State of New Hampshire
Department of State

CERTIFICATE

I, William M. Gardner, Secretary of State of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby certify that SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. is a New Hampshire nonprofit corporation formed May 19, 1965. I further certify that it is in good standing as far as this office is concerned, having filed the return(s) and paid the fees required by law.



In TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto
set my hand and cause to be affixed
the Seal of the State of New Hampshire,
this 3rd day of April, A.D. 2015

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "William M. Gardner", written in dark ink.

William M. Gardner
Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF VOTES

(Corporate Authority)

I, Elaine Amer, Clerk/Secretary of Southwestern Community Services, Inc.
(name) (Corporation name)

(hereinafter the "Corporation"), a New Hampshire corporation, hereby certify that: (1) I am the duly
(state)
elected and acting Clerk/Secretary of the Corporation; (2) I maintain and have custody and am familiar with the
minute books of the Corporation; (3) I am duly authorized to issue certificates with respect to the contents of such
books; (4) that the Board of Directors of the Corporation have authorized, on 04/27/2012, such authority
(date)
to be in force and effect until March 31, 2016.
(contract termination date)

The person(s) holding the below listed position(s) are authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of the
Corporation any contract or other instrument for the sale of products and services:

John A. Manning
(John A. Manning)
(name)

CEO
(Chief Executive Officer)
(position)

(5) the meeting of the Board of Directors was held in accordance with New Hampshire
(state of incorporation)

law and the by-laws of the Corporation; and (6) said authorization has not been modified, amended or rescinded
and continues in full force and effect as of the date hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as the Clerk/Secretary of the corporation this
2nd day of November, 2015.

Elaine M. Amer
Clerk/Secretary

STATE OF NH
COUNTY OF Cheshire

On this 2nd day of November, 2015, before me, Stacey McGilvery the undersigned
Officer, personally appeared Elaine M. Amer who acknowledged her/himself to be
the Clerk/Secretary of Southwestern Community Services, Inc., a corporation and that she/he as such
Clerk/Secretary being authorized to do so, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

Stacey McGilvery
Notary Public/Justice of the Peace



Commission Expiration Date:
12/8/15

Southwestern Community Services, Inc. Board of Directors - Composition - 2015 -

CHESHIRE COUNTY

SULLIVAN COUNTY

**CONSTITUENT
SECTOR**

Beth Fox
Vice Chair, NH CDBG
Advisory Council

David Hill
Homeless Services Program
Representative - Sullivan Cty

Penny Despres
New Hope New Horizons
Program Representative

Cathy Paradise
Director Family School Connections
Childcare Resource & Referral Program

Daisy Heath
Head Start Policy Council
Parent Representative to Board

Mary Lou Huffling
Fall Mountain Emergency Food Shelf
Alstead Friendly Meals

**PRIVATE
SECTOR**

Elaine Amer, Clerk/Treasurer
Construction Trades
Amer Electric

Vacant

Scott Croteau, Vice Chairperson
Banking Finance Community

Lou Gendron
President, Congress of Claremont
Senior Citizens

Kevin Watterson, Chairperson
Vice President,
g. housen and co. inc.

Anne Beattie
ServiceLink of Sullivan County
Advisory Committee

**PUBLIC
SECTOR**

Leroy Austin
Town of Winchester
NH Code Enforcement

David Edkins
Administrator,
Planning & Zoning
Town of Charlestown

Senator Molly Kelly
Senate District 10

Raymond Gagnon
NH House of Representatives

Peter (Sturdy) Thomas
Selectperson
Town of Dublin

Jessie Levine
County Manager
Public Sector, Sullivan County



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
6/2/2015

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Clark - Mortenson Insurance P.O. Box 606 Keene NH 03431	CONTACT NAME: PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): 603-352-2121 FAX (A/C, No): 603-357-8491 E-MAIL ADDRESS: csr24@clark-mortenson.com													
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THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

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B	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	Y/N	N/A	3102800768	4/1/2015	4/1/2016	<input type="checkbox"/> PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$500,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$500,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$500,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

Workers Compensation Statutory coverage provided for State of NH
All Executive Officers are included in the Workers Compensation coverage

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

NH Office of Energy and Planning
107 Pleasant Street
Johnson Hall, 3rd Floor
Concord NH 03301

CANCELLATION

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
James H. Neal



MARGARET WOOD HASSAN
GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
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May 29, 2015

Her Excellency, Governor Margaret Wood Hassan
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

Approval by the Governor
and Council on 06.24.15
Agenda Item 101

PO 104264

REQUESTED ACTION

1) Authorize the Office of Energy and Planning (OEP) to enter into a **RETROACTIVE SOLE SOURCE** contract with Southwestern Community Services, Inc. (VC #177511), Keene, NH, in the amount of \$159,639.00 for the federal Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) effective April 1, 2015, through March 31, 2016, upon approval of Governor and Executive Council. 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available in the following account, Low Income Weatherization, contingent upon the availability and continued appropriation of funds in the FY 2016 operating budget, as follows:

	<u>FY 2015</u>	<u>FY 2016</u>
01-02-02-024010-77060000		
074-500587 Grant for Pub. Assist & Relief	\$38,786.00	\$120,853.00

2) Further request authorization to advance to the vendor \$38,786.00 of the above-referenced contract amount.

EXPLANATION

OEP is responsible for administering New Hampshire's statewide Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP), funded by a grant from the U.S. Department of Energy (USDOE). The objective of the program is to weatherize homes to reduce energy consumption and energy costs in eligible low income households. Priority is given to households that include elderly, disabled, or children, and households with high energy usage. OEP contracts with New Hampshire's Community Action Agencies (CAAs) to provide weatherization services at the local level. OEP estimates that approximately one hundred seventy-two (172) homes will be weatherized throughout the State as a result of the State's USDOE grant award.

This request is **RETROACTIVE** due to delays in the Congressional authorization of the Federal grant that supports New Hampshire's Weatherization Assistance Program. Due to these delays, the US DOE has authorized OEP to reimburse sub-recipients for eligible weatherization expenses for the full WAP program year, which is from April 1, 2015, through March 31, 2016.

This contract is **SOLE SOURCE** because of US DOE's grant guidance (10 CFR 440.15) giving Community Action Agencies preferred status for the Weatherization Assistance Program due to their non-profit status, their role providing a range of services to clients eligible for WAP, and their historical performance delivering the weatherization program.

The requested advance of funds will enable Southwestern Community Services, Inc., to operate the program between monthly reimbursements from the State, and may only be used for allowable program expenses as detailed in Exhibit B.

In the event that Federal Funds are no longer available, General Funds will not be requested to support this contract.

Respectfully submitted,



Meredith A. Hatfield
Director

Attachments

Subject: Southwestern Community Services, Inc. – Weatherization Program

AGREEMENT

The State of New Hampshire and the Contractor hereby mutually agree as follows:

GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. IDENTIFICATION.

1.1 State Agency Name Office of Energy and Planning		1.2 State Agency Address 107 Pleasant St., Johnson Hall Concord, New Hampshire 03301	
1.3 Contractor Name Southwestern Community Services, Inc.		1.4 Contractor Address 63 Community Way, PO Box 603, Keene, NH 03431	
1.5 Contractor Phone No. (603) 352-7512	1.6 Account Number 01-02-02-024010- 77060000-500587	1.7 Completion Date March 31, 2016	1.8 Price Limitation \$159,639.00
1.9 Contracting Officer for State Agency Kirk Stone, Weatherization Program Manager		1.10 State Agency Telephone Number (603) 271-2155	
1.11 Contractor Signature <i>John A. Manning</i>		1.12 Name and Title of Contractor Signatory John Manning, Chief Executive Officer	
1.13 Acknowledgment: State of <u>New Hampshire</u> County of <u>Cheshire</u> On <u>May 27, 2015</u> , before the undersigned officer, personally appeared the person identified in block 1.12., or satisfactorily proven to be the person whose name is signed in block 1.11., and acknowledged that s/he executed this document in the capacity indicated in block 1.12.			
1.13.1 Signature of Notary Public or Justice of the Peace [SEAL] <i>Leisa Perrotta</i>			
1.13.2 Name and Title of Notary Public or Justice of the Peace Leisa Perrotta, Notary Public			
1.14 State Agency Signature <i>Meredith A. Hatfield</i>		1.15 Name and Title of State Agency Signatory Meredith A. Hatfield, Director Office of Energy and Planning	
1.16 Approval by the N.H. Department of Administration, Division of Personnel (if applicable) By: _____ Director, On: _____			
1.17 Approval by Attorney General (Form, Substance and Execution) By: <i>Chris...</i> On: <i>6/5/15</i>			
1.18 Approval by the Governor and Executive Council By: <i>[Signature]</i> DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE On: JUN 24 2015			

2. EMPLOYMENT OF CONTRACTOR/SERVICES TO BE PERFORMED. The State of New Hampshire, acting through the agency identified in block 1.1 ("State"), engages contractor identified in block 1.3 ("Contractor") to perform, and the Contractor shall perform, the work or sale of goods, or both, identified and more particularly described in the attached EXHIBIT A which is incorporated herein by reference ("Services").

3. EFFECTIVE DATE/COMPLETION OF SERVICES.

3.1 Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, and subject to the approval of the Governor and Executive Council of the State of New Hampshire, this Agreement, and all obligations of the parties hereunder, shall not become effective until the date the Governor and Executive Council approve this Agreement ("Effective Date").
3.2 If the Contractor commences the Services prior to the Effective Date, all Services performed by the Contractor prior to the Effective Date shall be performed at the sole risk of the Contractor, and in the event that this Agreement does not become effective, the State shall have no liability to the Contractor, including without limitation, any obligation to pay the Contractor for any costs incurred or Services performed. Contractor must complete all Services by the Completion Date specified in block 1.7.

4. CONDITIONAL NATURE OF AGREEMENT.

Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, all obligations of the State hereunder, including, without limitation, the continuance of payments hereunder, are contingent upon the availability and continued appropriation of funds, and in no event shall the State be liable for any payments hereunder in excess of such available appropriated funds. In the event of a reduction or termination of appropriated funds, the State shall have the right to withhold payment until such funds become available, if ever, and shall have the right to terminate this Agreement immediately upon giving the Contractor notice of such termination. The State shall not be required to transfer funds from any other account to the Account identified in block 1.6 in the event funds in that Account are reduced or unavailable.

5. CONTRACT PRICE/PRICE LIMITATION/ PAYMENT.

5.1 The contract price, method of payment, and terms of payment are identified and more particularly described in EXHIBIT B which is incorporated herein by reference.
5.2 The payment by the State of the contract price shall be the only and the complete reimbursement to the Contractor for all expenses, of whatever nature incurred by the Contractor in the performance hereof, and shall be the only and the complete compensation to the Contractor for the Services. The State shall have no liability to the Contractor other than the contract price.
5.3 The State reserves the right to offset from any amounts otherwise payable to the Contractor under this Agreement those liquidated amounts required or permitted by N.H. RSA 80:7 through RSA 80:7-c or any other provision of law.
5.4 Notwithstanding any provision in this Agreement to the contrary, and notwithstanding unexpected circumstances, in no event shall the total of all payments authorized, or actually made hereunder, exceed the Price Limitation set forth in block 1.8.

6. COMPLIANCE BY CONTRACTOR WITH LAWS AND REGULATIONS/ EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.

6.1 In connection with the performance of the Services, the Contractor shall comply with all statutes, laws, regulations, and orders of federal, state, county or municipal authorities which impose any obligation or duty upon the Contractor, including, but not limited to, civil rights and equal opportunity laws. In addition, the Contractor shall comply with all applicable copyright laws.
6.2 During the term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, color, religion, creed, age, sex, handicap, sexual orientation, or national origin and will take affirmative action to prevent such discrimination.
6.3 If this Agreement is funded in any part by monies of the United States, the Contractor shall comply with all the provisions of Executive Order No. 11246 ("Equal Employment Opportunity"), as supplemented by the regulations of the United States Department of Labor (41 C.F.R. Part 60), and with any rules, regulations and guidelines as the State of New Hampshire or the United States issue to implement these regulations. The Contractor further agrees to permit the State or United States access to any of the Contractor's books, records and accounts for the purpose of ascertaining compliance with all rules, regulations and orders, and the covenants, terms and conditions of this Agreement.

7. PERSONNEL.

7.1 The Contractor shall at its own expense provide all personnel necessary to perform the Services. The Contractor warrants that all personnel engaged in the Services shall be qualified to perform the Services, and shall be properly licensed and otherwise authorized to do so under all applicable laws.
7.2 Unless otherwise authorized in writing, during the term of this Agreement, and for a period of six (6) months after the Completion Date in block 1.7, the Contractor shall not hire, and shall not permit any subcontractor or other person, firm or corporation with whom it is engaged in a combined effort to perform the Services to hire, any person who is a State employee or official, who is materially involved in the procurement, administration or performance of this Agreement. This provision shall survive termination of this Agreement.
7.3 The Contracting Officer specified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, shall be the State's representative. In the event of any dispute concerning the interpretation of this Agreement, the Contracting Officer's decision shall be final for the State.

8. EVENT OF DEFAULT/REMEDIES.

8.1 Any one or more of the following acts or omissions of the Contractor shall constitute an event of default hereunder ("Event of Default"):
8.1.1 failure to perform the Services satisfactorily or on schedule;
8.1.2 failure to submit any report required hereunder; and/or
8.1.3 failure to perform any other covenant, term or condition of this Agreement.
8.2 Upon the occurrence of any Event of Default, the State may take any one, or more, or all, of the following actions:
8.2.1 give the Contractor a written notice specifying the Event of Default and requiring it to be remedied within, in the absence of a greater or lesser specification of time, thirty (30) days from the date of the notice; and if the Event of Default is

not timely remedied, terminate this Agreement, effective two (2) days after giving the Contractor notice of termination;
8.2.2 give the Contractor a written notice specifying the Event of Default and suspending all payments to be made under this Agreement and ordering that the portion of the contract price which would otherwise accrue to the Contractor during the period from the date of such notice until such time as the State determines that the Contractor has cured the Event of Default shall never be paid to the Contractor;
8.2.3 set off against any other obligations the State may owe to the Contractor any damages the State suffers by reason of any Event of Default; and/or
8.2.4 treat the Agreement as breached and pursue any of its remedies at law or in equity, or both.

9. DATA/ACCESS/CONFIDENTIALITY/PRESERVATION.

9.1 As used in this Agreement, the word "data" shall mean all information and things developed or obtained during the performance of, or acquired or developed by reason of, this Agreement, including, but not limited to, all studies, reports, files, formulae, surveys, maps, charts, sound recordings, video recordings, pictorial reproductions, drawings, analyses, graphic representations, computer programs, computer printouts, notes, letters, memoranda, papers, and documents, all whether finished or unfinished.

9.2 All data and any property which has been received from the State or purchased with funds provided for that purpose under this Agreement, shall be the property of the State, and shall be returned to the State upon demand or upon termination of this Agreement for any reason.

9.3 Confidentiality of data shall be governed by N.H. RSA chapter 91-A or other existing law. Disclosure of data requires prior written approval of the State.

10. TERMINATION. In the event of an early termination of this Agreement for any reason other than the completion of the Services, the Contractor shall deliver to the Contracting Officer, not later than fifteen (15) days after the date of termination, a report ("Termination Report") describing in detail all Services performed, and the contract price earned, to and including the date of termination. The form, subject matter, content, and number of copies of the Termination Report shall be identical to those of any Final Report described in the attached EXHIBIT A.

11. CONTRACTOR'S RELATION TO THE STATE. In the performance of this Agreement the Contractor is in all respects an independent contractor, and is neither an agent nor an employee of the State. Neither the Contractor nor any of its officers, employees, agents or members shall have authority to bind the State or receive any benefits, workers' compensation or other emoluments provided by the State to its employees.

12. ASSIGNMENT/DELEGATION/SUBCONTRACTS.

The Contractor shall not assign, or otherwise transfer any interest in this Agreement without the prior written consent of the N.H. Department of Administrative Services. None of the Services shall be subcontracted by the Contractor without the prior written consent of the State.

13. INDEMNIFICATION. The Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the State, its officers and employees, from and against any and all losses suffered by the State, its officers and employees, and any and all claims,

liabilities or penalties asserted against the State, its officers and employees, by or on behalf of any person, on account of, based or resulting from, arising out of (or which may be claimed to arise out of) the acts or omissions of the Contractor. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing herein contained shall be deemed to constitute a waiver of the sovereign immunity of the State, which immunity is hereby reserved to the State. This covenant in paragraph 13 shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

14. INSURANCE.

14.1 The Contractor shall, at its sole expense, obtain and maintain in force, and shall require any subcontractor or assignee to obtain and maintain in force, the following insurance:

14.1.1 comprehensive general liability insurance against all claims of bodily injury, death or property damage, in amounts of not less than \$250,000 per claim and \$2,000,000 per occurrence; and

14.1.2 fire and extended coverage insurance covering all property subject to subparagraph 9.2 herein, in an amount not less than 80% of the whole replacement value of the property.

14.2 The policies described in subparagraph 14.1 herein shall be on policy forms and endorsements approved for use in the State of New Hampshire by the N.H. Department of Insurance, and issued by insurers licensed in the State of New Hampshire.

14.3 The Contractor shall furnish to the Contracting Officer identified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, a certificate(s) of insurance for all insurance required under this Agreement. Contractor shall also furnish to the Contracting Officer identified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, certificate(s) of insurance for all renewal(s) of insurance required under this Agreement no later than fifteen (15) days prior to the expiration date of each of the insurance policies. The certificate(s) of insurance and any renewals thereof shall be attached and are incorporated herein by reference. Each certificate(s) of insurance shall contain a clause requiring the insurer to endeavor to provide the Contracting Officer identified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, no less than ten (10) days prior written notice of cancellation or modification of the policy.

15. WORKERS' COMPENSATION.

15.1 By signing this agreement, the Contractor agrees, certifies and warrants that the Contractor is in compliance with or exempt from, the requirements of N.H. RSA chapter 281-A ("*Workers' Compensation*").

15.2 To the extent the Contractor is subject to the requirements of N.H. RSA chapter 281-A, Contractor shall maintain, and require any subcontractor or assignee to secure and maintain, payment of Workers' Compensation in connection with activities which the person proposes to undertake pursuant to this Agreement. Contractor shall furnish the Contracting Officer identified in block 1.9, or his or her successor, proof of Workers' Compensation in the manner described in N.H. RSA chapter 281-A and any applicable renewal(s) thereof, which shall be attached and are incorporated herein by reference. The State shall not be responsible for payment of any Workers' Compensation premiums or for any other claim or benefit for Contractor, or any subcontractor or employee of Contractor, which might arise under applicable State of New Hampshire Workers' Compensation laws in connection with the performance of the Services under this Agreement.

16. WAIVER OF BREACH. No failure by the State to enforce any provisions hereof after any Event of Default shall be deemed a waiver of its rights with regard to that Event of Default, or any subsequent Event of Default. No express failure to enforce any Event of Default shall be deemed a waiver of the right of the State to enforce each and all of the provisions hereof upon any further or other Event of Default on the part of the Contractor.

17. NOTICE. Any notice by a party hereto to the other party shall be deemed to have been duly delivered or given at the time of mailing by certified mail, postage prepaid, in a United States Post Office addressed to the parties at the addresses given in blocks 1.2 and 1.4, herein.

18. AMENDMENT. This Agreement may be amended, waived or discharged only by an instrument in writing signed by the parties hereto and only after approval of such amendment, waiver or discharge by the Governor and Executive Council of the State of New Hampshire.

19. CONSTRUCTION OF AGREEMENT AND TERMS. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New Hampshire, and is binding upon and inures to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and assigns. The wording used in this Agreement is the wording chosen by the parties to express their mutual intent, and no rule of construction shall be applied against or in favor of any party.

20. THIRD PARTIES. The parties hereto do not intend to benefit any third parties and this Agreement shall not be construed to confer any such benefit.

21. HEADINGS. The headings throughout the Agreement are for reference purposes only, and the words contained therein shall in no way be held to explain, modify, amplify or aid in the interpretation, construction or meaning of the provisions of this Agreement.

22. SPECIAL PROVISIONS. Additional provisions set forth in the attached EXHIBIT C are incorporated herein by reference.

23. SEVERABILITY. In the event any of the provisions of this Agreement are held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be contrary to any state or federal law, the remaining provisions of this Agreement will remain in full force and effect.

24. ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement, which may be executed in a number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, constitutes the entire Agreement and understanding between the parties, and supersedes all prior Agreements and understandings relating hereto.

EXHIBIT A

Scope of Services

1. Southwestern Community Services, Inc., hereinafter "the Contractor" or "Subgrantee," agrees to perform weatherization services and all additional services and other work necessary to provide Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) services to eligible low income individuals in accordance with the regulations set forth by the U. S. Department of Energy in 10 CFR 440 dated February 1, 2002, and 10 CFR 600 as amended, and in accordance with the provisions and procedures contained in the most recent New Hampshire Weatherization Assistance Program (NHWAP) State Plan, Policies and Procedures Manual, Field Guide, and as otherwise administered by the Office of Energy and Planning (OEP).

Periodically OEP may issue Subgrantee Guidance (SG) and Subgrantee Notices (SN) or other clarifications as necessary. All such changes shall be considered as incorporated into the NH Weatherization Policies and Procedures Manual and Field Guide. The Contractor agrees to alter the Program procedures in accordance with a SG, SN or other instructions.

The Subgrantee agrees to abide by changes in the NH Weatherization Assistance Program designed to improve program delivery and further agrees to perform Weatherization Program services in a manner that will successfully interact with utility administered energy efficiency programs for low-income households in order to provide the best services for New Hampshire's low-income households.

2. The contract period, to be known as Program Year 2015 (PY15), will commence, retroactively, on April 1, 2015, and will have a completion date of March 31, 2016, subject to the approval of Governor and Executive Council.
3. Plans for expenditure of funds for Training and Technical Assistance, Program Implementation, and Leveraging Activities must be defined in the Contractor's Management Plan (CMP) and approved by OEP. Requests to deviate from the plan must be made in writing in advance, and approved by OEP as prescribed in the NH Policies and Procedures Manual.
4. In PY15, Contractor agrees to complete Weatherization Services on 23 (twenty-three) dwelling units according to the standards outlined in the most recent NH Weatherization Policies and Procedures Manual and Field Guide.
 - (a) Weatherization Services are intended to increase the energy efficiency of the home, and to improve the home's comfort and safety. A certified energy auditor first performs a NHWAP energy audit on the home using scientific test equipment. Specific energy conservation measures and heating source repairs are then implemented in order of priority and cost effectiveness. This integrated activity is carried out in accordance with provisions and procedures outlined in the most recent NH Policies and Procedures Manual and Field Guide.
 - (b) The minimum number of dwelling units and the amount of funds to be expended shall conform to the provisions of this contract and shall be incorporated into the CMP. Deviations of more than 20% from expected dwelling unit goals in any given quarter may result in a reduction of the contract amounts and a reallocation of funds to other contractors.

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5. In accordance with the US DOE's "Quality Work Plan" (QWP) and the provisions of Weatherization Program Notice (WPN) 15-4 (http://www.waptac.org/data/files/Website_docs/Government/Guidance/2014/WPN-15-4.pdf), beginning April 1, 2015, Contractor must have regular and reliable access to properly trained and certified Quality Control Inspector(s), available as either staff or contractors, able to fully function in that capacity on April 1, 2015. This contract provides funding for continued training and technical assistance sufficient to allow Contractor to secure and maintain the skilled personnel necessary to meet the requirements of WPN 15-4.

6. Effective April 1, 2015, all work performed under the Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) in New Hampshire, using federal money from any WAP program year, must meet the minimum specifications defined in the US Department of Energy's "Quality Work Plan" (QWP) and the associated Standard Work Specifications (SWS). Details are presented in the Standard Work Specifications (SWS) for Home Energy Upgrades referred to in US DOE Weatherization Program Notice 15-4 (see link in paragraph 5, above), as well as in the 2015 edition of the New Hampshire Weatherization Assistance Program's Field Guide (<http://wxfieldguide.com/nh/>), which governs WAP work in New Hampshire beginning on April 1, 2015. Contractor must ensure, and be able to document for OEP, that all staff and contractors who will perform Weatherization work beginning on April 1, 2015, are properly trained and certified for that work and have been informed that their work must meet the requirements of the SWS or dwelling units will not be considered complete and reimbursement will not occur.

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EXHIBIT B

Methods and Conditions of Payment

In consideration of the satisfactory performance of the Services, the State agrees to pay the Contractor, Southwestern Community Services, Inc., in total, the sum of:

\$159,639.00 ✓	(which hereinafter is referred to as the "Contracted Amount"), of which
\$ 38,786.00	will be issued as a cash advance,
\$ 14,960.00 ✓	may be expended for Administration,
\$ 13,620.00 ✓	may be expended for Training & Technical Assistance,
\$ 16,382.00 ✓	may be expended for Health & Safety measures, and
\$114,677.00	(the balance), to be spent on weatherization activities (Program Activity).

Drawdowns from the total contracted amount will be paid to the Contractor only after written documentation of cash need is submitted to OEP upon completion of weatherization work. Disbursement of the Contracted Amount shall be made in accordance with the procedures established by the State and as detailed in the most recent NHWAP Policies and Procedures Manual and Field Guide. Contractor shall submit a reimbursement request each month of the program year. Reimbursement requests from Contractor shall be received at OEP no later than the 15th day of each month, or the first business day following the 15th.

Administrative costs are provided to cover a specified number of unit completions at minimal standards. Administrative funds may be pro-rated by OEP if production unit completions do not meet expected production goals.

All obligations of the State, including the continuance of any payments, are contingent upon the availability and continued appropriation of funds for the services to be provided.

OEP may, as a function of its administrative oversight, modify contracted budget amounts as necessary to ensure the efficient operation of the NHWAP as long as these modified expenditures do not exceed the Contracted Amount total as specified above.

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EXHIBIT C

Special Provisions

1. 10 CFR 600 as amended (Financial Assistance Rules), 10 CFR 440 dated February 1, 2002 (Weatherization Assistance Program), the New Hampshire Weatherization Assistance Program State Plan, Weatherization Assistance Program Policies and Procedures, and Field Guide are all considered legally binding and enforceable documents under this contract. OEP reserves the right to use any legal remedy at its disposal including, but not limited to, disallowance of costs, withholding of funds, suspension of agency personnel, disbarment of agency personnel, disbarment of agencies and/or subcontractors from present or future contracts, and such other legal remedies as determined to be appropriate by the New Hampshire Department of Justice in the enforcement of rules and regulations pertaining to the Weatherization Assistance Program.
2. An audit shall be made at the end of the Contractor's fiscal year in accordance with the audit requirements of the Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133 "Audits of Institutions of Higher Education, and other Non-profit Organizations." (10 CFR 600.126)

This audit report shall include a schedule of revenues and expenditures by contract or grant number of all expenditures during the Contractor's fiscal year. The Contractor shall utilize a competitive bidding process to choose a qualified financial auditor at least every four years.

The audit report shall include a schedule of prior year's questioned costs along with a response to the current status of the prior year's questioned costs. Copies of all management letters written as a result of the audit along with the audit report shall be forwarded to OEP within one month of the time of receipt by the Contractor accompanied by an action plan, if applicable, for each finding or questioned cost.

3. The following paragraph shall be added to paragraph 9 of the general provisions:

"9.4 All negotiated contracts (except those of \$5,000 or less) awarded by the Subgrantee shall allow OEP, DOE, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any duly authorized representatives, access to any books, documents, papers, and records of the Subgrantee or their subcontractors, which are directly pertinent to the Weatherization Assistance Program for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts and transcription."

4. In paragraph 10 of the general provisions, the following sentence shall be deleted: "The form, subject matter, content, and number of copies of the Termination Report shall be identical to those of any Final Report described in EXHIBIT A."
5. The costs charged under this contract shall be determined as allowable under the cost principles detailed in the DOE Financial Assistance Rules 2 CFR 215 and OMB Circular A-110.
6. Program and financial records pertaining to this contract shall be retained by the Contractor for 3 (three) years from the date of submission of the final expenditure report or, for awards that are renewed quarterly or annually, from the date of the submission of the quarterly or annual financial report, as authorized by DOE. (10 CFR Subpart B Part 600.153)
7. Kirk Stone, Weatherization Program Manager of OEP, has been designated with the responsibility for overseeing this contract.

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8. Paragraph 14.1.1 of the general provisions shall be modified to read:

“comprehensive general liability insurance against all claims of bodily injury, death or property damage, in amounts of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 excess; and”

9. The following paragraphs shall be added to the general provisions:

- “25. RESTRICTION ON ADDITIONAL FUNDING. It is understood and agreed between the parties that no portion of the “Grant” funds may be used for the purpose of obtaining additional Federal funds under any other law of the United States, except if authorized under that law.”
- “26. ASSURANCES/CERTIFICATIONS. The following are attached and signed: Certification Regarding Drug-Free Workplace Requirements; Certification Regarding Lobbying; Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters; Certification Regarding the Americans With Disabilities Act Compliance; Certification Regarding Environmental Tobacco Smoke; Assurance of Compliance Nondiscrimination in Federally Assisted Programs; and Certification Regarding the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Compliance.
- “27. COPELAND ANTI-KICKBACK ACT. All contracts and subgrants in excess of \$2,000.00 for construction or repair shall include a provision for compliance with Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (18 USC 874) as supplemented in Department of Labor Regulations (29 CFR, Part 3). This Act provides that each contractor, subcontract or subgrantee shall be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he is otherwise entitled. The subgrantee should report all suspected violations to OEP.”
- “28. PROCUREMENT. Subgrantee shall comply with all provisions of 10 CFR 600.140-600.148 with special emphasis on financial procurement and property management.”
- “29. CLOSE OUT OF CONTRACT. All final required reports and reimbursement requests shall be submitted to the State within sixty (60) days of the completion date (Agreement Block 1.7).”

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STANDARD EXHIBIT D

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees to comply with the provisions of Sections 5151-5160 of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 (Pub. L. 100-690, Title V, Subtitle D; 41 U.S.C. 701 et seq.), and further agrees to have the Contractor's representative, as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions execute the following Certification:

**CERTIFICATION REGARDING DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS
ALTERNATIVE I - FOR GRANTEES OTHER THAN INDIVIDUALS**

**US DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - CONTRACTORS
US DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - CONTRACTORS
US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - CONTRACTORS
US DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
US DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Sections 5151-5160 of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 (Pub. L. 100-690, Title V, Subtitle D; 41 U.S.C. 701 et seq.). The January 31, 1989, regulations were amended and published as Part II of the May 25, 1990, Federal Register (pages 21681-21691), and require certification by grantees (and by inference, sub-grantees and sub-contractors), prior to award, that they will maintain a drug-free workplace. Section 3017.630(c) of the regulation provides that a grantee (and by inference, sub-grantees and sub-contractors) that is a State may elect to make one certification to the Department in each federal fiscal year in lieu of certificates for each grant during the federal fiscal year covered by the certification. The certificate set out below is a material representation of fact upon which reliance is placed when the agency awards the grant. False certification or violation of the certification shall be grounds for suspension of payments, suspension or termination of grants, or government wide suspension or debarment. Contractors using this form should send it to:

Director, New Hampshire Office of Energy and Planning,
107 Pleasant Street, Johnson Hall, Concord, NH 03301

- (A) The grantee certifies that it will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
- (a) Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the grantee's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
 - (b) Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about—
 - (1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
 - (2) The grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
 - (3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; and
 - (4) The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations occurring in the workplace;
 - (c) Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the grant be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
 - (d) Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that, as a condition of employment under the grant, the employee will—
 - (1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and

(2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five calendar days after such conviction;
**CERTIFICATION REGARDING DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS
ALTERNATIVE I - FOR GRANTEEES OTHER THAN INDIVIDUALS, cont'd**

**US DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - CONTRACTORS
US DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - CONTRACTORS
US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - CONTRACTORS
US DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
US DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

- (e) Notifying the agency in writing, within ten calendar days after receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to every grant officer on whose grant activity the convicted employee was working, unless the Federal agency has designated a central point for the receipt of such notices. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected grant;
 - (f) Taking one of the following actions, within 30 calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted—
 - (1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
 - (2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State, or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
 - (g) Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f).
- (B) The grantee may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific grant.

Place of Performance (street address, city, county, State, zip code) (list each location)

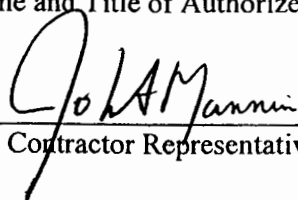
63 Community Way
Keene, NH 03431

Check if there are workplaces on file that are not identified here.

Southwestern Community Services, Inc.
Contractor Name

April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016
Period Covered by this Certification

John Manning, Chief Executive Officer
Name and Title of Authorized Contractor Representative



Contractor Representative Signature

May 27, 2015

Date

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STANDARD EXHIBIT E

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees to comply with the provisions of Section 319 of Public Law 101-121, Government wide Guidance for New Restrictions on Lobbying, and 31 U.S.C. 1352, and further agrees to have the Contractor's representative, as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions execute the following Certification:

CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

US DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - CONTRACTORS
US DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - CONTRACTORS
US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - CONTRACTORS
US DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
US DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Programs (indicate applicable program covered):

- Community Services Block Grant
Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program
Senior Community Services Employment Program
Weatherization Program

Contract Period: April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid by or on behalf of the undersigned, 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, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement (and by specific mention sub-grantee or sub-contractor).
(2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated 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 agreement (and by specific mention sub-grantee or sub-contractor), the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying, in accordance with its instructions, attached and identified as Standard Exhibit E-1.
(3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award document for sub-awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

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 imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. 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 each such failure.

Handwritten signature of John Manning

Contractor Representative Signature

John Manning, Chief Executive Officer

Contractor's Representative Title

Southwestern Community Services, Inc.

Contractor Name

May 27, 2015

Date

STANDARD EXHIBIT F

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees to comply with the provisions of Executive Office of the President, Executive Order 12529 and 45 CFR Part 76 regarding Debarment, Suspension, and Other Responsibility Matters, and further agrees to have the Contractor's representative, as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions execute the following Certification:

**CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND OTHER
RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS - PRIMARY COVERED TRANSACTIONS**

Instructions for Certification

- (1) By signing and submitting this proposal (contract), the prospective primary participant is providing the certification set out below.
- (2) The inability of a person to provide the certification required below will not necessarily result in denial of participation in this covered transaction. If necessary, the prospective participant shall submit an explanation of why it cannot provide the certification. The certification or explanation will be considered in connection with the NH Department of Health and Human Services' (DHHS) determination whether to enter into this transaction. However, failure of the prospective primary participant to furnish a certification or an explanation shall disqualify such person from participation in this transaction.
- (3) The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when DHHS determined to enter into this transaction. If it is later determined that the prospective primary participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, DHHS may terminate this transaction for cause or default.
- (4) The prospective primary participant shall provide immediate written notice to the DHHS agency to whom this proposal (contract) is submitted if at any time the prospective primary participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- (5) The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," "participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of the rules implementing Executive Order 12549: 45 CFR Part 76. See the attached definitions.
- (6) The prospective primary participant agrees by submitting this proposal (contract) that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by DHHS.
- (7) The prospective primary participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transactions," provided by DHHS, without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- (8) A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or involuntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the Non-procurement List (of excluded parties).
- (9) Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- (9) Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 6 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal government, DHHS may terminate this transaction for cause or default.

**CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND OTHER
RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS - PRIMARY COVERED TRANSACTIONS, cont'd**

*Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, and Other
Responsibility Matters - Primary Covered Transactions*

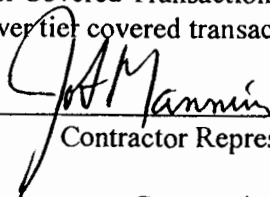
- (1) The prospective primary participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:
- (a) are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
 - (b) have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal (contract) been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or a contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
 - (c) are not presently indicted for otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1) (b) of this certification; and
 - (d) have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.
- (2) Where the prospective primary participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal (contract).

*Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and
Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transactions
(To Be Supplied to Lower Tier Participants)*

By signing and submitting this lower tier proposal (contract), the prospective lower tier participant, as defined in 45 CFR Part 76, certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that it and its principals:

- (a) are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
- (b) where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the above, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal (contract).

The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal (contract) that it will include this clause entitled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.



Contractor Representative Signature

John Manning, Chief Executive Officer

Contractor's Representative Title

Southwestern Community Services, Inc.

Contractor Name

May 27, 2015

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STANDARD EXHIBIT G

CERTIFICATION REGARDING THE
AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT COMPLIANCE

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees by signature of the Contractor's representative as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions, to execute the following certification:

By signing and submitting this proposal (contract) the Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to comply with all applicable provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.



Contractor Representative Signature

John Manning, Chief Executive Officer

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STANDARD EXHIBIT H

CERTIFICATION
Public Law 103-227, Part C
ENVIRONMENTAL TOBACCO SMOKE

Public Law 103227, Part C Environmental Tobacco Smoke, also known as the Pro Children Act of 1994, requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility routinely owned or leased or contracted for by an entity and used routinely or regularly for provision of health, day care, education, or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by Federal programs either directly or through State or local governments, by Federal grant, contract, loan, or loan guarantee.

The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences, facilities funded solely by Medicare or Medicaid funds, and portions of facilities used for inpatient drug or alcohol treatment.

Failure to comply with the provisions of the law may result in the imposition of a civil monetary penalty of up to \$1000 per day and/or the imposition of an administrative compliance order on the responsible entity.

By signing and submitting this application the applicant/grantee certifies that it will comply with the requirements of the Act.

The applicant/grantee further agrees that it will require the language of this certification be included in any subawards which contain provisions for the children's services and that all subgrantees shall certify accordingly.



Contractor Representative Signature

John Manning, Chief Executive Officer

Contractor's Representative Title

Southwestern Community Services, Inc.

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New Hampshire Office of Energy and Planning

STANDARD EXHIBIT I

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE NONDISCRIMINATION IN FEDERALLY ASSISTED
PROGRAMS

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Southwestern Community Services, Inc. (Hereinafter called the "Applicant") HEREBY AGREES to comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Pub. L. 88-352), Section 16 of the Federal Energy Administration Act of 1974 (Pub. L. 93-275), Section 401 of the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974 (Pub. L. 93-438), Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, (Pub. L. 92-318, Pub. L. 93-568, and Pub. L. 94-482), Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Pub. L. 93-112), the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 (Pub. L. 94-135), Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (Pub. L. 90-284), the Department of Energy Organization Act of 1977 (Pub. L. 95-91), the Energy Conservation and Production Act of 1976, as amended, (Pub. L. 94-385) and Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1040. In accordance with the above laws and regulations issued pursuant thereto, the Applicant agrees to assure that no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity in which the Applicant receives Federal assistance from the Department of Energy.

Applicability and Period of Obligation

In the case of any service, financial aid, covered employment, equipment, property, or structure provided, leased, or improved with Federal assistance extended to the Applicant by the Department of Energy, this assurance obligates the Applicant for the period during which Federal assistance is extended. In the case of any transfer of such service, financial aid, equipment, property, or structure, this assurance obligates the transferee for the period during which Federal assistance is extended. If any personal property is so provided, this assurance obligates the Applicant for the period during which it retains ownership or possession of the property. In all other cases, this assurance obligates the Applicant for the period during which the Federal assistance is extended to the Applicant by the Department of Energy.

Employment Practices

Where a primary objective of the Federal assistance is to provide employment or where the Applicant's employment practices affect the delivery of services in programs or activities resulting from Federal assistance extended by the Department, the Applicant agrees not to discriminate on the ground of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability, in its employment practices. Such employment practices may include, but are not limited to, recruitment, advertising, hiring, layoff or termination, promotion, demotion, transfer, rates of pay, training and participation in upward mobility programs; or other forms of compensation and use of facilities.

Subrecipient Assurance

The Applicant shall require any individual, organization, or other entity with whom it subcontracts, subgrants, or

subleases for the purpose of providing any service, financial aid, equipment, property, or structure to comply with laws and regulations cited above. To this end, the subrecipient shall be required to sign a written assurance form; however, the obligation of both recipient and subrecipient to ensure compliance is not relieved by the collection or submission of written assurance forms.

Data Collection and Access to Records

The Applicant agrees to compile and maintain information pertaining to programs or activities developed as a result of the Applicant's receipt of Federal assistance from the Department of Energy. Such information shall include, but is not limited to the following: (1) the manner in which services are or will be provided and related data necessary for determining whether any persons are or will be denied such services on the basis of prohibited discrimination; (2) the population eligible to be served by race, color, national origin, sex, age and disability; (3) data regarding covered employment including use or planned use of bilingual public contact employees serving beneficiaries of the program where necessary to permit effective participation by beneficiaries unable to speak or understand English; (4) the location of existing or proposed facilities connected with the program and related information adequate for determining whether the location has or will have the effect of unnecessarily denying access to any person on the basis of prohibited discrimination; (5) the present or proposed membership by race, color, national origin, sex, age and disability in any planning or advisory body which is an integral part of the program; and (6) any additional written data determined by the Department of Energy to be relevant to the obligation to assure compliance by recipients with laws cited in the first paragraph of this assurance.

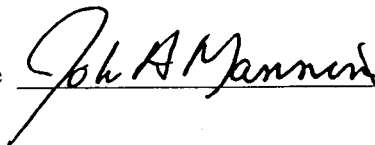
The Applicant agrees to submit requested data to the Department of Energy regarding programs and activities developed by the Applicant from the use of Federal assistance funds extended by the Department of Energy. Facilities of the Applicant (including the physical plants, buildings, or other structures) and all records, books, accounts, and other sources of information pertinent to the Applicant's compliance with the civil rights laws shall be made available for inspection during normal business hours on request of an officer or employee of the Department of Energy specifically authorized to make such inspections. Instructions in this regard will be provided by the Director, Office of Civil Rights, U.S. Department of Energy.

This assurance is given in consideration of and for the purpose of obtaining any and all Federal grants, loans, contracts (excluding procurement contracts), property, discounts or other Federal assistance extended after the date hereof, to the Applicants by the Department of Energy, including installment payments on account after such data of application for Federal assistance which are approved before such date. The Applicant recognizes and agrees that such Federal assistance will be extended in reliance upon the representations and agreements made in this assurance, and that the United States shall have the right to seek judicial enforcement of this assurance. This assurance is binding on the Applicant, the successors, transferees, and assignees, as well as the person(s) whose signatures appear below and who are authorized to sign this assurance on behalf of the Applicant.

Applicant Certification

The Applicant certifies that it has complied, or that, within 90 days of the date of the grant, it will comply with all applicable requirements of 10 C.F.R. § 1040.5 (a copy will be furnished to the Applicant upon written request to DOE).

John Manning, Chief Executive Officer Signature



Date 5/27/15

Southwestern Community Services, Inc.
63 Community Way, PO Box 603
Keene, NH 03431
603-352-7512

New Hampshire Office of Energy and Planning

STANDARD EXHIBIT J

CERTIFICATION REGARDING THE FEDERAL FUNDING ACCOUNTABILITY AND
TRANSPARENCY ACT (FFATA) COMPLIANCE

The Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA) requires prime awardees of individual Federal grants equal to or greater than \$25,000 and awarded on or after October 1, 2010, to report on data related to executive compensation and associated first-tier sub-grants of \$25,000 or more. If the initial award is below \$25,000 but subsequent grant modifications result in a total award equal to or over \$25,000, the award is subject to the FFATA reporting requirements, as of the date of the award.

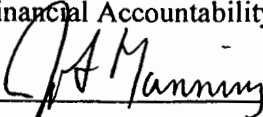
In accordance with 2 CFR Part 170 (*Reporting Subaward and Executive Compensation Information*), the New Hampshire Office of Energy and Planning must report the following information for any subaward or contract award subject to the FFATA reporting requirements:

- 1) Name of entity
- 2) Amount of award
- 3) Funding agency
- 4) NAICS code for contracts / CFDA program number for grants
- 5) Program source
- 6) Award title descriptive of the purpose of the funding action
- 7) Location of the entity
- 8) Principle place of performance
- 9) Unique identifier of the entity (DUNS #)
- 10) Total compensation and names of the top five executives if:
 - a. More than 80% of annual gross revenues are from the Federal government, and those revenues are greater than \$25M annually and
 - b. Compensation information is not already available through reporting to the SEC.

Prime grant recipients must submit FFATA required data by the end of the month, plus 30 days, in which the award or award amendment is made.

The Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions agrees to comply with the provisions of The Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act, Public Law 109-282 and Public Law 110-252, and 2 CFR Part 170 (*Reporting Subaward and Executive Compensation Information*), and further agrees to have the Contractor's representative, as identified in Sections 1.11 and 1.12 of the General Provisions execute the following Certification:

The below named Contractor agrees to provide needed information as outlined above to the New Hampshire Office of Energy and Planning and to comply with all applicable provisions of the Federal Financial Accountability and Transparency Act.



(Contractor Representative Signature) John Manning, Chief Executive Officer
(Authorized Contractor Representative Name & Title)

Southwestern Community Services, Inc. _____
(Contractor Name) (Date) May 27, 2015

Contractor initials: JM
Date: 5/27/15
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New Hampshire Office of Energy and Planning

STANDARD EXHIBIT J

FORM A

As the Contractor identified in Section 1.3 of the General Provisions, I certify that the responses to the below listed questions are true and accurate.

1. The DUNS number for your entity is: 081251381

2. In your business or organization's preceding completed fiscal year, did your business or organization receive (1) 80 percent or more of your annual gross revenue in U.S. federal contracts, subcontracts, loans, grants, sub-grants, and/or cooperative agreements; and (2) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from U.S. federal contracts, subcontracts, loans, grants, subgrants, and/or cooperative agreements?

NO YES

If the answer to #2 above is NO, stop here

If the answer to #2 above is YES, please answer the following:

3. Does the public have access to information about the compensation of the executives in your business or organization through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C.78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986?

NO YES

If the answer to #3 above is YES, stop here

If the answer to #3 above is NO, please answer the following:

4. The names and compensation of the five most highly compensated officers in your business or organization are as follows:

Name: _____	Amount: _____
Name: _____	Amount: _____
Name: _____	Amount: _____
Name: _____	Amount: _____
Name: _____	Amount: _____

Contractor initials: Jm

Date: 5/27/15

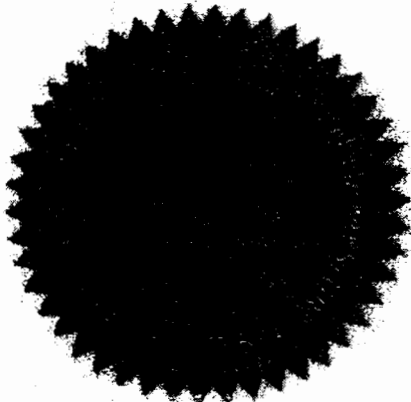
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State of New Hampshire
Department of State

CERTIFICATE

I, William M. Gardner, Secretary of State of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby certify that SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. is a New Hampshire nonprofit corporation formed May 19, 1965. I further certify that it is in good standing as far as this office is concerned, having filed the return(s) and paid the fees required by law.



In TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto
set my hand and cause to be affixed
the Seal of the State of New Hampshire,
this 3rd day of April, A.D. 2015

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "William M. Gardner".

William M. Gardner
Secretary of State

CERTIFICATE OF VOTES

(Corporate Authority)

I, Elaine M. Amer, Clerk/Secretary of Southwestern Community Services, Inc. Board of Directors
(name) (Corporation name)

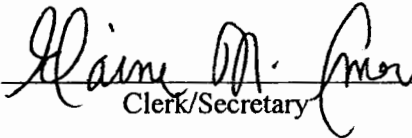
(hereinafter the "Corporation"), a New Hampshire corporation, hereby certify that: (1) I am the duly
(state)
elected and acting Clerk/Secretary of the Corporation; (2) I maintain and have custody and am familiar with the
minute books of the Corporation; (3) I am duly authorized to issue certificates with respect to the contents of such
books; (4) that the Board of Directors of the Corporation have authorized, on 4/27/12, such authority
(date)
to be in force and effect until March 31, 2016.
(contract termination date)

The person(s) holding the below listed position(s) are authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of the Corporation any contract or other instrument for the sale of products and services:

<u>John A. Manning</u> (name)	<u>Chief Executive Officer</u> (position)
_____	_____
(name)	(position)

(5) the meeting of the Board of Directors was held in accordance with New Hampshire
(state of incorporation)
law and the by-laws of the Corporation; and (6) said authorization has not been modified, amended or rescinded
and continues in full force and effect as of the date hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as the Clerk/Secretary of the corporation this
27th day of May, 2015.

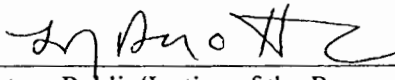


Clerk/Secretary

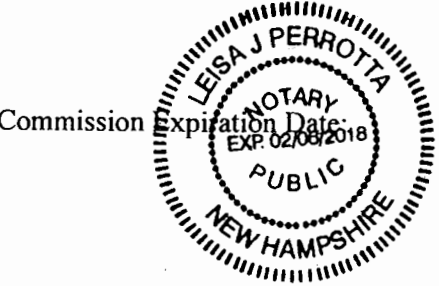
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
COUNTY OF CHESHIRE

On this 27th day of May, 2015, before me, Leisa Perrotta the
undersigned Officer, personally appeared Elaine M. Amer who acknowledged
herself to be the Clerk/Secretary of Southwestern Community Services, Inc. Board of Directors, a
corporation and that she as such Clerk/Secretary being authorized to do so, executed the foregoing instrument for
the purposes therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.



Notary Public/Justice of the Peace





CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
6/2/2015

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Clark - Mortenson Insurance P.O. Box 606 Keene NH 03431	CONTACT NAME: PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): 603-352-2121 E-MAIL ADDRESS: csr24@clark-mortenson.com	FAX (A/C, No): 603-357-8491
	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE	
INSURED Southwestern Comm Services Inc PO Box 603 Keene NH 03431	INSURER A: Philadelphia Insurance Company	NAIC #: 0
	INSURER B: Maine Employer Mutual Insurance Co.	
	INSURER C:	
	INSURER D:	
	INSURER E:	
	INSURER F:	

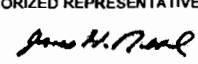
COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 97717120** **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS	
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GENL AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC OTHER:			PHPK1189961	6/30/2015	6/30/2016	EACH OCCURRENCE	\$1,000,000
							DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence)	\$100,000
							MED EXP (Any one person)	\$5,000
							PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	\$1,000,000
							GENERAL AGGREGATE	\$2,000,000
							PRODUCTS - COMPOP AGG	\$2,000,000
								\$
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS			PHPK1189961	6/30/2015	6/30/2016	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident)	\$1,000,000
							BODILY INJURY (Per person)	\$
							BODILY INJURY (Per accident)	\$
							PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)	\$
								\$
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UMBRELLA LIAB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input type="checkbox"/> DED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RETENTION \$10,000			PHUB462959	6/30/2015	6/30/2016	EACH OCCURRENCE	\$2,000,000
							AGGREGATE	\$2,000,000
								\$
B	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	Y/N	N/A	3102800768	4/1/2015	4/1/2016	PER STATUTE	OTH-ER
							E L EACH ACCIDENT	\$500,000
							E L DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE	\$500,000
							E L DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$500,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

Workers Compensation Statutory coverage provided for State of NH
All Executive Officers are included in the Workers Compensation coverage

CERTIFICATE HOLDER NH Office of Energy and Planning 107 Pleasant Street Johnson Hall, 3rd Floor Concord NH 03301	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 
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Financial Statements

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC.
AND RELATED COMPANIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED
MAY 31, 2014
AND
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORTS

*Leone,
McDonnell
& Roberts*
PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. AND RELATED COMPANIES

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2014

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To the Board of Directors of
Southwestern Community Services, Inc.
Keene, New Hampshire

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Southwestern Community Services, Inc. and related companies (a New Hampshire nonprofit corporation), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of May 31, 2014, and the related consolidated statements of activities, cash flows and functional expenses for the year then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Southwestern Community Services, Inc. as of May 31, 2014, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidated financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated January 26, 2015, on our consideration of Southwestern Community Services, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Southwestern Community Services, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

*Lance McDonnell & Roberts,
Professional Accountants*

January 26, 2015
Wolfeboro, New Hampshire

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. AND RELATED COMPANIES

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
MAY 31, 2014**

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 96,654
Accounts receivable	976,196
Inventory	312,064
Prepaid expenses	8,836
Advances to unrelated third parties	100,700
Notes receivable	112,000
Interest receivable	<u>27,627</u>
Total current assets	<u>1,634,077</u>
PROPERTY	
Land and buildings	12,526,948
Vehicles and equipment	761,283
Furniture and fixtures	<u>29,791</u>
Total property	13,318,022
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>4,495,141</u>
Property, net	<u>8,822,881</u>
OTHER ASSETS	
Due from related parties	877,025
Cash escrow and reserve funds	182,837
Security deposits	11,628
Other assets	<u>591</u>
Total other assets	<u>1,072,081</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 11,529,039</u>

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Accounts payable	\$ 550,886
Accrued expenses	97,294
Accrued payroll and payroll taxes	113,546
Accrued compensated balances	125,564
Other current liabilities	4,569
Refundable advances	132,114
Demand notes payable	338,953
Current portion of long term debt	<u>245,959</u>
Total current liabilities	1,608,885
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES	
Long term debt, less current portion shown above	<u>6,324,881</u>
Total liabilities	<u>7,933,766</u>
NET ASSETS	
Unrestricted	3,561,476
Temporarily restricted	<u>33,797</u>
Total net assets	<u>3,595,273</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 11,529,039</u>

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. AND RELATED COMPANIES

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2014**

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>Total</u>
REVENUES AND OTHER SUPPORT			
Government contracts	\$ 8,893,510		\$ 8,893,510
Program service fees	2,103,765		2,103,765
Rental income	361,492		361,492
Developer income	694,246		694,246
Support	283,259	\$ 33,797	317,056
Fundraising	146,366		146,366
Interest income	4,722		4,722
Forgiveness of debt	772,915		772,915
Miscellaneous	56,565		56,565
In-kind contributions	<u>110,864</u>		<u>110,864</u>
Total revenues and other support	13,427,704	33,797	13,461,501
NET ASSETS RELEASED FROM RESTRICTIONS	<u>91,715</u>	<u>(91,715)</u>	
Total revenues, other support, and net assets released from restrictions	<u>13,519,419</u>	<u>(57,918)</u>	<u>13,461,501</u>
EXPENSES			
Program services			
Home energy programs	4,171,970		4,171,970
Education and nutrition	2,037,363		2,037,363
Homeless programs	1,888,171		1,888,171
Housing services	1,824,635		1,824,635
Economic development services	503,259		503,259
Other programs	<u>783,808</u>		<u>783,808</u>
Total program services	11,209,206		11,209,206
Supporting activities			
Management and general	<u>1,680,806</u>		<u>1,680,806</u>
Total expenses	<u>12,890,012</u>		<u>12,890,012</u>
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS	<u>629,407</u>	<u>(57,918)</u>	<u>571,489</u>
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR AS ORIGINALLY STATED	2,956,093		2,956,093
PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENT	<u>(24,024)</u>	<u>91,715</u>	<u>67,691</u>
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR AS RESTATED	<u>2,932,069</u>	<u>91,715</u>	<u>3,023,784</u>
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 3,561,476</u>	<u>\$ 33,797</u>	<u>\$ 3,595,273</u>

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. AND RELATED COMPANIES

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2014**

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Change in net assets	\$ 571,489
Adjustments to reconcile changes in net assets to net cash from operating activities:	
Depreciation and amortization	470,112
Forgiveness of debt	(772,915)
(Increase) decrease in assets:	
Accounts receivable	(111,461)
Inventory	(210,123)
Prepaid expenses	9,011
Notes receivable	(112,000)
Interest receivable	(4,480)
Due from related parties	413,874
Security deposits	3,678
Increase (decrease) in liabilities:	
Accounts payable	(198,896)
Accrued expenses	68,788
Accrued payroll and payroll taxes	(19,991)
Accrued compensated absences	6,214
Other current liabilities	(19,874)
Refundable advances	(51,981)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	<u>41,445</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	
Decrease in escrow funds	(32,702)
Purchase of property	(83,801)
NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES	<u>(116,503)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Net proceeds from demand notes payable	39,000
Proceeds from long term debt	80,782
Repayment of long term debt	(171,638)
NET CASH USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES	<u>(51,856)</u>
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(126,914)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>223,568</u>
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 96,654</u>
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION	
Cash paid during the year for:	
Interest	<u>\$ 140,095</u>

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SOUTHWESTERN COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC. AND RELATED COMPANIES

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 2014**

	Home Energy Programs	Education and Nutrition	Homeless Programs	Housing Services	Economic Development Services	Other Programs	Total Program	Management and General	Total
Payroll	\$ 366,230	\$ 995,868	\$ 458,739	\$ 742,481	\$ 261,181	\$ 398,478	\$ 3,220,977	\$ 704,943	\$ 3,925,920
Payroll taxes	36,938	113,538	48,112	71,929	26,440	44,552	341,509	65,385	406,894
Employee benefits	105,720	272,411	183,228	116,815	49,802	132,998	840,974	152,774	993,748
Retirement	25,437	54,464	27,418	54,869	13,879	14,206	190,093	87,519	257,612
Advertising	750	15,508	430	3,322	-	129	20,139	1,190	21,329
Bank charges	455	-	19	2,457	-	4	2,935	5,041	7,976
Bad debt expense	-	-	2,023	-	-	-	2,023	-	2,023
Commercial subsidy	-	-	-	-	-	10,671	10,671	-	10,671
Computer cost	43	2,949	2,899	3,800	1,879	-	11,370	78,211	89,581
Contractual	325,048	55,175	89,472	93,879	97,225	120,497	781,295	6,151	787,447
Depreciation	7,902	11,128	249,555	145,479	-	5,804	419,668	50,444	470,112
Dues/registration	-	6,484	350	1,545	-	625	9,004	1,393	10,397
Duplicating	640	8,831	1,711	194	-	-	11,376	2,952	14,328
Insurance	6,633	13,375	23,207	44,849	581	4,537	93,182	49,750	142,932
Interest	-	10,871	12,882	24,242	-	1,142	49,017	140,095	189,112
Meeting and conference	2,110	630	10,356	8,936	-	17,909	39,941	12,303	52,244
Miscellaneous expense	41,461	2,333	2,725	62,321	80	5,899	114,819	41,884	156,703
Miscellaneous taxes	-	-	-	38,732	-	-	38,732	200	38,932
Equipment purchases	-	2,592	5,634	4,292	95	-	12,613	204	12,817
Office expense	11,464	19,310	12,954	2,655	5,018	98	51,499	13,325	64,824
Postage	29	381	139	462	429	35	1,475	20,623	22,098
Professional fees	1,000	-	1,500	30,420	-	-	32,920	82,021	114,941
Staff development and training	3,384	5,585	6,164	2,538	-	4,239	21,910	14,268	36,178
Subscriptions	-	-	-	387	135	750	1,282	1,699	2,981
Telephone	3,396	14,908	34,075	9,078	8,839	616	69,012	18,217	87,229
Fax	133	-	-	-	-	-	133	-	133
Travel	3,348	11,813	12,317	4,478	6,147	145	38,248	2,464	40,712
Vehicle	7,055	9,716	6,107	50,352	-	10,389	83,619	41,312	124,931
Rent	-	11,550	166	7,200	-	-	18,916	-	18,916
Space costs	-	110,000	277,330	182,082	-	1,598	581,010	108,418	687,428
Direct client assistance	3,222,794	178,979	441,079	105,011	33,429	8,687	3,987,979	-	3,987,979
In-kind expenses	-	110,864	-	-	-	-	110,864	-	110,864
TOTAL FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES BEFORE GENERAL AND MANAGEMENT ALLOCATION	4,171,970	2,037,363	1,868,171	1,824,635	503,259	783,808	11,209,206	1,680,806	12,890,012
Allocation of management and general expenses	625,581	305,500	283,129	273,602	75,463	117,531	1,680,806	(1,680,806)	-
TOTAL FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES	\$ 4,797,551	\$ 2,342,863	\$ 2,151,300	\$ 2,098,237	\$ 578,722	\$ 901,339	\$ 12,890,012	\$ -	\$ 12,890,012

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Southwestern Community Services, Inc. Board of Directors - Composition - 2015 -

CHESHIRE COUNTY

SULLIVAN COUNTY

**CONSTITUENT
SECTOR**

Beth Fox
Vice Chair, NH CDBG
Advisory Council

David Hill
Homeless Services Program
Representative - Sullivan Cty

Penny Despres
New Hope New Horizons
Program Representative

Cathy Paradise
Director Family School Connections
Childcare Resource & Referral Program

Daisy Heath
Head Start Policy Council
Parent Representative to Board

Mary Lou Huffling
Fall Mountain Emergency Food Shelf
Alstead Friendly Meals

**PRIVATE
SECTOR**

Elaine Amer, Clerk/Treasurer
Construction Trades
Amer Electric

Vacant

Scott Croteau, Vice Chairperson
Banking Finance Community

Lou Gendron
President, Congress of Claremont
Senior Citizens

Kevin Watterson, Chairperson
Vice President,
g. housen and co. inc.

Anne Beattie
ServiceLink of Sullivan County
Advisory Committee

**PUBLIC
SECTOR**

Leroy Austin
Town of Winchester
NH Code Enforcement

David Edkins
Administrator,
Planning & Zoning
Town of Charlestown

Senator Molly Kelly
Senate District 10

Raymond Gagnon
NH House of Representatives

Peter (Sturdy) Thomas
Selectperson
Town of Dublin

Jessie Levine
County Manager
Public Sector, Sullivan County

KEY ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

NH Office of Energy & Planning

Agency Name: Southwestern Community Services, Inc.

Program Name: 2015 Weatherization Program - DOE

Name & Title Key Administrative Personnel	Annual Salary Of Key Administrative Personnel	Percentage of Salary Paid By Contract	Total Salary Amount Paid By Contract
John Manning, CEO	\$107,016	0.00%	\$0.00
Beth Daniels, Energy Director	\$50,669	0.00%	\$0.00

John A. Manning

Summary

Over 30 years of experience with non-profit organizations, as both an outside auditor and presently Chief Financial Officer of a large community action agency.

Experience

2014 Southwestern Community Services Inc.
Keene, NH

Chief Executive Officer

Responsible for overall supervision, management, monitoring and fiscal review of Community Action Agency social service programs providing services to low-income, elderly, and handicapped residents of Sullivan and Cheshire Counties, New Hampshire.

1990–2014 Southwestern Community Services Inc.
Keene, NH

Chief Financial Officer

Oversees all fiscal functions for a community action agency providing services to low and moderate income individuals. Programs include Head Start, Fuel Assistance, and multiple affordable housing projects. Supervises a staff of 7, with an agency budget of over \$ 13,000,000. Also oversees agency property management department, which manages over 300 units of affordable housing.

1985-1995 Keene State College Keene, NH

Adjunct Professor

Taught evening accounting classes for their continuing education program.

1978-1990 John A. Manning, Keene, NH

Certified Public Accountant

Provided public accounting services to small and medium sized clients, including multiple non-profit organizations. Performed certified audits on several clients, including Head Start and other non-profit clients.

1975-1978 Kostin and Co. CPA's West Hartford, Ct.

Staff Accountant

Performed all aspects of public accounting for medium sized accounting firm. Audited large number of privately held and non-profit clients.

1971–1975 University of Mass. Amherst, Ma.
B.S. Business Administration in Accounting

Education

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Organizations

NH Society of Certified Public Accountants

Beth Daniels

Experience

Southwestern Community Services, Inc., Keene, NH

Director of Energy and Employment Programs 10/2008 – Present

- Oversee all daily operations for Fuel Assistance, Electric Assistance, Neighbor Helping Neighbor, Senior Energy Assistance, Weatherization, HRRP, CORE, and Assurance 16 as well as the employment programs Workplace Success, Work Experience Program, and WIA.

Workforce Development Director 11/2006 – 10/2008

- Supervise, direct, coach, and encourage staff of six within four programs
- Collaborate with agency staff, community members and state contract holders to achieve common goals, including agency name recognition and program success
- Perform all SCS Program Director tasks including PPRs and budget management

Families @ Work Employment Specialist 03/2006 - 11/2006

- Managed a caseload of fifty (50) clients throughout the Keene, Claremont, Concord, and Nashua areas
- Worked closely with staff from Southwestern Community Services, Inc. and Southern New Hampshire Services
- Gained a strong working knowledge of all SCS programs for referral purposes

Second Start, Concord, NH

Career Development Specialist 11/2004 – 03/2006

- Facilitated daily job-readiness classes and skill-building exercises
- Assisted participants with barrier resolution and the job search process
- Maintained participant records and completed reporting requirements
- Received ongoing training in teaching techniques and learning styles

Nina's Family Daycare, Swanzey, NH

10/2003 – 11/2004

Daycare Provider

- Responsible for meal planning, payment records, supplies, and activities
- Acquired CPR & First Aid certification

Southwestern Community Services, Inc., Keene, NH

Case Manager, Homeless Services 09/2002 – 10/2003

- Responsible for all daily operations of housing program, rules, and regulations
- Completed weekly and monthly progress reports
- Coordinated house meetings, workshops, case conferences, and life skills classes

Case Manager, Welfare-to-Work 05/2000 – 09/2002

- Provided job placement and retention services for caseload of forty (40) clients
- Gained working knowledge of Department of Health & Human Services, Immigration & Naturalization Services, community agencies, and SCS

Education and Training

Grant Writing Workshop Cheshire County	05/2012
Nonviolent Crisis Intervention Crisis Prevention Institute, Inc.	2012
Leadership Training Tad Dwyer Consulting	2010-2011
Criticism & Discipline Skills for Managers CareerTrack	11/2007
How to Supervise People CareerTrack	11/2007
Career Development Facilitator Training National Career Development Association <i>120-hour NCDA training</i>	09/2005
Certified Workforce Development Specialist National Association of Workforce Development Professionals	06/2005
Infection Control & Bloodborne Pathogens Home Health Care	01/2003
Bachelor of Arts in Human Services Franklin Pierce College <i>Graduated cum laude</i>	05/2002

Projects/Appointments

- Started the **SCS Back-to-School Initiative**, which has tripled the number of children receiving school supplies within the past three years
- Member of the **SCS Communications Committee** - this included work on the **agency newsletter**
- Coordinated with the national **Citizens Energy (Joe4Oil) Program** to become the statewide contact for low-income households within New Hampshire

References Available