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State of New Hampshire

DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER
33 HAZEN DR. CONCORD, N.H. 03305
603-271-2791

ROBERT L. QUINN
COMMISSIONER OF SAFETY

November 8, 2019

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

Requested Action

Pursuant to RSA 21-P:43, the Department of Safety, Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (HSEM) requests authorization to enter into a grant agreement with the Town of Gorham (VC#177396-B002) to purchase and install mobile repeaters for a total amount of \$22,682.00. Effective upon Governor and Council approval through September 30, 2020. Funding source: 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available in the SFY 2020 operating budget as follows:

02-23-23-236010-80920000	Dept. of Safety	Homeland Sec-Emer Mgmt	100% EMPG Local Match
072-500574	Grants to Local Gov't - Federal		
Activity Code: 23EMPG 2018			\$22,682.00

Explanation

This grant provides funds for the Town of Gorham to purchase mobile repeaters to enhance emergency radio communications. The grant listed above is funded from the FFY 2018 Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG), which was awarded to the Department of Safety, Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (HSEM) from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The grant funds are to be used to measurably improve all-hazard planning and preparedness capabilities/activities, to include mitigation, preparedness, response, and recovery initiatives at the state and local level. Grant guidance and applications are available to all Emergency Management Directors and other qualified organizations in the State. Subrecipients submit applications to this office, which are reviewed by the HSEM Planning Chief, Assistant Planning Chief and Field Representatives and approved by the HSEM Director. The criteria for approval are based on grant eligibility in accordance with the grant's current guidance and the documented needs of the local jurisdictions.

The Emergency Management Performance Grants are 50% federally funded by FEMA with a 50% match requirement supplied by the subrecipient. The subrecipient acknowledges their match obligation as part of Exhibit B to their grant agreement.

In the event that Federal Funds are no longer available, General Funds and/or Highway Funds will not be requested to support this program.



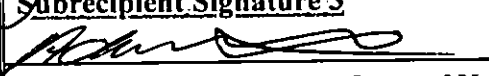

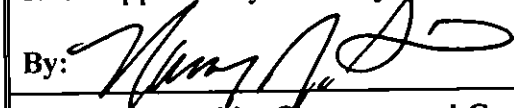
Respectfully submitted,

Robert L. Quinn
Commissioner of Safety

GRANT AGREEMENT

The State of New Hampshire and the Subrecipient hereby
Mutually agree as follows:
GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Identification and Definitions.

1.1. State Agency Name NH Department of Safety, Homeland Security and Emergency Management		1.2. State Agency Address 33 Hazen Drive Concord, NH 03305	
1.3. Subrecipient Name Town of Gorham (VC#177396-B002)		1.4. Subrecipient Tel. #/Address 603-466-3100 20 Park Street, Gorham NH 03581	
1.5 Effective Date G&C Approval	1.6. Account Number AU #80920000	1.7. Completion Date September 30, 2020	1.8. Grant Limitation \$22,682.00
1.9. Grant Officer for State Agency Olivia Bourque, EMPG Program Coordinator		1.10. State Agency Telephone Number (603) 223-3639	
"By signing this form we certify that we have complied with any public meeting requirement for acceptance of this grant, including if applicable RSA 31:95-b"			
1.11. Subrecipient Signature 1 		1.12. Name & Title of Subrecipient Signor 1 Michael L. Waddell	
Subrecipient Signature 2 		Name & Title of Subrecipient Signor 2 Judith LeBlanc	
Subrecipient Signature 3 		Name & Title of Subrecipient Signor 3 Adam White	
1.13. Acknowledgment: State of New Hampshire, County of <u>Coos</u> , ^{on} <u>9/23/19</u> , before the undersigned officer, personally appeared the person identified in block 1.12., known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person whose name is signed in block 1.11., and acknowledged that he/she executed this document in the capacity indicated in block 1.12.			
1.13.1. Signature of Notary Public or Justice of the Peace (Seal) <u>Denise M. Vallee</u>			
1.13.2. Name & Title of Notary Public or Justice of the Peace <u>Denise M. Vallee, Justice of the Peace</u>			(Commission Expiration) <u>02/26/24</u>
1.14. State Agency Signature(s) By: 		1.15. Name & Title of State Agency Signor(s) On: <u>11/27/19</u> Steven R. Lavoie, Director of Administration	
1.16. Approval by Attorney General (Form, Substance and Execution) (if G & C approval required) By:  Assistant Attorney General, On: <u>12/10/2019</u>			
1.17. Approval by Governor and Council (if applicable) By: _____ On: <u> / /</u>			

2. SCOPE OF WORK: In exchange for grant funds provided by the State of New Hampshire, acting through the Agency identified in block 1.1 (hereinafter referred to as "the State"), pursuant to RSA 21-P:36, the Subrecipient identified in block 1.3 (hereinafter referred to as "the Subrecipient"), shall perform that work identified and more particularly described in the scope of work attached hereto as EXHIBIT A (the scope of work being hereinafter referred to as "the Project").

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3. **AREA COVERED.** Except as otherwise specifically provided for herein, the Subrecipient shall perform the Project in, and with respect to, the State of New Hampshire.

4. **EFFECTIVE DATE: COMPLETION OF PROJECT.**
4.1. This Agreement, and all obligations of the parties hereunder, shall become effective on the date of approval of this Agreement by the Governor and Council of the State of New Hampshire if required (block 1.17), or upon signature by the State Agency as shown in block 1.14 ("the effective date").

4.2. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, the Project, including all reports required by this Agreement, shall be completed in its entirety prior to the date in block 1.7 (hereinafter referred to as "the Completion Date").

5. **GRANT AMOUNT; LIMITATION ON AMOUNT; VOUCHERS; PAYMENT.**

5.1. The Grant Amount is identified and more particularly described in EXHIBIT B, attached hereto.

5.2. The manner of, and schedule of payment shall be as set forth in EXHIBIT B.
5.3. In accordance with the provisions set forth in EXHIBIT B, and in consideration of the satisfactory performance of the Project, as determined by the State, and as limited by subparagraph 5.5 of these general provisions, the State shall pay the Subrecipient the Grant Amount. The State shall withhold from the amount otherwise payable to the Subrecipient under this subparagraph 5.3 those sums required, or permitted, to be withheld pursuant to N.H. RSA 80:7 through 7-c. The payment by the State of the Grant amount shall be the only, and the complete payment to the Subrecipient for all expenses, of whatever nature, incurred by the Subrecipient in the performance hereof, and shall be the only, and the complete, compensation to the Subrecipient for the Project. The State shall have no liabilities to the Subrecipient other than the Grant Amount.

5.4. Notwithstanding anything 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 Grant limitation set forth in block 1.8 of these general provisions.
6. **COMPLIANCE BY SUBRECIPIENT WITH LAWS AND REGULATIONS.**

In connection with the performance of the Project, the Subrecipient shall comply with all statutes, laws regulations, and orders of federal, state, county, or municipal authorities which shall impose any obligations or duty upon the Subrecipient, including the acquisition of any and all necessary permits.

7.1. **RECORDS and ACCOUNTS.**

Between the Effective Date and the date three (3) years after the Completion Date the Subrecipient shall keep detailed accounts of all expenses incurred in connection with the Project, including, but not limited to, costs of administration, transportation, insurance, telephone calls, and clerical materials and services. Such accounts shall be supported by receipts, invoices, bills and other similar documents.

7.2. Between the Effective Date and the date three (3) years after the Completion Date, at any time during the Subrecipient's normal business hours, and as often as the State shall demand, the Subrecipient shall make available to the State all records pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement. The Subrecipient shall permit the State to audit, examine, and reproduce such records, and to make audits of all contracts, invoices, materials, payrolls, records of personnel, data (as that term is hereinafter defined), and other information relating to all matters covered by this Agreement. As used in this paragraph, "Subrecipient" includes all persons, natural or fictional, affiliated with, controlled by, or under common ownership with, the entity identified as the Subrecipient in block 1.3 of these provisions

8.1. **PERSONNEL.**

The Subrecipient shall, at its own expense, provide all personnel necessary to perform the Project. The Subrecipient warrants that all personnel engaged in the Project shall be qualified to perform such Project, and shall be properly licensed and authorized to perform such Project under all applicable laws.

8.2. The Subrecipient shall not hire, and it shall not permit any subcontractor, subgrantee, or other person, firm or corporation with whom it is engaged in a combined effort to perform the Project, to hire any person who has a contractual relationship with the State, or who is a State officer or employee, elected or appointed.
8.3. The Grant Officer shall be the representative of the State hereunder. In the event of any dispute hereunder, the interpretation of this Agreement by the Grant Officer, and his/her decision on any dispute, shall be final.

9. **DATA: RETENTION OF DATA: ACCESS.**

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, paper, and documents, all whether finished or unfinished.

9.2. Between the Effective Date and the Completion Date the Subrecipient shall grant to the State, or any person designated by it, unrestricted access to all data for examination, duplication, publication, translation, sale, disposal, or for any other purpose whatsoever.

9.3. No data shall be subject to copyright in the United States or any other country by anyone other than the State.

9.4. On and after the Effective Date 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, whichever shall first occur.

9.5. The State, and anyone it shall designate, shall have unrestricted authority to publish, disclose, distribute and otherwise use, in whole or in part, all data.

10. **CONDITIONAL NATURE OR AGREEMENT.** Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, all obligations of the State hereunder, including, without limitation, the continuance of payments hereunder, are contingent upon the availability or continued appropriation of funds, and in no event shall the State be liable for any payments hereunder in excess of such available or appropriated funds. In the event of a reduction or termination of those 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 Subrecipient notice of such termination.

11. **EVENT OF DEFAULT: REMEDIES.**

11.1. Any one or more of the following acts or omissions of the Subrecipient shall constitute an event of default hereunder (hereinafter referred to as "Events of Default"):

- 11.1.1 Failure to perform the Project satisfactorily or on schedule; or
- 11.1.2 Failure to submit any report required hereunder; or
- 11.1.3 Failure to maintain, or permit access to, the records required hereunder; or
- 11.1.4 Failure to perform any of the other covenants and conditions of this Agreement.

11.2. Upon the occurrence of any Event of Default, the State may take any one, or more, or all, of the following actions:

- 11.2.1 Give the Subrecipient 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 Subrecipient notice of termination; and
- 11.2.2 Give the Subrecipient 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 Grant Amount which would otherwise accrue to the Subrecipient during the period from the date of such notice until such time as the State determines that the Subrecipient has cured the Event of Default shall never be paid to the Subrecipient; and
- 11.2.3 Set off against any other obligation the State may owe to the Subrecipient any damages the State suffers by reason of any Event of Default; and
- 11.2.4 Treat the agreement as breached and pursue any of its remedies at law or in equity, or both.

12. **TERMINATION.**

12.1. In the event of any early termination of this Agreement for any reason other than the completion of the Project, the Subrecipient shall deliver to the Grant Officer, not later than fifteen (15) days after the date of termination, a report (hereinafter referred to as the "Termination Report") describing in detail all Project Work performed, and the Grant Amount earned, to and including the date of termination.
12.2. In the event of Termination under paragraphs 10 or 12.4 of these general provisions, the approval of such a Termination Report by the State shall entitle the Subrecipient to receive that portion of the Grant amount earned to and including the date of termination.

12.3. In the event of Termination under paragraphs 10 or 12.4 of these general provisions, the approval of such a Termination Report by the State shall in no event relieve the Subrecipient from any and all liability for damages sustained or incurred by the State as a result of the Subrecipient's breach of its obligations hereunder.
12.4. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, either the State or, except where notice default has been given to the Subrecipient hereunder, the Subrecipient, may terminate this Agreement without cause upon thirty (30) days written notice.

13. **CONFLICT OF INTEREST.** No officer, member of employee of the Subrecipient, and no representative, officer or employee of the State of New Hampshire or of the governing body of the locality or localities in which the Project is to be performed, who exercises any functions or responsibilities in the review or

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- approval of the undertaking or carrying out of such Project, shall participate in any decision relating to this Agreement which affects his or her personal interest or the interest of any corporation, partnership, or association in which he or she is directly or indirectly interested, nor shall he or she have any personal or pecuniary interest, direct or indirect, in this Agreement or the proceeds thereof.
14. **SUBRECIPIENT'S RELATION TO THE STATE.** In the performance of this Agreement the Subrecipient, its employees, and any subcontractor or subgrantee of the Subrecipient are in all respects independent contractors, and are neither agents nor employees of the State. Neither the Subrecipient nor any of its officers, employees, agents, members, subcontractors or subgrantees, shall have authority to bind the State nor are they entitled to any of the benefits, workmen's compensation or emoluments provided by the State to its employees.
 15. **ASSIGNMENT AND SUBCONTRACTS.** The Subrecipient shall not assign, or otherwise transfer any interest in this Agreement without the prior written consent of the State. None of the Project Work shall be subcontracted or subgranted by the Subrecipient other than as set forth in Exhibit A without the prior written consent of the State.
 16. **INDEMNIFICATION.** The Subrecipient 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 on, resulting from, arising out of (or which may be claimed to arise out of) the acts or omissions of the Subrecipient or subcontractor, or subgrantee or other agent of the Subrecipient. 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 shall survive the termination of this agreement.
 17. **INSURANCE AND BOND.**
 - 17.1 The Subrecipient shall, at its own expense, obtain and maintain in force, or shall require any subcontractor, subgrantee or assignee performing Project work to obtain and maintain in force, both for the benefit of the State, the following insurance:
 - 17.1.1 Statutory workmen's compensation and employees liability insurance for all employees engaged in the performance of the Project, and
 - 17.1.2 Comprehensive public liability insurance against all claims of bodily injuries, death or property damage, in amounts not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,000,000 aggregate for bodily injury or death any one incident, and \$500,000 for property damage in any one incident; and
 - 17.2 The policies described in subparagraph 17.1 of this paragraph shall be the standard form employed in the State of New Hampshire, issued by underwriters acceptable to the State, and authorized to do business in the State of New Hampshire. Each policy shall contain a clause prohibiting cancellation or modification of the policy earlier than ten (10) days after written notice thereof has been received by the State.
 18. **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, or any subsequent Event. No express waiver of any Event of Default shall be deemed a waiver of any provisions hereof. No such failure of waiver 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 default on the part of the Subrecipient.
 19. **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 first above given.
 20. **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 Council of the State of New Hampshire, if required, or by the signing State Agency.
 21. **CONSTRUCTION OF AGREEMENT AND TERMS.** This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the law of the State of New Hampshire, and is binding upon and inures to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and assignees. The captions and contents of the "subject" blank are used only as a matter of convenience, and are not to be considered a part of this Agreement or to be used in determining the intent of the parties hereto.
 22. **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.
 23. **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.
 24. **SPECIAL PROVISIONS.** The additional provisions set forth in Exhibit C hereto are incorporated as part of this agreement.

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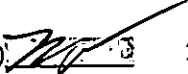
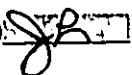

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EXHIBIT A

Scope of Services

1. The Department of Safety, Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (hereinafter referred to as "the State") is awarding the Town of Gorham (hereinafter referred to as "the Subrecipient") \$22,682.00 to purchase mobile repeaters.
2. "The Subrecipient" agrees that the project grant period ends September 30, 2020 and that a final performance and expenditure report will be sent to "the State" by October 31, 2020.
3. "The Subrecipient" agrees to comply with all applicable federal and state laws, rules, regulations, and requirements.
4. "The Subrecipient" shall maintain financial records, supporting documents, and all other pertinent records for a period of three (3) years from the grant period end date. In these records, "the Grantee" shall maintain documentation of the 50% cost share required by this grant.

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EXHIBIT B




Grant Amount and Payment Schedule

1. GRANT AMOUNT

	Applicant	Grant	
	Share	(Federal Funds)	Cost Totals
Project Cost	\$22,682.00	\$22,682.00	\$45,364.00
Project Cost is 50% Federal Funds, 50% Applicant Share			
Awarding Agency: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)			
Award Title & #: Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) EMB-2018-00007-A03			
Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 97.042 (EMPG)			
Applicant's Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS): 837888437			

2. PAYMENT SCHEDULE

- a. "The Subrecipient" agrees the total payment by "the State" under this grant agreement shall be up to \$22,682.00.
- b. "The State" shall reimburse up to \$22,682.00 to "the Subrecipient" upon "the State" receiving a reimbursement request with match documentation and appropriate backup documentation (i.e., copies of invoices, copies of canceled checks, and/or copies of accounting statements).
- c. Upon Governor and Executive Council Approval, allowable match may be incurred for this project from the start of the federal period of performance of this grant, October 1, 2017, to the identified completion date (block 1.7).

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EXHIBIT C

Special Provisions

1. This grant agreement may be terminated upon thirty (30) days written notice by either party.
2. Any funds advanced to “the Subrecipient” must be returned to “the State” if the grant agreement is terminated for any reason other than completion of the project.
3. Any funds advanced to “the Subrecipient” must be expended within thirty (30) days of receiving the advanced funds.
4. “The Subrecipient” agrees to have an audit conducted in compliance with OMB Circular 2 CFR 200, if applicable. If a compliance audit is not required, at the end of each audit period “the Subrecipient” will certify in writing that they have not expended the amount of federal funds that would require a compliance audit (\$750,000). If required, they will forward for review and clearance a copy of the completed audit(s) to “the State”.

Additionally, “the Subrecipient” has or will notify their auditor of the above requirements prior to performance of the audit. “The Subrecipient” will also ensure that, if required, the entire grant period will be covered by a compliance audit, which in some cases will mean more than one audit must be submitted. “The Subrecipient” will advise the auditor to cite specifically that the audit was done in accordance with OMB Circular 2 CFR 200. “The Subrecipient” will also ensure that all records concerning this grant will be kept on file for a minimum of three (3) years from the end of this audit period.

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**Gorham, NH Select Board Meeting
Monday September 23, 2019 Minutes**

Joint meeting with Gorham Board of Selectmen and Water & Sewer Commission was called to order at 6:03 p.m. by Select Board chair, Michael Waddell.

Present: Select Board chair Michael Waddell, Select Board members Judy LeBlanc and Adam White.

Others Present: Town Manager Denise Vallee, Water & Sewer Superintendent Jeff Tennis, Water & Sewer Commissioners Lee Carroll, Roger Goulet and Theodore Miller.

Meeting was opened at 6:03 p.m. by Chairman Michael Waddell.

Mr. Waddell announced that the minutes would be taken off-site through use of the live stream video.

Mr. Waddell announced that the board had recessed from the previous non-public session and expected to go back into non-public after the public meeting. No action was taken in the previous non-public meeting and Mr. Waddell did not expect any action to take place in the next non-public meeting.

Town Manger Denise Vallee announced that Kathy Frenette had been hired as the next Director of Finance & Administration for the Town of Gorham to begin her duties Sept. 30th. Ms. Vallee introduced Ms. Frenette who thanked the town for the opportunity given her.

Discussion followed between the Select Board and the Water & Sewer Commission as to why another engineering firm was hired after the town had already had an engineering firm prepare the design for the Snow Storage Project. The water & sewer commission felt that it would be their due diligence to get another opinion as the water & sewer commission was worried about the main sewer line that crosses the Public Works property under the proposed snow dump. Discussion followed regarding whose responsibility it is to cover the cost of the work above/adjacent to the main sewer line. Mr. Tennis said that the 24" cover was not adequate to protect the pipe. Mr. Waddell felt that the second opinion for engineering held up the process for the project and made the project more expensive. There was also discussion regarding the possibility of using the Icy Gulch watershed in the mitigation process which the NH Bureau of Environmental Services did not allow. More discussion on communication ensued. Mr. Waddell proposed a Memorandum of Understanding between the two boards describing their respective duties and agreement on how to communicate in the future.

Discussion then followed regarding a plan for replacing the sewer lines if they leak. Mr. Tennis explained that the Water & Sewer Dept. is mandated to inspect the lines using a power brush and camera every year to identify possible issues with the lines.

More discussion followed regarding the possibility of cooperating on a capital improvement plan between the Public Works Department and the Water & Sewer Department to avoid conflicts with paving and replacement of water & sewer lines. Mr. Tennis said that he had gone through the highway plan the town has and said that he created a list of the town streets that would not need improvements and gave it to the previous town manager. Mr. Tennis said that he would send out the list to the town officials again. Mr. Waddell asked why the project on Alpine Street took so long and Mr. Tennis responded that a major break in the line on Smyth Street had caused the delay.


Another meeting with the Select board and the Water & Sewer Commissioners will be scheduled again in another two or three weeks. Other issues to be discussed between the boards are plowing and parking issues on Bellevue Avenue. A question was asked about the gliders who use the airport during the foliage season. Ms. Vallee replied that she had received a certificate of insurance from them. Lee Carroll said that usually the glider clubs just show up.

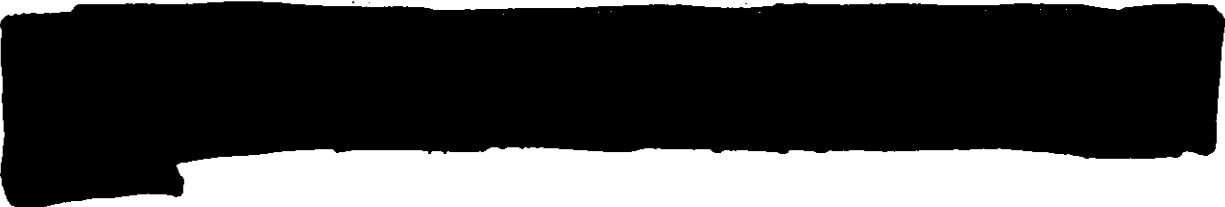
The Water & Sewer Commissioners left the meeting after agreeing to schedule another joint meeting in the near future.

A motion was made by Mr. Waddell and seconded by Judy LeBlanc to pass over the awarding of the bid for Phase II of the snow dump improvement project. All voted in favor of passing over.

Motion made by Judy LeBlanc and seconded by Adam White to sign the contract with new Town Manager Denise Vallee as written. All voted in favor of approving the contract and signed same.

Town Manager Denise Vallee told the board that she had been in contact with Matt Shapiro regarding an agreement with the NH State Police to contract for police services. "We would have to work with Troop F to schedule a time when troopers could fill a four-hour block or an 8-hour shift during the time when we are without a Police Chief and two other officers. In order to have this discussion with Troop F, the town must sign this letter of request. Selectman Adam White made the motion to sign the letter of request as printed, Selectman Judy LeBlanc seconded it and the entire board voted in favor of signing the agreement.

 **Mobile Repeater Grant:** The grant was to purchase four mobile repeaters so emergency personnel could communicate while in the dead spots on Routes 2 & 16. The project cost was \$45,564.00. The federal match is \$22,682.00. The Town of Gorham's match is \$22,682.00. However previous training hours for fire personnel can count as part of the matching funds as in-kind services of \$19,982.00 which leaves the cash amount now needed by the town at \$2,700.00. Motion was made by Adam White and seconded by Judy LeBlanc to accept the terms of the Emergency Management Performance Grant as presented in the amount of \$22,682.00 to purchase mobile repeaters. Furthermore, the Board acknowledges that the total cost of this project will be \$45,364.00, in which the town will be responsible for a 50% match (\$22,682.00)." All voted in favor. Motion made by Mr. White seconded by Mrs. LeBlanc to grant the Town Manager the authority to sign all documents related to this grant. All voted in favor.


Ms. Vallee informed the board that the bids for Phase II of the Snow Storage Improvement Project were received today. The only contractor who bid is Arthur Couture Construction. Mr. Waddell informed the board that it has the right to accept or reject any bids submitted.

Eric Grenier of HEB Engineering brought the board up to date on the Stony Brook Construction project. He reminded the board that an extension of 750 feet (Change Order #1) had been attached to the project. All the trees have been cleared and the box cut finished. They did find unsuitable materials



CERTIFICATE OF COVERAGE

The New Hampshire Public Risk Management Exchange (Primex²) is organized under the New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 5-B, Pooled Risk Management Programs. In accordance with those statutes, its Trust Agreement and bylaws, Primex² is authorized to provide pooled risk management programs established for the benefit of political subdivisions in the State of New Hampshire.

Each member of Primex² is entitled to the categories of coverage set forth below. In addition, Primex² may extend the same coverage to non-members. However, any coverage extended to a non-member is subject to all of the terms, conditions, exclusions, amendments, rules, policies and procedures that are applicable to the members of Primex², including but not limited to the final and binding resolution of all claims and coverage disputes before the Primex² Board of Trustees. The Additional Covered Party's per occurrence limit shall be deemed included in the Member's per occurrence limit, and therefore shall reduce the Member's limit of liability as set forth by the Coverage Documents and Declarations. The limit shown may have been reduced by claims paid on behalf of the member. General Liability coverage is limited to Coverage A (Personal Injury Liability) and Coverage B (Property Damage Liability) only. Coverage's C (Public Officials Errors and Omissions), D (Unfair Employment Practices), E (Employee Benefit Liability) and F (Educator's Legal Liability Claims-Made Coverage) are excluded from this provision of coverage.

The below named entity is a member in good standing of the New Hampshire Public Risk Management Exchange. The coverage provided may, however, be revised at any time by the actions of Primex². As of the date this certificate is issued, the information set out below accurately reflects the categories of coverage established for the current coverage year.

This Certificate is issued as a matter of information only and confers no rights upon the certificate holder. This certificate does not amend, extend, or alter the coverage afforded by the coverage categories listed below.

Participating Member: Primex3 Members as per attached Schedule of Members Property & Liability Program		Member Number:	Company Affording Coverage: NH Public Risk Management Exchange - Primex ² Bow Brook Place 46 Donovan Street Concord, NH 03301-2624	
X	Type of Coverage	Effective Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Expiration Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Limits: NH Statutory Limits May Apply, If Not
	General Liability (Occurrence Form) Professional Liability (describe) <input type="checkbox"/> Claims Made <input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence	7/1/2019	7/1/2020	Each Occurrence \$ 5,000,000 General Aggregate \$ 5,000,000 Fire Damage (Any one fire) Med Exp (Any one person)
	Automobile Liability Deductible Comp and Coll: <input type="checkbox"/> Any auto			Combined Single Limit (Each Accident) Aggregate
	Workers' Compensation & Employers' Liability			<input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Each Accident Disease - Each Employee Disease - Policy Limit
	Property (Special Risk includes Fire and Theft)			Blanket Limit, Replacement Cost (unless otherwise stated)
Description: Proof of Primex Member coverage only.				

CERTIFICATE HOLDER:	Additional Covered Party	Loss Payee	Primex² - NH Public Risk Management Exchange
NH Dept of Safety 33 Hazen Dr. Concord, NH 03301			By: <i>Mary Est Pineda</i>
			Date: 6/21/2019 mpurcell@nhprimex.org Please direct inquires to: Primex ² Claims/Coverage Services 603-225-2841 phone 603-228-3833 fax

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CERTIFICATE OF COVERAGE

The New Hampshire Public Risk Management Exchange (Primex³) is organized under the New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 5-B, Pooled Risk Management Programs. In accordance with those statutes, its Trust Agreement and bylaws, Primex³ is authorized to provide pooled risk management programs established for the benefit of political subdivisions in the State of New Hampshire.

Each member of Primex³ is entitled to the categories of coverage set forth below. In addition, Primex³ may extend the same coverage to non-members. However, any coverage extended to a non-member is subject to all of the terms, conditions, exclusions, amendments, rules, policies and procedures that are applicable to the members of Primex³, including but not limited to the final and binding resolution of all claims and coverage disputes before the Primex³ Board of Trustees. The Additional Covered Party's per occurrence limit shall be deemed included in the Member's per occurrence limit, and therefore shall reduce the Member's limit of liability as set forth by the Coverage Documents and Declarations. The limit shown may have been reduced by claims paid on behalf of the member. General Liability coverage is limited to Coverage A (Personal Injury Liability) and Coverage B (Property Damage Liability) only. Coverage's C (Public Officials Errors and Omissions), D (Unfair Employment Practices), E (Employee Benefit Liability) and F (Educator's Legal Liability Claims-Made Coverage) are excluded from this provision of coverage.

The below named entity is a member in good standing of the New Hampshire Public Risk Management Exchange. The coverage provided may, however, be revised at any time by the actions of Primex³. As of the date this certificate is issued, the information set out below accurately reflects the categories of coverage established for the current coverage year.

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Participating Member: Primex3 Members as per attached Schedule of Members Workers' Compensation Program	Member Number: 	Company Affording Coverage: NH Public Risk Management Exchange - Primex ³ Bow Brook Place 46 Donovan Street Concord, NH 03301-2624
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Type of Coverage	Effective Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Expiration Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Limits - NH Statutory Limits May Apply if Not	Limits	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> General Liability (Occurrence Form) <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Liability (describe) <input type="checkbox"/> Claims Made <input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence			<input type="checkbox"/> Each Occurrence <input type="checkbox"/> General Aggregate <input type="checkbox"/> Fire Damage (Any one fire) <input type="checkbox"/> Med Exp (Any one person)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Automobile Liability Deductible Comp and Coll: <input type="checkbox"/> Any auto			<input type="checkbox"/> Combined Single Limit (Each Accident) <input type="checkbox"/> Aggregate		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Workers' Compensation & Employers' Liability	1/1/2019	1/1/2020	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Statutory <input type="checkbox"/> Each Accident <input type="checkbox"/> Disease - Each Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Disease - Policy Limit	\$2,000,000 \$2,000,000	
<input type="checkbox"/> Property (Special Risk Includes Fire and Theft)			<input type="checkbox"/> Blanket Limit, Replacement Cost (unless otherwise stated)		

Description: Proof of Primex Member coverage only.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER: NH Dept of Safety 33 Hazen Dr. Concord, NH 03301	Additional Covered Party 	Loss Payee 	Primex³ - NH Public Risk Management Exchange By: <i>Jammy Dumas</i> Date: 12/17/2018 tdenver@nhprimex.org Please direct inquires to: Primex ³ Claims/Coverage Services 603-225-2841 phone 603-228-3833 fax
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U.S. Department of Homeland Security
Washington, D.C. 20472



Cindy Richard
NH Dept. of Safety, Div. of Homeland Security & Emergency Management
33 Hazen Drive
Concord, NH 03305 - 0011

Re: Grant No. EMB-2018-EP-00007

Dear Cindy Richard:

Congratulations, on behalf of the Department of Homeland Security, your application for financial assistance submitted under the Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 Emergency Management Performance Grants has been approved in the amount of \$3,480,972.00. As a condition of this award, you are required to contribute a cost match in the amount of \$3,480,972.00 of non-Federal funds, or 50.00 percent of the total approved project costs of \$6,961,944.00.

Before you request and receive any of the Federal funds awarded to you, you must establish acceptance of the award. By accepting this award, you acknowledge that the terms of the following documents are incorporated into the terms of your award:

- Agreement Articles (attached to this Award Letter)
- Obligating Document (attached to this Award Letter)
- FY 2018 Emergency Management Performance Grants Notice of Funding Opportunity.

Please make sure you read, understand, and maintain a copy of these documents in your official file for this award.

In order to establish acceptance of the award and its terms, please follow these instructions:

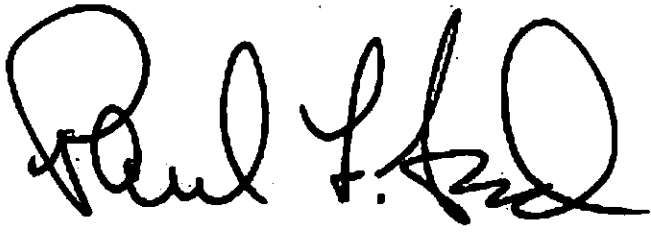
Step 1: Please log in to the ND Grants system at <https://portal.fema.gov>.

Step 2: After logging in, you will see the Home page with a Pending Tasks menu. Click on the Pending Tasks menu, select the Application sub-menu, and then click the link for "Award Offer Review" tasks. This link will navigate you to Award Packages that are pending review.

Step 3: Click the Review Award Package icon (wrench) to review the Award Package and accept or decline the award. Please save or print the Award Package for your records.

System for Award Management (SAM): Grant recipients are to keep all of their information up to date in SAM, in particular, your organization's name, address, DUNS number, EIN and banking information. Please ensure that the DUNS number used in SAM is the same one used to apply for all FEMA awards. Future payments will be contingent on the information provided in the SAM; therefore, it is imperative that the information is correct. The System for Award Management is located at <http://www.sam.gov>.

If you have any questions or have updated your information in SAM, please let your Grants Management Specialist (GMS) know as soon as possible. This will help use to make the necessary updates and avoid any interruptions in the payment process.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul F. Ford". The signature is stylized with large, rounded letters and a prominent loop at the end.

PAUL FRANCIS FORD Regional Administrator