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February 6, 2015

Her Excellency Governor, Margaret Wood Hassan  
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 a subgrant totaling \$6,079 with the NH Coalition Against Domestic and Sexual Violence (NHCADSV) utilizing funds from the Federal Fiscal Year 2014 Violence Against Women Formula Grant for the purpose of providing a one day training for prosecutors and law enforcement officers regarding campus sexual assaults from the date of Governor and Executive Council approval through June 30, 2016. 100% Federal Funds.

Funding is available in account number 02-20-20-201510-5017-072-500575, Job # 20VAW14A, FFY 14 as follows:

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Vendor#</u>	<u>Amount</u>
NHCADSV	155510-B001	\$6,079

**EXPLANATION**

The subgrant above will be awarded from the federal formula grant that New Hampshire receives from the US Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women (OVW). The Violence Against Women Program is targeted specifically at deterring crimes involving violence against women and aiding the victims of those crimes.

Despite the relative safety of a college community, students on college campuses are sexually victimized at the same or higher rate as in the wider community. During the 2011-2012 academic years, UNH researchers conducted the University's third Unwanted Sexual Experiences Study and found that 28% of women experienced unwanted sexual contact and 7%

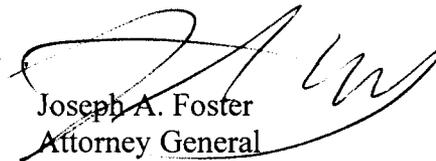
experienced sexual assault or attempted sexual assault in the first semester of their first year of college. Almost half of these sexual assaults involved force or the threat of force.

The above subgrant recipient has been awarded previous VAWA funds from this office. This specific funding will allow the NHCADSV and the University of New Hampshire Law Center to partner and deliver a one-day training offered to prosecutors and law enforcement officers throughout the State on the subject of addressing sexual assaults on college campuses.

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

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions concerning this request. Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name: NHCADSV	Vendor No.: 155510-B001	
Program Name: Campus SA Training	Amount: \$ 6,079.00	
Grant Start Date: 02/25/2015	State Grant Number: 2015W091	
Grant End Date: 06/30/2016	Federal Grant Number: 2014-WF-AX-0047	
Appropriation No.: 02-20-20-201510-5017-072-500575		
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
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Federal Grant Name:	Violence Against Women Act - 2014	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office on Violence Against Women	
CFDA Number:	16.588	
Purpose of Grant:	Campus SA Training	
Program Requirements:	See signed Program Conditions and Guidelines.	
Match Requirements:	Match must be spent on program allowable activities.	
Program income Requirements:	Program Income must be reported and spent on program allowable activities.	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly Financial reports. Required Performance reports and audit. Adherence to Program Conditions and Guidelines. Completion of Monitoring forms and processes.	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Lyn Schollett	Kathleen B. Carr
Title	Executive Director	Director of Administration
Date		
All terms of this grant award are not valid unless signed by both authorized parties.		