# MONTEREY COUNTY CORONAVIRUS LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUND AWARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Recipient Name and Address: North County Fire Protection District 11200 Speegle St. Ca닯

Tax ID Number:

94-6023171

Assistance Listing Number: 21.027

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#### 15. Disclaimer.

- a. The County expressly disclaims any and all responsibility or liability to Fire District or third persons for the actions of Recipient or third persons resulting in death, bodily injury, property damages, or any other losses resulting in any way from the performance of this award or any other losses resulting in any way from the performance of this award or any contract, or subcontract under this award.
- b. The acceptance of this award by Fire District does not in any way establish an agency relationship between the United States, the County and Fire District.

#### 16. Protections for Whistleblowers.

- a. In accordance with 41 U.S.C. § 4712, Fire District may not discharge, demote, or otherwise discriminate against an employee in reprisal for disclosing to any of the list of persons or entities provided below, information that the employee reasonably believes is evidence of gross mismanagement of a federal contract or grant, a gross waste of federal funds, an abuse of authority relating to a federal contract or grant, a substantial and specific danger to public health or safety, or a violation of law, rule, or regulation related to a federal contract (including the competition for or negotiation of a contract) or grant.
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- c. Fire District shall inform its employees in writing of the rights and remedies provided under this section, in the predominant native language of the workforce.
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# ASSURANCES OF COMPLIANCE WITH CIVIL RIGHTS REQUIREMENTS ASSURANCES OF COMPLIANCE WITH TITLE VI OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964

As a condition of receipt of federal financial assistance from the County, the Fire District named below (hereinafter referred to as the "Fire District") provides the assurances stated herein. The federal financial assistance may include federal grants, loans, and contracts to provide assistance to the Fire District's beneficiaries, the use or rent of Federal land or property at below market value, Federal training, a loan of Federal personnel, subsidies, and other arrangements with the intention of providing assistance. Federal financial assistance does not encompass contracts of guarantee or insurance, regulated programs, licenses, procurement contracts by the Federal government at market value, or programs that provide direct benefits. The assurances apply to all federal financial assistance from or funds made available through the Department of the Treasury or the County including any assistance that the Fire District may request in the future.

The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 provides that the provisions of the assurances apply to all of the operations of the Fire District's program(s) and activity(ies), so long as any portion of the Fire District's program(s) or activity(ies) is federally assisted in the manner prescribed above.

- 1. Fire District ensures its current and future compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, which prohibits exclusion from participation, denial of the benefits of, or subjection to discrimination under programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance, of any person in the United States on the ground of race, color, or national origin (42 U.S.C. § 2000d *et seq.*), as implemented by the Department of the Treasury Title VI regulations at 31 CFR Part 22 and other pertinent executive orders such as Executive Order 13166, directives, circulars, policies, memoranda, and/or guidance documents.
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- 3. Fire District agrees to consider the need for language services for LEP persons when Fire District develops applicable budgets and conducts programs, services, and activities. As a resource, the Department of the Treasury has published its LEP guidance at 70 FR 6067. For more information on taking reasonable steps to provide meaningful access for LEP persons, please visit <a href="http://www.lep.gov">http://www.lep.gov</a>.
- 4. Fire District acknowledges and agrees that compliance with the assurances constitutes a condition of continued receipt of federal financial assistance and is binding upon Fire District and Fire District's successors, transferees, and assignees for the period in which such assistance is provided.
- 5. Fire District acknowledges and agrees that it must require any sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors, successors, transferees, and assignees to comply with assurances 1-4 above, and agrees to incorporate the following language in every contract or agreement subject to Title VI and its regulations between the Fire District and the Fire District's sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors, successors, transferees, and assignees:

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- 6. Fire District understands and agrees that if any real property or structure is provided or improved with the aid of federal financial assistance by the Department of the Treasury, this assurance obligates the Fire District, or in the case of a subsequent transfer, the transferee, for the period during which the real property or structure is used for a purpose for which the federal financial assistance is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits. If any personal property is provided, this assurance obligates the Fire District for the period during which it retains ownership or possession of the property.
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- 9. Fire District must provide documentation of an administrative agency's or court's findings of non-compliance of Title VI and efforts to address the non-compliance, including any voluntary compliance or other agreements between the Fire District and the administrative agency that made the finding. If the Fire District settles a case or matter alleging such discrimination, the Fire District must provide documentation of the settlement. If Fire District has not been the subject of any court or administrative agency finding of discrimination, please so state.
- 10. If the Fire District makes sub-awards to other agencies or other entities, the Fire District is responsible for ensuring that sub-Fire Districts also comply with Title VI and other applicable authorities covered in this document State agencies that make sub-awards must have in place standard grant assurances and review procedures to demonstrate that that they are effectively monitoring the civil rights compliance of subrecipients. The United States of America has the right to seek judicial enforcement of the terms of this assurances document and nothing in this document alters or limits the federal enforcement measures that the United States may take in order to address violations of this document or applicable federal law.

Under penalty of perjury, the undersigned official(s) certifies that official(s) has read and understood the Fire District's obligations as herein described, that any information submitted in conjunction with this assurances document is accurate and complete, and that the Fire District is in compliance with the aforementioned nondiscrimination requirements.

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		Base %	FY2021-22 Deta	ail	
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576	Aromas FPD	2.56%	\$ 12,800		
PV	Big Sur VFB	2.38%	\$ 11,900		
PV	Cachagua FPD	1.29%	\$ 6,450		
579	Carmel Highlands FPD	7.14%	\$ 35,700		
584	Carmel Valley FPD	14.72%	\$ 73,600		
586	Cypress FPD	9.13%	\$ 45,650		
580	Gonzales Rural FPD	1.29%	\$ 6,450		
581	Greenfield FPD	1.29%	\$ 6,450		
PV	Mid Coast VFC	1.29%	\$ 6,450		
578	North County FPD	22.57%	\$ 112,850		
631	Pebble Beach CSD	7.28%	\$ 36,400		
584	Monterey County Regional	20.94%	\$ 104,700		
583	San Ardo VFC	1.29%	\$ 6,450		
582	Soledad Rural FPD	1.29%	\$ 6,450		
584	Spreckels	1.66%	\$ 8,300		
583	So. Monterey County FPD	3.88%	\$ 19,400		
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- b. Any debts determined to be owed the federal government must be paid promptly by Fire District. A debt is delinquent if it has not been paid by the date specified in Treasury's or County's initial written demand for payment, unless other satisfactory arrangements have been made or if the Fire District knowingly or improperly retains funds that are a debt as defined in paragraph 14(a). Treasury or County will take any actions available to it to collect such a debt.

#### 15. Disclaimer.

- a. The County expressly disclaims any and all responsibility or liability to Fire District or third persons for the actions of Recipient or third persons resulting in death, bodily injury, property damages, or any other losses resulting in any way from the performance of this award or any other losses resulting in any way from the performance of this award or any contract, or subcontract under this award.
- b. The acceptance of this award by Fire District does not in any way establish an agency relationship between the United States, the County and Fire District.

## 16. Protections for Whistleblowers.

- a. In accordance with 41 U.S.C. § 4712, Fire District may not discharge, demote, or otherwise discriminate against an employee in reprisal for disclosing to any of the list of persons or entities provided below, information that the employee reasonably believes is evidence of gross mismanagement of a federal contract or grant, a gross waste of federal funds, an abuse of authority relating to a federal contract or grant, a substantial and specific danger to public health or safety, or a violation of law, rule, or regulation related to a federal contract (including the competition for or negotiation of a contract) or grant.
- b. The list of persons and entities referenced in the paragraph above includes the following:
  - i. A member of Congress or a representative of a committee of Congress;
  - ii. An Inspector General;
  - iii. The Government Accountability Office;
  - iv. A Treasury employee responsible for contract or grant oversight or management;
  - v. An authorized official of the Department of Justice or other law enforcement agency;
  - vi. A court or grand jury; or
- vii. A management official or other employee of Fire District, contractor, or subcontractor who has the responsibility to investigate, discover, or address misconduct.
- c. Fire District shall inform its employees in writing of the rights and remedies provided under this section, in the predominant native language of the workforce.
- 17. Increasing Seat Belt Use in the United States. Pursuant to Executive Order 13043, 62 FR19217 (Apr. 18, 1997), Fire District should encourage its contractors to adopt and enforce on-the job seat belt policies and programs for their employees when operating company-owned, rented or personally owned vehicles.

**18.** Reducing Text Messaging While Driving. Pursuant to Executive Order 13513, 74 FR 51225 (Oct. 6, 2009), Fire District should encourage its employees, subrecipients, and contractors to adopt and enforce policies that ban text messaging while driving, and Recipient should establish workplace safety policies to decrease accidents caused by distracted drivers.

# ASSURANCES OF COMPLIANCE WITH CIVIL RIGHTS REQUIREMENTS ASSURANCES OF COMPLIANCE WITH TITLE VI OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964

As a condition of receipt of federal financial assistance from the County, the Fire District named below (hereinafter referred to as the "Fire District") provides the assurances stated herein. The federal financial assistance may include federal grants, loans, and contracts to provide assistance to the Fire District's beneficiaries, the use or rent of Federal land or property at below market value, Federal training, a loan of Federal personnel, subsidies, and other arrangements with the intention of providing assistance. Federal financial assistance does not encompass contracts of guarantee or insurance, regulated programs, licenses, procurement contracts by the Federal government at market value, or programs that provide direct benefits. The assurances apply to all federal financial assistance from or funds made available through the Department of the Treasury or the County including any assistance that the Fire District may request in the future.

The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 provides that the provisions of the assurances apply to all of the operations of the Fire District's program(s) and activity(ies), so long as any portion of the Fire District's program(s) or activity(ies) is federally assisted in the manner prescribed above.

- 1. Fire District ensures its current and future compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, which prohibits exclusion from participation, denial of the benefits of, or subjection to discrimination under programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance, of any person in the United States on the ground of race, color, or national origin (42 U.S.C. § 2000d *et seq.*), as implemented by the Department of the Treasury Title VI regulations at 31 CFR Part 22 and other pertinent executive orders such as Executive Order 13166, directives, circulars, policies, memoranda, and/or guidance documents.
- 2. Fire District acknowledges that Executive Order 13166, "Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency," seeks to improve access to federally assisted programs and activities for individuals who, because of national origin, have Limited English proficiency (LEP). Fire District understands that denying a person access to its programs, services, and activities because of LEP is a form of national origin discrimination prohibited under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Department of the Treasury's implementing regulations. Accordingly, Fire District shall initiate reasonable steps, or comply with the Department of the Treasury's directives, to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to its programs, services, and activities. Fire District understands and agrees that meaningful access may entail providing language assistance services, including oral interpretation and written translation where necessary, to ensure effective communication in the Fire District's programs, services, and activities.

- 3. Fire District agrees to consider the need for language services for LEP persons when Fire District develops applicable budgets and conducts programs, services, and activities. As a resource, the Department of the Treasury has published its LEP guidance at 70 FR 6067. For more information on taking reasonable steps to provide meaningful access for LEP persons, please visit <a href="http://www.lep.gov">http://www.lep.gov</a>.
- 4. Fire District acknowledges and agrees that compliance with the assurances constitutes a condition of continued receipt of federal financial assistance and is binding upon Fire District and Fire District's successors, transferees, and assignees for the period in which such assistance is provided.
- 5. Fire District acknowledges and agrees that it must require any sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors, successors, transferees, and assignees to comply with assurances 1-4 above, and agrees to incorporate the following language in every contract or agreement subject to Title VI and its regulations between the Fire District and the Fire District's sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors, successors, transferees, and assignees:

The sub-grantee, contractor, subcontractor, successor, transferee, and assignee shall comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which prohibits Fire Districts of federal financial assistance from excluding from a program or activity, denying benefits of, or otherwise discriminating against a person on the basis of race, color, or national origin (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq.), as implemented by the Department of the Treasury's Title VI regulations, 31 CFR Part 22, which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract (or agreement). Title VI also includes protection to persons with "Limited English Proficiency" in any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., as implemented by the Department of the Treasury's Title VI regulations, 31 CFR Part 22, and herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract or agreement.

- 6. Fire District understands and agrees that if any real property or structure is provided or improved with the aid of federal financial assistance by the Department of the Treasury, this assurance obligates the Fire District, or in the case of a subsequent transfer, the transferee, for the period during which the real property or structure is used for a purpose for which the federal financial assistance is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits. If any personal property is provided, this assurance obligates the Fire District for the period during which it retains ownership or possession of the property.
- 7. Fire District shall cooperate in any enforcement or compliance review activities by the Department of the Treasury of the aforementioned obligations. Enforcement may include investigation, arbitration, mediation, litigation, and monitoring of any settlement agreements that may result from these actions. The Fire District shall comply with information requests, on-site compliance reviews and reporting requirements.
- 8. Fire District shall maintain a complaint log and inform the Department of the Treasury of any complaints of discrimination on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, and limited English proficiency covered by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and implementing

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PV	Big Sur VFB	2.38%	\$	11,900	
PV	Cachagua FPD	1.29%	\$	6,450	
579	Carmel Highlands FPD	7.14%	\$	35,700	
584	Carmel Valley FPD	14.72%	\$	73,600	
586	Cypress FPD	9.13%	\$	45,650	
580	Gonzales Rural FPD	1.29%	\$	6,450	
581	Greenfield FPD	1.29%	\$	6,450	
PV	Mid Coast VFC	1.29%	\$	6,450	
578	North County FPD	22.57%		112,850	
631	Pebble Beach CSD	7.28%	\$	36,400	
584	Monterey County Regional	20.94%		104,700	
583	San Ardo VFC	1.29%	\$	6,450	
582	Soledad Rural FPD	1.29%	\$	6,450	
584	Spreckels	1.66%	\$	8,300	
583	So. Monterey County FPD	3.88%	\$	19,400	
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