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GORDON J. MACDONALD ATTORNEY GENERAL



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January 18, 2019

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

Your Excellency and Members of the Council:

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Department of Justice to amend an existing subgrant with the New Hampshire Department of Safety, Concord NH (Vendor #177878-B001, Purchase Order Number 1061854) from the Federal Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs, Project Safe Neighborhood, approved by the Governor and Executive Council on May 16, 2018, item #70, by increasing the price limitation by \$5,000 from \$16,200 to \$21,200 effective upon approval of the Governor and Executive Council. 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available as follows:

| 02-20-201510-4469 | Current | | Amended |
|----------------------------|-------------|-----------------|----------|
| | - Subgran't | Subgrant | Subgrant |
| Project Safe Neighborhood | FY 2019 | <u>Increase</u> | FY 2019 |
| 072-500576, Grants Federal | \$16,200 | \$5,000 | \$21,200 |

EXPLANATION

The Department of Justice acts as the fiscal agent for the State of New Hampshire Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN) Task Force which is coordinated by the U.S. Attorney General's Office and comprised of members from federal, state and local law enforcement as well as community partners.

The Department of Safety (DOS) was subgranted funds to cover overtime and related costs for police officers to conduct targeted supplemental patrols in areas that are known for high levels of crime (hot spots). Due to a change in PSN grant activity, surplus funds were made

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available to award DOS an additional \$5,000 for increased hot spot patrols by New Hampshire State Police Troopers in Manchester's highest crime neighborhoods.

In the event that federal funds become no longer available, general funds will not be requested to support this program.

Please let me know if you have any questions concerning this request. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

Gordon J. MacDonald Attorney General

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This amendment ("Amendment") is by and between the Department of Justice (DOJ) and the Department of Safety (DOS).

WHEREAS, pursuant to an Agreement ("Contract"), the sum limitation of \$16,200 for services required upon the terms and conditions specified in the Contract, and in consideration of payment by the Department of Justice of certain sums specified therein;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 6; Amendment, the Contract may be amended, waived or discharged by written instrument executed by the parties thereto;

WHEREAS, the DOS and DOJ have agreed to amend the Contract in certain aspects;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, and the covenants and conditions contained in the Contract, and set forth herein, the parties hereto do hereby agree as follows:

1. Amendment and Modification of Contract

- a. Remove paragraph 1 in its entirety and replace as follows: DOJ agrees to pay DOS the amount of \$21,200 for the services described in the attached MOU Exhibit A, which is hereby incorporated by reference. Payment shall be provided from 020-20-201510-4469-072-500576.
- b.Remove Exhibit B. 3a in its entirety and replace as follows: The Subrecipient shall be awarded an amount not to exceed a total of \$21,200.00 of the total Grant Limitation from 4/1/2018 to 9/30/2019 with approved expenditure reports. This shall be contingent on continued federal funding and program performance, to include:

\$21,200 overtime funding for hot spot patrols, beyond performance of regular duties, in the Manchester area to be facilitated with the PSN Project Coordinator.

2. Effective Date of Amendment

a. This Amendment shall take effect upon approval of the Governor and Executive Council.

3. Continuance of Agreement

a. Except as specifically amended and modified by the terms and conditions of this Amendment, the MOU and the obligations of the parties hereunder, shall remain in full force and effect with the terms and conditions set forth herein. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties set their hand as of the day and year first above written.

John J. Barthelmes

Commissioner

Notary Public or Justice of the Peace Acknowledgement:

| State of NEN HAMPSHIRE County of MERRI | MACK On 01-08-20 19, before the |
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| undersigned officer, personally appeared the person | |
| proven to be the person whose name is associated | with the Contractor and acknowledged that |
| s/he executed this document in the capacity indicated | |
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| Gordon J. MacDonald Anomey General | NANCY L. CASSIDY, Notary Public State of New Hampshire My Commission Expires April 5, 202 |
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5/16/18 G&C Item No. 70

GORDON J. MACDONALD
ATTORNEY GENERAL



ANN M. RICE
DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

May 1, 2018

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

Your Excellency and Members of the Council:

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Department of Justice to enter into subgrants with the agencies listed below totaling \$46,200 from the Federal Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs, Project Safe Neighborhood, effective upon Governor and Executive Council approval through September 30, 2019. 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available as follows: 02-20-201510-4469, Project Safe Neighborhood, 072, Grants Federal.

| | | • | FY2018 |
|---------|------------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Account | Subgrantee | Vendor # | <u>Amount</u> |
| 500576 | NH Department of Corrections | 177896-B001 | \$30,000 |
| 500576 | NH Department of Safety | 177878-B001 | \$16,200 |
| | • | Total Subgrants: | \$46,200 |

EXPLANATION

At its February 7, 2018 meeting, the Governor and Executive Council approved the request of the NH Department of Justice (DOJ) to accept and expend a grant under the federal Project Safe Neighborhood program. This request seeks approval for the subgranting of funds under this grant from the DOJ to the NH Department of Corrections (DOC) and NH Department of Safety (DOS).

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These subgrants will allow the DOC and DOS to work with the Manchester Police Department and Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) to use predictive analytics to develop goals, measurable objectives, and a proactive plan to reduce gang violence. DOC and DOS will also work in conjunction with the Manchester Police Department to conduct supplemental patrols in areas around the city identified as hot spots for gang-related crimes.

In the event that federal funds become unavailable, general funds will not be requested to support this program.

Please let me know if you have any questions concerning this request. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted.

Gordon J. MacDonald Attorney General

State of New Hampshire

Interagency Memorandum of Understanding

Whereas, the New Hampshire Department of Justice ("Agency 1") is a duly constituted agency of the State of New Hampshire;

Whereas, the New Hampshire Department of Safety ("Agency 2") is a duly constituted agency of the State of New Hampshire;

Whereas, Agency 1 is responsible for providing funding through a subgrant to Agency 2 as herein described in the application that was submitted to the Bureau of Justice Assistance on March 24, 2017.

Whereas, Agency 1 desires to enter into a subgrant with Agency 2 for a term from Governor and Council approval through September 30, 2019 in an amount to not exceed \$16,200;

Whereas, Agency 2 is responsible for adhering to all conditions as set forth in their Application, federal financial rules and all applicable state rules and regulations of procurement;

Whereas, Agency 2 desires to fund overtime for overtime hotspot patrols beyond the performance of their regular duties;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties enter into this Memorandum of Understanding to their mutual benefit, the benefit of the State and in furtherance of constitutional or statutory authority and objectives.

- 1. Agency 1 agrees to pay Agency 2 the amount of \$16,200.00 for the services described in the attached MOU Exhibit A, which is hereby incorporated by reference. Payment shall be provided from 020-20-201510-4469-072-500576.
- 2. Agency 2 agrees to perform the services described in the attached MOU Exhibit A which is hereby incorporated by reference.
- 3. The method of payment and payment amount for the above-referenced services, if any is required, is described in the attached MOU Exhibit B, such exhibit being hereby incorporated by reference.
- 4. All obligations hereunder are contingent upon the availability and continued appropriation of funds. The agencies shall not be required to transfer funds from any other account in the event that funds are reduced or unavailable.
- 5. The Memorandum of Understanding is effective until September 30, 2019

- 6. This memorandum of Understanding may be amended by an instrument in writing signed by both parties. Either party may terminate this agreement by providing written notice to the other party at least 30 days prior to termination.
- 7. The parties agree that the obligations, agreements and promises made under this Memorandum of Understanding are not intended to be legally binding on the parties and are not legally enforceable.
- 8. Disputes arising under this Memorandum of Understanding which cannot be resolved between the agencies shall be referred to the Department of Justice, Civil Bureau, for review and resolution.
- 9. This agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New Hampshire.
- 10. The parties hereto do not intend to benefit any third parties and this Memorandum of Understanding shall not be construed to confer any such benefit.
- 11. In the event any of the provisions of this Memorandum of Understanding are held to be contrary to any state or federal law, the remaining provisions of this Memorandum of Understanding will remain in full force and effect.
- 12. This Memorandum of Understanding, which may be executed in a number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, constitutes the entire Memorandum of Understanding and understandings between the parties, and supersedes all prior Memoranda of Understanding and understandings related hereto.
- 13. Nothing herein shall be construed as a waiver of sovereign immunity, such immunity being hereby specifically preserved.

14. FOR AGENCY 1 Department of Justice:

Gardon J. Macdonald, Attorney General

Date: 4 (54)

15. FOR AGENCY 2 Department of Safety:

John Barthelmes, Commissioner Date: 4/9/18

EXHIBIT A

-SCOPE OF SERVICES-

- The New Hampshire Department of Safety Division of State Police as Subrecipient shall receive a grant from the New Hampshire Department of Justice (DOJ) for expenses incurred for services provided in collaboration with the Project Safe Neighborhoods team outlined in the application submitted to the Bureau of Justice Assistance on March 24, 2017, specifically hot spot patrols in Manchester, NH.
- 2. The Subrecipient shall be reimbursed by the DOJ based on budgeted expenditures described in Exhibit B. The Subrecipient shall submit incurred expenses for reimbursement on the state approved expenditure reporting form as provided. Expenditure reports shall be submitted on a quarterly basis, within fifteen (15) days following the end of the current quarterly activities. Expenditure reports submitted later than thirty (30) days following the end of the quarter will be considered late and out of compliance. For example, with an award that begins on January 1, the first quarterly report is due on April 15th or 15 days after the close of the first quarter ending on March 31.
- 3. Subrecipient is required to maintain supporting documentation for all grant expenses both state funds and match if provided and to produce those documents upon request of this office or any other state or federal audit authority. Grant project supporting documentation should be maintained for at least 5 years after the close of the project.
- 4. Subrecipient shall be subject to periodic desk audits and program reviews by DOJ. Such desk audits and program reviews shall be scheduled with Subrecipient and every attempt shall be made by Subrecipient to accommodate the schedule.
- All correspondence and submittals shall be directed to: NH Department of Justice Grants Management Unit
 Capitol Street Concord, NH 03301
 603-271-1261 or Tanya.Pitman@doj.nh.gov.

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Date

Date <u>4/9/12</u>

EXHIBIT B

-SCHEDULE/TERMS OF PAYMENT-

- 1. The Subrecipient shall receive reimbursement in exchange for approved expenditure reports as described in EXHIBIT A.
- 2. The Subrecipient shall be reimbursed within thirty (30) days following the DOJ's approval of expenditures. Said payment shall be made to the Sub-Recipient's account receivables address per the Financial System of the State of New Hampshire.
- 3. The State's obligation to compensate the Subrecipient under this Agreement shall not exceed the price limitation set in the Interagency Memorandum of Understanding.

3a. The Subrecipient shall be awarded an amount not to exceed at total of \$16,200.00 of the total Grant Limitation from 4/1/2018 to 9/30/2019 with approved expenditure reports. This shall be contingent on continued federal funding and program performance, to include:

 \$16,200 overtime funding for hot spot patrols, beyond performance of regular duties, in the Manchester area to be facilitated with the PSN Project Coordinator.

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EXHIBIT C

-SPECIAL PROVISIONS-

1. Subrecipients shall also be compliant at all times with the terms, conditions and specifications detailed in the Special Conditions as Appendix 1 which is subject to annual review.

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2018 Project Safe Neighborhoods Special Conditions

1. Requirements of the award; remedies for non-compliance or for materially false statements

The conditions of this award are material requirements of the award. Compliance with any certifications or assurances submitted by or on behalf of the recipient that relate to conduct during the period of performance also is a material requirement of this award. Failure to comply with any one or more of these award requirements - whether a condition set out in full below, a condition incorporated by reference below, or a certification or assurance related to conduct during the award period –may result in the Office of Justice Programs ("OJP") taking appropriate action with respect to the recipient and the award. Among other things, the OJP may withhold award funds, disallow costs, or suspend or terminate the award.

The Department of Justice ("DOJ"), including OJP, also may take other legal action as appropriate. Any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement to the federal government related to this award (or concealment or omission of a material fact) may be the subject of criminal prosecution (including under 18 U.S.C. I 00 I and/or 1621, and/or 42 U.S.C. 3795a), and also may lead to imposition of civil penalties and administrative remedies for false claims or otherwise (including under 31 U.S.C. 3729-3730 and 3801 - 38 12).

Should any provision of a requirement of this award be held to be invalid or unenforceable by its terms, that provision shall first be applied with a limited construction so as to give it the maximum effect permitted by law. Should it be held, instead, that the provision is utterly invalid or -unenforceable, such provision shall be deemed severable from this award.

2. Applicability of Part 200 Uniform Requirements

The Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements in 2 C.F.R. Part 200, as adopted and supplemented by DOJ in 2 C.F.R. Part 2800 (together, the "Part 200 Uniform Requirements") apply to this FY2017 award from OJP. The Part 200 Uniform Requirements were first adopted by DOJ on December 26, 2014. If this FY 2017 award supplements funds previously awarded by OJP under the same award number (e.g., funds awarded during or before December 2014), the Part 200 Uniform Requirements apply with respect to all funds under that award number (regardless of the award date, and regardless of whether derived from the initial award or a supplemental award) that are obligated on or after the acceptance date of this FY 2017 award. For more information and resources on the Part 200 Uniform Requirements as they relate to OJP awards and subawards ("subgrants"), see the OJP website at https://ojp.gov/funding/Part200UniformRequirements.htm. In the event that an award-related question arises from documents or other materials prepared or distributed by OJP that may appear to conflict with, or differ in some way from, the provisions of the Part 200 Uniform Requirements, the recipient is to contact OJP promptly for clarification.

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3. Compliance with DOJ Grants Financial Guide

The recipient agrees to comply with the DOJ Grants Financial Guide as posted on the OJP website (currently, the "2015 DOJ Grants Financial Guide" available at https://ojp.gov/financialguide/DOJ/index.htm), including any updated version that may be posted during the period of performance.

- 4. All subawards ("subgrants") must have specific federal authorization

 The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable requirements for authorization of any subaward. This condition applies to agreements that -- for purposes of federal grants administrative requirements -- OJP considers a "subaward" (and therefore does not consider a procurement "contract"). The details of the requirement for authorization of any subaward are posted on the OJP web site at https://ojp.gov/funding/Explore/SubawardAuthorization.htm (Award condition: All subawards ("subgrants") must have specific federal authorization), and are incorporated by reference here.
- 5. Specific post-award approval required to use a noncompetitive approach in any procurement contract that would exceed \$150,000

 The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable requirements to obtain specific advance approval to use a noncompetitive approach in any procurement contract that would exceed the Simplified Acquisition Threshold (currently, \$150,000). This condition applies to agreements that -- for purposes of federal grants administrative requirements -- OJP considers a procurement "contract" (and therefore does not consider a subaward). The details of the requirement for advance approval to use a noncompetitive approach in a procurement contract under an OJP award are posted on the OJP web site at

https://ojp.gov/funding/Explore/NoncompetitiveProcurement.ham (Award condition: Specific post-award approval required to use a noncompetitive approach in a procurement contract (if contract would exceed \$ 150,000)), and are incorporated by reference here.

6. Requirements pertaining to prohibited conduct related to trafficking in persons (including reporting requirements and OJP authority to terminate award)

The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable requirements (including requirements to report a llegations) pertaining to prohibited conduct related to the trafficking of persons, whether on the pan of recipients, subrecipients ("subgrantees"), or individuals defined (for purposes of this condition) as "employees" of the recipient or of any subrecipient. The details of the recipient's obligations related to prohibited conduct related to trafficking in persons are posted on the OJP web site at https://ojp.gov/ funding/Explore/ProhibitedConduct-Trafficking.htm (Award condition: Prohibited conduct by recipients and subrecipients related to trafficking in persons (including reporting requirements and OJP authority to terminate award)), and are incorporated by reference here.

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7. Compliance with applicable rules regarding approval, planning, and reporting of conferences, meetings, trainings, and other events.

The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable laws, regulations, policies, and official DOJ guidance (including specific cost limits, prior approval and reporting requirements, where applicable) governing the use of federal funds for expenses related to conferences (as that term is defined by DOJ), including the provision of food and/or beverages at such conferences, and costs of attendance at such conferences. Information on the pertinent DOJ definition of conferences and the rules applicable to this award appears in the DOJ Grants Financial Guide (currently, as section 3.10 of "Postaward Requirements" in the "2015 DOJ Grants Financial Guide").

8. Requirement for data on performance and effectiveness under the award.

The recipient must collect and maintain data that measure the performance and effectiveness of work under this award. The data must be provided to OJP in the manner (including within the timeframes) specified by OJP in the program solicitation or other applicable written guidance. Data collection supports compliance with the Government. Performance and Results Act (GPRA) and the GPRA Modernization Act of 2010, and other applicable laws.

9. OJP Training Guiding Principles

Any training or training materials that the recipient -- or any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier -- develops or delivers with OJP award funds must adhere to the OJP Training Guiding Principles for Grantees and Subgrantees, available at https://lojp.gov/funding/ojptrainingguidingprinciples.htm.

 Compliance with DOJ regulations pertaining to civil rights and nondiscrimination -28 C.F.R. Part 42

The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable requirements of 28C.F.R. Part 42, specifically including any applicable requirements in Subpart E of 28 C.F.R. Part 42 that relate to an equal employment opportunity program.

11. Compliance with DOJ regulations pertaining to civil rights and nondiscrimination - 28 C.F.R. Part 54

The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable requirements of 28 C.F.R. Part 54, which relates to nondiscrimination on the basis of sex in certain "education programs."

12. Compliance with DOJ regulations pertaining to civil rights and nondiscrimination - 28 C.F.R. Part 38

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The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with a ll applicable requirements of 28 C.F.R. Part 38, specifically including any applicable requirements regarding written notice to program beneficiaries and prospective program beneficiaries. Part 38 of 28 C.F.R., a DOJ regulation, was amended effective May 4, 2016. Among other things, 28 C.F.R. Part 38 includes rules that prohibit specific forms of discrimination on the basis of religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice. Part 38 also sets out rules and requirements that pertain to recipient and subrecipient ("subgrantee") organizations that engage in or conduct explicitly religious activities, as well as rules and requirements that pertain to recipients and subrecipients that are faithbased or religious organizations. The text of the regulation, now entitled "Partnerships with Faith-Based and Other Neighborhood Organizations," is available via the Electronic Code of Federal Regulations (currently accessible at https://www.ecfr.gov/cgibin/ ECFR?page=browse), by browsing to Title 28-Judicial Administration, Chapter I, Part 38, under e-CFR "current" data.

- 13. The subgrantee assures that in the event a Federal or State court or Federal or State administrative agency makes a finding of discrimination within the three years prior to the receipt of the federal financial assistance and after a due process hearing against the subgrantee on the grounds of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, or disability, a copy of the finding will be submitted to the New Hampshire Department of Justice, Grants Management Unit and to the U.S. Department of Justice, Office for Civil Rights, Office of Justice Programs, 810 7th Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20531. For additional information regarding your obligations under civil rights please reference the state website at http://doj.nh.gov/grants/civil rights.html and understand if you are awarded funding from this office, civil rights compliance will be monitored by this office, and the Office for Civil Rights, Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice.
- 14. If required, within 30 days from the date of the award, the subgrantee will submit for approval, an acceptable Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (EEOP) as required by 28 CFR 42.301 et seq. or a Certification Form to both the NH DOJ and the Office of Civil Rights, Office of Justice Programs, US DOJ at 810 7th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20531. Failure to submit an approved EEOP or Certification is a violation of the Program Guidelines and Conditions and may result in suspension or termination of funding, until such time as the subgrantee is in compliance. Additional information on EEOP requirements may be found here: http://doj.nh.gov/grants/civil_rights.html.

15. Restrictions on "lobbying"

In general, as a matter of federal law, federal funds awarded by OJP may not be used by the recipient, or any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, either directly or indirectly, to support or oppose the enactment, repeal, modification, or adoption of any law, regulation, or policy, at any level of government. See 18 U.S.C. 19 13. (There may be exceptions if an applicable federal statute specifically authorizes certain activities that otherwise would

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be barred by law.) Another federal law generally prohibits federal funds awarded by OJP from being used by the recipient, or any subrecipient at any tier, to pay any person to influence (or attempt to influence) a federal agency, a Member of Congress, or Congress (or an official or employee of any of them) with respect to the awarding of a federal grant or cooperative agreement, subgrant, contract, subcontract, or loan, or with respect to actions such as renewing, extending, or modifying any such award. See 31 U.S.C. 1352. Certain exceptions to this law apply, including an exception that applies to Indian tribes and tribal organizations. Should any question arise as to whether a particular use of federal funds by a recipient (or subrecipient) would or might fall within the scope of these prohibitions, the recipient is to contact OJP for guidance, and may not proceed without the express prior written approval of OJP.

16. Compliance with general appropriations-law restrictions on the use of federal funds (FY 2017)

The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable restrictions on the use of federal funds set out in federal appropriations statutes. Pertinent restrictions, including from various "general provisions" in the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2017, are set out at https://ojp.gov/funding/Explore/FY 17 AppropriationsRestrictions.htm, and are incorporated by reference here. Should a question arise as to whether a particular use of federal funds by a recipient (or a subrecipient) would or might fall within the scope of an appropriations-law restriction, the recipient is to contact OJP for guidance, and may not proceed without the express prior written approval of OJP.

17. Reporting potential fraud, waste, and abuse, and similar misconduct

The recipient, and any subrecipients ("subgrantees") at any tier, must promptly refer to the DOJ Office of the Inspector General (OJG) any credible evidence that a principal, employee, agent, subrecipient, contractor, subcontractor, or other person has, in connection with funds under this award-- (1) submitted a claim that violates the False Claims Act: or (2) committed a criminal or civil violation of laws pertaining to fraud, conflict of interest, bribery, gratuity, or similar misconduct. Potential fraud, waste, abuse, or misconduct involving or relating to funds under this award should be reported to the OJG by-- (1) mail directed to: Office of the Inspector General, U.S. Department of Justice, Investigations Division, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Room 4706, Washington, DC 20530; (2) e-mail to: oig.hotline@usdoj.gov; and/or (3) the DOJ OIG hotline: (contact information in English and Spanish) at (800) 869-4499 (phone) or (202) 6 16-9881 (fax).

Additional information is available from the DOJ OIG website at https://www.usdoj.gov/oig.

18. Restrictions and certifications regarding non-disclosure agreements and related matters

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No recipient or subrecipient ("subgrantee") under this award, or entity that receives a procurement contract or subcontract with any funds under this award, may require any employee or contractor to sign an internal confidentiality agreement or statement that prohibits or otherwise restricts, or purports to prohibit or restrict, the reporting (in accordance with law) of waste, fraud, or abuse to an investigative or law enforcement representative of a federal department or agency authorized to receive such information. The foregoing is not intended, and shall not be understood by the agency making this award, to contravene requirements applicable to Standard Form 312 (which relates to classified information), Form 4414 (which relates to sensitive compartmented information), or any other form issued by a federal department or agency governing the nondisclosure of classified information.

- I. In accepting this award, the recipient--
- a. represents that it neither requires nor has required internal confidentiality agreements or statements from employees
- or contractors that currently prohibit or otherwise currently restrict (or purport to prohibit or restrict) employees or contractors from reporting waste, fraud, or abuse as described above; and
- b. certifies that, if it learns or is notified that it is or has been requiring its employees or contractors to execute agreements or statements that prohibit or otherwise restrict (or purport to prohibit or restrict), reporting of waste, fraud, or abuse as described above, it will immediately stop any further obligations of award funds, will provide prompt written notification to the federal agency making this award, and will resume (or permit resumption of) such obligations only if expressly authorized to do so by that agency.
- 2. If the recipient does or is authorized under this award to make subawards ("subgrants"), procurement contracts, or both--
- a. it represents that--
- (1) it has determined that no other entity that the recipient's application proposes may or will receive award funds (whether through a subaward ("subgrant"), procurement contract, or subcontract under a procurement contract) either requires or has required internal confidentiality agreements or statements from employees or contractors that currently prohibit or otherwise currently restrict (or purport to prohibit or restrict) employees or contractors from reporting waste, fraud, or abuse as described above; and (2) it has made appropriate inquiry, or otherwise has an adequate factual basis, to support this representation; and
- b. it certifies that, if it learns or is notified that any subrecipient, contractor, or subcontractor entity that receives funds under this award is or has been requiring its employees or contractors to execute agreements or statements that prohibit or otherwise restrict (or purport to prohibit or restrict), reporting of waste, fraud, or abuse as described above, it will immediately stop any further obligations of award funds to or by that entity, will provide prompt written notification to the federal agency making this award, and will resume (or permit resumption of) such obligations only if expressly authorized to do so by that agency.

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19. Compliance with 41 U.S.C. 47 12 (including prohibitions on reprisal; notice to employees)

The recipient (and any subrecipient at any tier) must comply with, and is subject to, all applicable provisions of 41U.S.C. 4712, including all applicable provisions that prohibit, under specified circumstances, discrimination against an employee as reprisal for the employee's disclosure of information related to gross mismanagement of a federal grant, a gross waste of federal funds, an abuse of authority relating to a federal grant, a substantial and specific danger to public health or safety, or a violation of law, rule, or regulation related to a federal grant.

The recipient also must inform its employees, in writing (and in the predominant native language of the workforce), of employee rights and remedies under 41 U.S.C. 4712. Should a question arise as to the applicability of the provisions of 41 U.S.C. 4712 to this award, the subrecipient is to contact the DOJ awarding agency (NHDOJ) for guidance.

- 20. Encouragement of policies to ban text messaging while driving Pursuant to Executive Order 13513, "Federal Leadership on Reducing Text Messaging While Driving," 74 Fed. Reg.51225 (October I, 2009), DOJ encourages recipients and subrecipients ("subgrantees") to adopt and enforce policies banning employees from text messaging while driving any vehicle during the course of performing work funded by this award, and to establish workplace safety policies and conduct education, awareness, and other outreach to decrease crashes caused by distracted drivers.
- 21. The recipient agrees to submit to BJA for review and approval any curricula, training materials, proposed publications, reports, or any other written materials that will be published, including web-based materials and web site content, through funds from this grant at least thirty (30) working days prior to the targeted dissemination date. Any written, visual, or audio publications, with the exception of press releases, whether published at the grantee's or government's expense, shall contain the following statements: "This project was supported by Grant No. 2017-GP-BX-0012 awarded by the Bureau of Justice Assistance. The Bureau of Justice Assistance is a component of the Department of Justice's Office of Justice Programs, which also includes the Bureau of Justice Statistics, the National Institute of Justice, the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, the Office for Victims of Crime, and the SMART Office. Points of view or opinions in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position or policies of the U.S. Department of Justice." The current edition of the DOJ Grants Financial Guide provides guidance on allowable printing and publication activities.
- 22. The subrecipient agrees to participate in BJ A-sponsored training events, technical assistance events, or conferences held by BJA or its designees, upon BJA's request.

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- 23. The award subrecipient agrees to participate in a data collection process measuring program outputs and outcomes. The data elements for this process will be outlined by the Office of Justice Programs.
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State of New Hampshire

Interagency Memorandum of Understanding

Whereas, the New Hampshire Department of Justice ("Agency 1") is a duly constituted agency of the State of New Hampshire;

Whereas, the New Hampshire Department of Corrections ("Agency 2") is a duly constituted agency of the State of New Hampshire;

Whereas, Agency 1 is responsible for providing funding through a subgrant to Agency 2 as herein described in the application submitted to the Bureau of Justice Assistance on March 24, 2017.

Whereas, Agency I desires to enter into a subgrant with Agency 2 for a term from Governor and Council approval through September 30, 2019 in an amount to not exceed \$30,000;

Whereas, Agency 2 is responsible for adhering to all conditions as set forth in their Application, federal financial rules and all applicable state rules and regulations of procurement;

Whereas, Agency 2 desires to fund overtime probation and parole hotspot checks beyond the performance of their regular duties for a total not to exceed \$30,000.

NOW THEREFORE, the parties enter into this Memorandum of Understanding to their mutual benefit, the benefit of the State and in furtherance of constitutional or statutory authority, and objectives.

- 1. Agency I agrees to pay Agency 2 the amount of \$30,000.00 for the services described in the attached MOU Exhibit A, which is hereby incorporated by reference. Payment shall be provided from 02-20-201510-4469.
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- 3. The method of payment and payment amount for the above-referenced services, if any is required, is described in the attached MOU Exhibit B, such exhibit being hereby incorporated by reference.
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- 6. This memorandum of Understanding may be amended by an instrument in writing signed by both parties. Either party may terminate this agreement by providing written notice to the other party at least 30 days prior to termination.
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14. FOR AGENCY 1 Department of Justice:

Gordon J. Macdonald, Attorney General

Date: 3/7/195

15. FOR AGENCY 2 Department of Corrections:

Helen Hanks Commissioner Date: 3/2/2018

EXHIBIT A

-SCOPE OF SERVICES-

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- 3. Subrecipient is required to maintain supporting documentation for all grant expenses both state funds and match if provided and to produce those documents upon request of this office or any other state or federal audit authority. Grant project supporting documentation should be maintained for at least 5 years after the close of the project.
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- All correspondence and submittals shall be directed to: NH Department of Justice Grants Management Unit 33 Capitol Street Concord, NH 03301 603-271-1261 or Tanya.Pitman@doj.nh.gov.



EXHIBIT B

-SCHEDULE/TERMS OF PAYMENT-

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- 2. The Subrecipient shall be reimbursed within thirty (30) days following the DOJ's approval of expenditures. Said payment shall be made to the Sub-Recipient's account receivables address per the Financial System of the State of New Hampshire.
- 3. The State's obligation to compensate the Subrecipient under this Agreement shall not exceed the price limitation set in the Interagency Memorandum of Understanding.

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• \$30,000 for overtime costs for adult probation and parole hotspot checks in the Manchester area to be facilitated with the PSN Project Coordinator.

EXHIBIT C

-SPECIAL PROVISIONS-

1. Subrecipients shall also be compliant at all times with the terms, conditions and specifications detailed in the Special Conditions as Appendix 1 which is subject to annual review.

2018 Project Safe Neighborhoods Special Conditions

1. Requirements of the award; remedies for non-compliance or for materially false statements

The conditions of this award are material requirements of the award. Compliance with any certifications or assurances submitted by or on behalf of the recipient that relate to conduct during the period of performance also is a material requirement of this award. Failure to comply with any one or more of these award requirements - whether a condition set out in full below, a condition incorporated by reference below, or a certification or assurance related to conduct during the award period —may result in the Office of Justice Programs ("OJP") taking appropriate action with respect to the recipient and the award. Among other things, the OJP may withhold award funds, disallow costs, or suspend or terminate the award.

The Department of Justice ("DOJ"), including OJP, also may take other legal action as appropriate. Any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement to the federal government related to this award (or concealment or omission of a material fact) may be the subject of criminal prosecution (including under 18 U.S.C. 100 l and/or 1621, and/or 42 U.S.C. 3795a), and also may lead to imposition of civil penalties and administrative remedies for false claims or otherwise (including under 31 U.S.C. 3729-3730 and 3801 - 38 12).

Should any provision of a requirement of this award be held to be invalid or unenforceable by its terms, that provision shall first be applied with a limited construction so as to give it the maximum effect permitted by law. Should it be held, instead, that the provision is utterly invalid or -unenforceable, such provision shall be deemed severable from this award.

2. Applicability of Part 200 Uniform Requirements

The Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements in 2 C.F.R. Part 200, as adopted and supplemented by DOJ in 2 C.F.R. Part 2800 (together, the "Part 200 Uniform Requirements") apply to this FY2017 award from OJP. The Part 200 Uniform Requirements were first adopted by DOJ on December 26, 2014. If this FY 2017 award supplements funds previously awarded by OJP under the same award number (e.g., funds awarded during or before December 2014), the Part 200 Uniform Requirements apply with respect to all funds under that award number (regardless of the award date, and regardless of whether derived from the initial award or a supplemental award) that are obligated on or after the acceptance date of this FY 2017 award. For more information and resources on the Part 200 Uniform Requirements as they relate to OJP awards and subawards ("subgrants"), see the OJP website at https://ojp.gov/funding/Part200UniformRequirements.htm. In the event that an award-related question arises from documents or other materials prepared or distributed by OJP that may appear to conflict with, or differ in some way from, the provisions of the Part 200 Uniform Requirements, the recipient is to contact OJP promptly for clarification.

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- 3. Compliance with DOJ Grants Financial Guide
 - The recipient agrees to comply with the DOJ Grants Financial Guide as posted on the OJP website (currently, the "2015 DOJ Grants Financial Guide" available at https://ojp.gov/financialguide/DOJ/index.htm), including any updated version that may be posted during the period of performance.
- 4. All subawards ("subgrants") must have specific federal authorization

 The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable requirements for authorization of any subaward. This condition applies to agreements that -- for purposes of federal grants administrative requirements -- OJP considers a "subaward" (and therefore does not consider a procurement "contract"). The details of the requirement for authorization of any subaward are posted on the OJP web site at https://ojp.gov/funding/Explore/SubawardAuthorization.htm (Award condition: All subawards ("subgrants") must have specific federal authorization), and are incorporated by reference here.
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 The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable requirements (including requirements to report a llegations) pertaining to prohibited conduct related to the trafficking of persons, whether on the pan of recipients, subrecipients ("subgrantees"), or individuals defined (for purposes of this condition) as "employees" of the recipient or of any subrecipient. The details of the recipient's obligations related to prohibited conduct related to trafficking in persons are posted on the OJP web site at https://ojp.gov/ funding/Explore/ProhibitedConduct-Trafficking.htm (Award condition: Prohibited conduct by recipients and subrecipients related to trafficking in persons (including reporting requirements and OJP authority to terminate award)), and are incorporated by reference here.

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7. Compliance with applicable rules regarding approval, planning, and reporting of conferences, meetings, trainings, and other events.

The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable laws, regulations, policies, and official DOJ guidance (including specific cost limits, prior approval and reporting requirements, where applicable) governing the use of federal funds for expenses related to conferences (as that term is defined by DOJ), including the provision of food and/or beverages at such conferences, and costs of attendance at such conferences. Information on the pertinent DOJ definition of conferences and the rules applicable to this award appears in the DOJ Grants Financial Guide (currently, as section 3.10 of "Postaward Requirements" in the "2015 DOJ Grants Financial Guide").

8. Requirement for data on performance and effectiveness under the award.

The recipient mus1 collect and maintain data that measure the performance and effectiveness of work under this award. The data must be provided to OJP in the manner (including within the timeframes) specified by OJP in the program solicitation or other applicable written guidance. Data collection supports compliance with the Government. Performance and Results Act (GPRA) and the GPRA Modernization Act of 2010, and other applicable laws.

9. OJP Training Guiding Principles

Any training or training materials that the recipient -- or any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier develops or delivers with OJP award funds must adhere to the OJP Training Guiding Principles for Grantees and Subgrantees, available at https://lojp.gov/funding/ojptrainingguidingprinciples.htm.

10. Compliance with DOJ regulations pertaining to civil rights and nondiscrimination - 28 C.F.R. Part 42

The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable requirements of 28C.F.R. Part 42, specifically including any applicable requirements in Subpart E of 28 C.F.R. Part 42 that relate to an equal employment opportunity program.

11. Compliance with DOJ regulations pertaining to civil rights and nondiscrimination - 28 C.F.R. Part 54

The recipient, and any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, must comply with all applicable requirements of 28 C.F.R. Part 54, which relates to nondiscrimination on the basis of sex in certain "education programs."

12. Compliance with DOJ regulations pertaining to civil rights and nondiscrimination - 28 C.F.R. Part 38

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- 14. If required, within 30 days from the date of the award, the subgrantee will submit for approval, an acceptable Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (EEOP) as required by 28 CFR 42.301 et seq. or a Certification Form to both the NH DOJ and the Office of Civil Rights, Office of Justice Programs, US DOJ at 810 7th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20531. Failure to submit an approved EEOP or Certification is a violation of the Program Guidelines and Conditions and may result in suspension or termination of funding, until such time as the subgrantee is in compliance. Additional information on EEOP requirements may be found here: http://doi.nh.gov/grants/civil_rights.html.

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In general, as a matter of federal law, federal funds awarded by OJP may not be used by the recipient, or any subrecipient ("subgrantee") at any tier, either directly or indirectly, to support or oppose the enactment, repeal, modification, or adoption of any law, regulation, or policy, at any level of government. See 18 U.S.C. 19 13. (There may be exceptions if an applicable federal statute specifically authorizes certain activities that otherwise would

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The recipient, and any subrecipients ("subgrantees") at any tier, must promptly refer to the DOJ Office of the Inspector General (OJG) any credible evidence that a principal, employee, agent, subrecipient, contractor, subcontractor, or other person has, in connection with funds under this award-- (I) submitted a claim that violates the False Claims Act: or (2) committed a criminal or civil violation of laws pertaining to fraud, conflict of interest, bribery, gratuity, or similar misconduct. Potential fraud, waste, abuse, or misconduct involving or relating to funds under this award should be reported to the OJG by-- (I) mail directed to: Office of the Inspector General, U.S. Department of Justice, Investigations Division, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Room 4706, Washington, DC 20530; (2) e-mail to: oig.hotline@usdoj.gov; and/or (3) the DOJ OIG hotline: (contact information in English and Spanish) at (800) 869-4499 (phone) or (202) 6 16-9881 (fax).

Additional information is available from the DOJ OIG website at https://www.usdoj.gov/oig.

18. Restrictions and certifications regarding non-disclosure agreements and related matters

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No recipient or subrecipient ("subgrantee") under this award, or entity that receives a procurement contract or subcontract with any funds under this award, may require any employee or contractor to sign an internal confidentiality agreement or statement that prohibits or otherwise restricts, or purports to prohibit or restrict, the reporting (in accordance with law) of waste, fraud, or abuse to an investigative or law enforcement representative of a federal department or agency authorized to receive such information. The foregoing is not intended, and shall not be understood by the agency making this award, to contravene requirements applicable to Standard Form 312 (which relates to classified information), Form 4414 (which relates to sensitive compartmented information), or any other form issued by a federal department or agency governing the nondisclosure of classified information.

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