# COUNTY OF MONTEREY STANDARD AGREEMENT (NOT TO EXCEED \$100,000)

This **Agreement** is made by and between the County of Monterey, a political subdivision of the State of California (hereinafter "County") and:

The Marketing Department, Inc. dba TMD Creative (hereinafter "CONTRACTOR").

In consideration of the mutual covenants and conditions set forth in this Agreement, the parties agree as follows:

## 1.0 GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

1.01 The County hereby engages CONTRACTOR to perform, and CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to perform, the services described in **Exhibit A** in conformity with the terms of this Agreement. The goods and/or services are generally described as follows:

Provide Overall project management and strategy for accessibility materials. Design, printing and distribution. In conjunction with HAVA grant.

## 2.0 PAYMENT PROVISIONS.

2.01 County shall pay the CONTRACTOR in accordance with the payment provisions set forth in Exhibit A, subject to the limitations set forth in this Agreement. The total amount payable by County to CONTRACTOR under this Agreement is not to exceed the sum of \$\_15,300

## 3.0 TERM OF AGREEMENT.

- 3.01 The term of this Agreement is from <u>1/1/2014</u> to <u>3/1/2015</u>, unless sooner terminated pursuant to the terms of this Agreement. This Agreement is of no force or effect until signed by both CONTRACTOR and County and with County signing last, and CONTRACTOR may not commence work before County signs this Agreement.
- 3.02 The County reserves the right to cancel this Agreement, or any extension of this Agreement, without cause, with a thirty day (30) written notice, or with cause immediately.

## 4.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES AND ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS.

4.01 The following attached exhibits are incorporated herein by reference and constitute a part of this Agreement:

### Exhibit A Scope of Services/Payment Provisions

- Exhibit B HAVA VOTE Grant 13G261
- Exhibit C Modifications to Contract Terms

# 5.0 PERFORMANCE STANDARDS.

- 5.01 CONTRACTOR warrants that CONTRACTOR and CONTRACTOR's agents, employees. and subcontractors performing services under this Agreement are specially trained, experienced, competent, and appropriately licensed to perform the work and deliver the services required under this Agreement and are not employees of the County, or immediate family of an employee of the County.
- 5.02 CONTRACTOR, its agents, employees, and subcontractors shall perform all work in a safe and skillful manner and in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. All work performed under this Agreement that is required by law to be performed or supervised by licensed personnel shall be performed in accordance with such licensing requirements.
- 5.03 CONTRACTOR shall furnish, at its own expense, all materials, equipment, and personnel necessary to carry out the terms of this Agreement, except as otherwise specified in this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall not use County premises, property (including equipment, instruments, or supplies) or personnel for any purpose other than in the performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

# 6.0 PAYMENT CONDITIONS.

- 6.01 Prices shall remain firm for the initial term of the Agreement and, thereafter, may be adjusted annually as provided herein. The County does not guarantee any minimum or maximum amount of dollars to be spent under this Agreement.
- 6.02 Negotiations for rate changes shall be commenced, by CONTRACTOR, a minimum of ninety days (90) prior to the expiration of the Agreement. Rate changes are not binding unless mutually agreed upon in writing by the County and the CONTRACTOR.
- 6.03 Invoice amounts shall be billed directly to the ordering department.
- 6.04 CONTRACTOR shall submit such invoice periodically or at the completion of services, but in any event, not later than 30 days after completion of services. The invoice shall set forth the amounts claimed by CONTRACTOR for the previous period, together with an itemized basis for the amounts claimed, and such other information pertinent to the invoice. The County shall certify the invoice, either in the requested amount or in such other amount as the County approves in conformity with this Agreement, and shall promptly submit such invoice to the County Auditor-Controller for payment. The County Auditor-Controller shall pay the amount certified within 30 days of receiving the certified invoice.

# 7.0 TERMINATION.

- 7.01 During the term of this Agreement, the County may terminate the Agreement for any reason by giving written notice of termination to the CONTRACTOR at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of termination. Such notice shall set forth the effective date of termination. In the event of such termination, the amount payable under this Agreement shall be reduced in proportion to the services provided prior to the date of termination.
- 7.02 The County may cancel and terminate this Agreement for good cause effective immediately upon written notice to CONTRACTOR. "Good cause" includes the failure of

CONTRACTOR to perform the required services at the time and in the manner provided under this Agreement. If County terminates this Agreement for good cause, the County may be relieved of the payment of any consideration to CONTRACTOR, and the County may proceed with the work in any manner, which County deems proper. The cost to the County shall be deducted from any sum due the CONTRACTOR under this Agreement.

7.03 The County's payments to CONTRACTOR under this Agreement are funded by local, state and federal governments. If funds from local, state and federal sources are not obtained and continued at a level sufficient to allow for the County's purchase of the indicated quantity of services, then the County may give written notice of this fact to CONTRACTOR, and the obligations of the parties under this Agreement shall terminate immediately, or on such date thereafter, as the County may specify in its notice, unless in the meanwhile the parties enter into a written amendment modifying this Agreement.

# 8.0 INDEMNIFICATION.

8.01 Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the County of Monterey (hereinafter "County"), its officers, agents and employees from any claim, liability, loss, injury or damage arising out of, or in connection with, performance of this Agreement by Contractor and/or its agents, employees or sub-contractors, excepting only loss, injury or damage caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of personnel employed by the County. It is the intent of the parties to this Agreement to provide the broadest possible coverage for the County. The Contractor shall reimburse the County for all costs, attorneys' fees, expenses and liabilities incurred with respect to any litigation in which the Contractor is obligated to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the County under this Agreement.

# 9.0 INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS.

## 9.01 Evidence of Coverage:

Prior to commencement of this Agreement, the Contractor shall provide a "Certificate of Insurance" certifying that coverage as required herein has been obtained. Individual endorsements executed by the insurance carrier shall accompany the certificate. In addition, the Contractor upon request shall provide a certified copy of the policy or policies.

This verification of coverage shall be sent to the County's Contracts/Purchasing Department, unless otherwise directed. The Contractor shall <u>not</u> receive a "Notice to Proceed" with the work under this Agreement until it has obtained all insurance required and the County has approved such insurance. This approval of insurance shall neither relieve nor decrease the liability of the Contractor.

## 9.02 Qualifying Insurers:

All coverage's, except surety, shall be issued by companies which hold a current policy holder's alphabetic and financial size category rating of not less than A- VII, according to the current Best's Key Rating Guide or a company of equal financial stability that is approved by the County's Purchasing Manager.

9.03 <u>Insurance Coverage Requirements:</u> Without limiting CONTRACTOR's duty to indemnify, CONTRACTOR shall maintain in effect throughout the term of this Agreement a policy or policies of insurance with the following minimum limits of liability:

<u>Commercial General Liability Insurance</u>, including but not limited to premises and operations, including coverage for Bodily Injury and Property Damage, Personal Injury, Contractual Liability, Broad form Property Damage, Independent Contractors, Products and Completed Operations, with a combined single limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence.

(Note: any proposed modifications to these general liability insurance requirements shall be attached as an Exhibit hereto, and the section(s) above that are proposed as not applicable shall be lined out in blue ink. All proposed modifications are subject to County approval.)

Business Automobile Liability Insurance, covering all motor vehicles, including owned, leased, non-owned, and hired vehicles, used in providing services under this Agreement. with a combined single limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage of not less than \$500,000 per occurrence.

(Note: any proposed modifications to these auto insurance requirements shall be attached as an Exhibit hereto, and the section(s) above that are proposed as not applicable shall be lined out in blue ink. All proposed modifications are subject to County approval.)

<u>Workers' Compensation Insurance</u>, if CONTRACTOR employs others in the performance of this Agreement, in accordance with California Labor Code section 3700 and with Employer's Liability limits not less than \$1,000,000 each person, \$1,000,000 each accident and \$1,000,000 each disease.

(Note: any proposed modifications to these workers' compensation insurance requirements shall be attached as an Exhibit hereto, and the section(s) above that are proposed as not applicable shall be lined out in blue ink. All proposed modifications are subject to County approval.)

<u>Professional Liability Insurance</u>, if required for the professional services being provided, (e.g., those persons authorized by a license to engage in a business or profession regulated by the California Business and Professions Code), in the amount of not less than \$1,000,000 per claim and \$2,000,000 in the aggregate, to cover liability for malpractice or errors or omissions made in the course of rendering professional services. If professional liability insurance is written on a "claims-made" basis rather than an occurrence basis, the CONTRACTOR shall, upon the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement, obtain extended reporting coverage ("tail coverage") with the same liability limits. Any such tail coverage shall continue for at least three years following the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.

(Note: any proposed modifications to these insurance requirements shall be attached as an Exhibit hereto, and the section(s) above that are proposed as not applicable shall be lined out in blue ink. All proposed modifications are subject to County approval.)

### 9.04 Other Requirements:

All insurance required by this Agreement shall be with a company acceptable to the County and issued and executed by an admitted insurer authorized to transact Insurance business in the State of California. Unless otherwise specified by this Agreement, all such insurance shall be written on an occurrence basis, or, if the policy is not written on an occurrence basis, such policy with the coverage required herein shall continue in effect for a period of three years following the date CONTRACTOR completes its performance of services under this Agreement.

Each liability policy shall provide that the County shall be given notice in writing at least thirty days in advance of any endorsed reduction in coverage or limit, cancellation, or intended non-renewal thereof. Each policy shall provide coverage for Contractor and additional insureds with respect to claims arising from each subcontractor, if any, performing work under this Agreement, or be accompanied by a certificate of insurance from each subcontractor showing each subcontractor has identical insurance coverage to the above requirements.

Commercial general liability and automobile liability policies shall provide an endorsement naming the County of Monterev, its officers, agents, and employees as Additional Insureds with respect to liability arising out of the CONTRACTOR'S work. including ongoing and completed operations, and shall further provide that <u>such insurance</u> is primary insurance to any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the County and that the insurance of <u>the Additional Insureds shall not be called upon to contribute</u> to a loss covered by the CONTRACTOR'S insurance. The required endorsement form for Commercial General Liability Additional Insured is ISO Form CG 20 10 11-85 or CG 20 10 10 01 in tandem with CG 20 37 10 01 (2000). The required endorsement form for Automobile Additional Insured endorsement is ISO Form CA 20 48 02 99.

Prior to the execution of this Agreement by the County, CONTRACTOR shall file certificates of insurance with the County's contract administrator and County's Contracts/Purchasing Division, showing that the CONTRACTOR has in effect the insurance required by this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR shall file a new or amended certificate of insurance within five calendar days after any change is made in any insurance policy, which would alter the information on the certificate then on file. Acceptance or approval of insurance shall in no way modify or change the indemnification clause in this Agreement, which shall continue in full force and effect.

CONTRACTOR shall at all times during the term of this Agreement maintain in force the insurance coverage required under this Agreement and shall send, without demand by County, annual certificates to County's Contract Administrator and County's Contracts/Purchasing Division. If the certificate is not received by the expiration date, County shall notify CONTRACTOR and CONTRACTOR shall have five calendar days to send in the certificate, evidencing no lapse in coverage during the interim. Failure by CONTRACTOR to maintain such insurance is a default of this Agreement, which entitles County, at its sole discretion, to terminate this Agreement immediately.

# 10.0 RECORDS AND CONFIDENTIALITY.

10.01 <u>Confidentiality.</u> CONTRACTOR and its officers, employees, agents, and subcontractors shall comply with any and all federal, state, and local laws, which provide for the confidentiality of records and other information. CONTRACTOR shall not disclose any confidential records or other confidential information received from the County or prepared in connection with the performance of this Agreement, unless County specifically permits CONTRACTOR to disclose such records or information. CONTRACTOR shall promptly transmit to County any and all requests for disclosure of any such confidential records or information. CONTRACTOR shall not use any confidential information gained by

CONTRACTOR in the performance of this Agreement except for the sole purpose of carrying out CONTRACTOR's obligations under this Agreement.

- 10.02 <u>County Records.</u> When this Agreement expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall return to County any County records which CONTRACTOR used or received from County to perform services under this Agreement.
- 10.03 <u>Maintenance of Records.</u> CONTRACTOR shall prepare, maintain, and preserve all reports and records that may be required by federal, state, and County rules and regulations related to services performed under this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall maintain such records for a period of at least three years after receipt of final payment under this Agreement. If any litigation, claim, negotiation, audit exception, or other action relating to this Agreement is pending at the end of the three year period, then CONTRACTOR shall retain said records until such action is resolved.
- 10.04 <u>Access to and Audit of Records</u>. The County shall have the right to examine, monitor and audit all records, documents, conditions, and activities of the CONTRACTOR and its subcontractors related to services provided under this Agreement. Pursuant to Government Code section 8546.7, if this Agreement involves the expenditure of public funds in excess of \$10,000, the parties to this Agreement may be subject, at the request of the County or as part of any audit of the County, to the examination and audit of the State Auditor pertaining to matters connected with the performance of this Agreement for a period of three years after final payment under the Agreement.
- 10.05 <u>Royalties and Inventions.</u> County shall have a royalty-free, exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, and use, and authorize others to do so. all original computer programs, writings, sound recordings, pictorial reproductions, drawings, and other works of similar nature produced in the course of or under this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall not publish any such material without the prior written approval of County.

# 11.0 NON-DISCRIMINATION.

11.01 During the performance of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR, and its subcontractors, shall not unlawfully discriminate against any person because of race, religious creed, color, sex, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, age (over 40), or sexual orientation, either in CONTRACTOR's employment practices or in the furnishing of services to recipients. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that the evaluation and treatment of its employees and applicants for employment and all persons receiving and requesting services are free of such discrimination. CONTRACTOR and any subcontractor shall, in the performance of this Agreement, fully comply with all federal, state, and local laws and regulations which prohibit discrimination. The provision of services primarily or exclusively to such target population as may be designated in this Agreement shall not be deemed to be prohibited discrimination.

# 12.0 COMPLIANCE WITH TERMS OF STATE OR FEDERAL GRANTS.

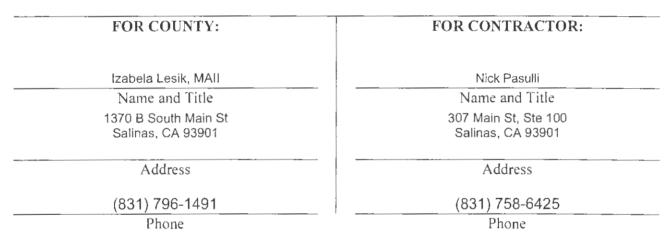
12.01 If this Agreement has been or will be funded with monies received by the County pursuant to a contract with the state or federal government in which the County is the grantee, CONTRACTOR will comply with all the provisions of said contract, to the extent applicable to CONTRACTOR as a subgrantee under said contract, and said provisions shall be deemed a part of this Agreement, as though fully set forth herein. Upon request, County will deliver a copy of said contract to CONTRACTOR, at no cost to CONTRACTOR.

# 13.0 INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR.

13.01 In the performance of work, duties, and obligations under this Agreement, CONTRACTOR is at all times acting and performing as an independent contractor and not as an employee of the County. No offer or obligation of permanent employment with the County or particular County department or agency is intended in any manner, and CONTRACTOR shall not become entitled by virtue of this Agreement to receive from County any form of employee benefits including but not limited to sick leave, vacation, retirement benefits, workers' compensation eoverage, insurance or disability benefits. CONTRACTOR shall be solely liable for and obligated to pay directly all applicable taxes, including federal and state income taxes and social security, arising out of CONTRACTOR's performance of this Agreement. In connection therewith, CONTRACTOR shall defend, indemnify, and hold County harmless from any and all liability which County may incur because of CONTRACTOR's failure to pay such taxes.

# 14.0 NOTICES.

14.01 Notices required under this Agreement shall be delivered personally or by first-class, postage pre-paid mail to the County and CONTRACTOR'S contract administrators at the addresses listed below:



# 15.0 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

- 15.01 <u>Conflict of Interest</u>. CONTRACTOR represents that it presently has no interest and agrees not to acquire any interest during the term of this Agreement, which would directly, or indirectly conflict in any manner or to any degree with the full and complete performance of the services required to be rendered under this Agreement.
- 15.02 <u>Amendment.</u> This Agreement may be amended or modified only by an instrument in writing signed by the County and the CONTRACTOR.

- 15.03 <u>Waiver</u>. Any waiver of any terms and conditions of this Agreement must be in writing and signed by the County and the CONTRACTOR. A waiver of any of the terms and conditions of this Agreement shall not be construed as a waiver of any other terms or conditions in this Agreement.
- 15.04 <u>Contractor</u>. The term "CONTRACTOR" as used in this Agreement includes CONTRACTOR's officers, agents, and employees acting on CONTRACTOR's behalf in the performance of this Agreement.
- 15.05 <u>Disputes.</u> CONTRACTOR shall continue to perform under this Agreement during any dispute.
- 15.06 <u>Assignment and Subcontracting</u>. The CONTRACTOR shall not assign, sell, or otherwise transfer its interest or obligations in this Agreement without the prior written consent of the County. None of the services covered by this Agreement shall be subcontracted without the prior written approval of the County. Notwithstanding any such subcontract, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be liable for the performance of all requirements of this Agreement.
- 15.07 <u>Successors and Assigns.</u> This Agreement and the rights, privileges, duties, and obligations of the County and CONTRACTOR under this Agreement, to the extent assignable or delegable, shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors, permitted assigns, and heirs.
- 15.08 <u>Compliance with Applicable Law.</u> The parties shall comply with all applicable federal. state, and local laws and regulations in performing this Agreement.
- 15.09 <u>Headings</u>. The headings are for convenience only and shall not be used to interpret the terms of this Agreement.
- 15.10 <u>Time is of the Essence</u>. Time is of the essence in each and all of the provisions of this Agreement.
- 15.11 <u>Governing Law.</u> This Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted under the laws of the State of California.
- 15.12 <u>Non-exclusive Agreement</u>. This Agreement is non-exclusive and both County and CONTRACTOR expressly reserve the right to contract with other entities for the same or similar services.
- 15.13 <u>Construction of Agreement</u>. The County and CONTRACTOR agree that each party has fully participated in the review and revision of this Agreement and that any rule of construction to the effect that ambiguities are to be resolved against the drafting party shall not apply in the interpretation of this Agreement or any amendment to this Agreement.
- 15.14 <u>Counterparts.</u> This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

- 15.15 <u>Authority.</u> Any individual executing this Agreement on behalf of the County or the CONTRACTOR represents and warrants hereby that he or she has the requisite authority to enter into this Agreement on behalf of such party and bind the party to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- 15.16 <u>Integration</u>. This Agreement, including the exhibits, represent the entire Agreement between the County and the CONTRACTOR with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement and shall supersede all prior negotiations, representations, or agreements, either written or oral, between the County and the CONTRACTOR as of the effective date of this Agreement, which is the date that the County signs the Agreement.
- 15.17 <u>Interpretation of Conflicting Provisions.</u> In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the provisions of this Agreement and the Provisions of any exhibit or other attachment to this Agreement, the provisions of this Agreement shall prevail and control.

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### 16.0 SIGNATURE PAGE.

COUNTY OF MONTEREY

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, County and CONTRACTOR have executed this Agreement as of the day and year written below.

By:			The MARKETING Department, dre Contractor's Business Name*
	Contracts/Purchasing Officer		Contractor's Business Name*
Date:			
By:		By:	Alph de de de la
-	Department Head (if applicable)		(Signature of Chair, President, or Vice-President)*
Date:			
	1		Nicholas n. Aswill, Prs.
Approved a	s to Form		Name and Title
By:	Kay Keinam	Date:	11/19/14
Date:	County Counsel		( MA
Date.		By:	Adred Breacto
	014.		(Signature of Secretary, Asst. Secretary, CFO, Treasurer or Asst. Treasurer)*
Approved a	s to Fiscal Provisions7 / ,		
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By:	Auditor/Controller		Name and Title
Date:	11-27-M		
		Date:	11/19/14
Approved a	s to Liability Provisions <sup>3</sup>		
By.			

Risk Management

\*INSTRUCTIONS: If CONTRACTOR is a corporation, including limited liability and non-profit corporations, the full legal name of the corporation shall be set forth above together with the signatures of two specified officers. If CONTRACTOR is a partnership, the name of the partnership shall be set forth above together with the signature of a partner who has authority to execute this Agreement on behalf of the partnership. If CONTRACTOR is contracting in an

individual capacity, the individual shall set forth the name of the business, if any, and shall personally sign the Agreement.

<sup>1</sup>Approval by County Counsel is required

<sup>2</sup>Approval by Auditor/Controller is required

<sup>3</sup>Approval by Risk Management is required only if changes are made in sections 7 or 8

Date:

CONTRACTOR

## EXHIBIT-A

## To Agreement by and between County of Monterey, through Monterey County Elections, hereinafter referred to as "County" AND The Marketing Department, Inc., dba TMD Creative, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR"

## **Scope of Services / Payment Provisions**

### A. SCOPE OF SERVICES

- **A.1** CONTRACTOR shall provide services and staff, and otherwise do all things necessary for or incidental to the performance of work, as set forth below:
  - i. Develop and print posters and brochures regarding language assistance, polling place accessibility and special needs accommodations for voting campaign
  - ii. Provide project management and marketing design consulting services, including layout, iterative outreach strategy and provision of necessary resources in execution of stated materials
  - iii. Payment upon satisfactory production of materials, which will be subject to review and approval by contract manager
- **A.2** CONTRACTOR shall produce the following deliverables (posters, brochures, other materials as negotiated) by the dates indicated below:

### August 31, 2014

- 9 posters (5 English/4 Spanish) to match website and video material
  - $\circ$  100 of each design printed and delivered
- Design and print 8 large MST bus posters

### September 30, 2014

Design and distribute 5,000 small posters

### December 30, 2014

- Design and print 4,000 brochures
- Design 8 website banners

All materials produced under this Agreement must be delivered to Greta Arevalo, County's Contract Manager, in accordance with the schedule above.

## **B. PAYMENT PROVISIONS**

## B.I COMPENSATION/ PAYMENT

County shall pay an amount not to exceed \$15,300 for the performance of <u>all things</u> <u>necessary</u> for or incidental to the performance of work as set forth in the Scope of Work. CONTRACTOR'S compensation for services rendered shall be based on the following rates or in accordance with the following terms upon production and approval of deliverable:

Poster and Ad Design – \$2,000 Poster Printing - \$3,000 Poster Distribution - \$3,000 Brochure Design - \$2,000 Brochure Printing - \$4,500 Web Banner Design - \$800

There shall be no travel reimbursement allowed during this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR warrants that the cost charged for services under the terms of this contract are not in excess of those charged any other client for the same services performed by the same individuals.

## **B.2** CONTRACTORS BILLING PROCEDURES

NOTE: Payment may be based upon satisfactory acceptance of each deliverable, payment after completion of each major part of the Agreement, payment at conclusion of the Agreement, etc.

County may, in its sole discretion, terminate the contract or withhold payments claimed by CONTRACTOR for services rendered if CONTRACTOR fails to satisfactorily comply with any term or condition of this Agreement.

No payments in advance or in anticipation of services or supplies to be provided under this Agreement shall be made by County.

County shall not pay any claims for payment for services submitted more than twelve (12) months after the calendar month in which the services were completed.

DISALLOWED COSTS: CONTRACTOR is responsible for any audit exceptions or disallowed costs incurred by its own organization or that of its subcontractors.

## EXHIBIT C

## MODIFICATIONS TO CONTRACT TERMS

The Parties acknowledge that through oversight, COUNTY has requested and CONTRACTOR has performed services prior to the execution and approval of this Agreement. COUNTY wishes to ratify its actions in requesting services and COUNTY and CONTRACTOR wish to make the Effective Date of this Agreement January 1, 2014. Accordingly the Parties agree to modify the following provision:

1. <u>Section 3.01</u>: The phrase "and CONTRACTOR may not commence work before County signs this Agreement" is deleted.



## **DEBRA BOWEN** | SECRETARY OF STATE | STATE OF CALIFORNIA MANAGEMENT SERVICES | CONTRACT SERVICES

1500 11th Street, Room 460 Sacramento, CA 95814 | Tel (916) 653-5974 | Fax (916) 653-8324 | www.sos.ca.gov

May 15, 2013

Monterey County Attn: Linda Tulett PO Box 4400 Salinas, CA 93912

Subject: Agreement Number 13G26117

Complete the following item(s) and return to the address stated above within ten (10) business days, if necessary:

- STD. 213, Standard Agreement with attached exhibits. Please acquire the appropriate signature on the first page of the STD. 213, and the additional three single STD 213's and return to the address above. Fax and photocopies are not acceptable. A fully executed copy will be returned to you.
- STD. 213A, Standard Agreement Amendment. Please acquire the appropriate signature for the first page of the STD. 213A and the additional three single STD. 213A's and return. Fax and Photocopies are not acceptable. A fully executed copy will be returned to you.
- STD. 210, Short Form Contract. Please acquire the appropriate signature for the four single STD. 210's and return. Fax and Photocopies are not acceptable. A fully executed copy will be returned to you.
- STD. 65, Contract / Delegation Purchase Order. Enclosed is an executed copy for your records. You are now authorized to provide services.
- The enclosed agreement is signed on behalf of the Secretary of State. Please process and mail an executed copy of the agreement to the address above.
- Executed copy for your records.
- STD. 204 Payee Data Record (STD. 204) Complete and return.
- CCC 307 Contractor Certification Clause Complete and return.
- Please submit a copy of your Seller's Permit.
- Please submit a copy of the resolution, order, motion, or ordinance of your local governing body, which by law has granted the authority to enter into the proposed contract, authorizing execution of the agreement.

#### STATE OF CALIFORNIA STANDARD AGREEMENT STD 213 (Rev 06/03)

STI	D 213 (Rev 06/03)		AGREEMENT NUMBER											
			13G26117 REGISTRATION NUMBER											
			LOGITATION NOWBER											
1.	This Agreement is entere	d into between the State Agency and the Contractor named be	low:											
	STATE AGENCY'S NAM	E												
	Secretary of State													
	CONTRACTOR'S NAME Monterey County													
2.	The term of this Agreement is:	July 1, 2013 or upon approval by Dept. of General Services, through December 31, 2014	if required, whichever is later											
3.	The maximum amount	\$30,000.00												
	of this Agreement is:	Thirty thousand dollars and zero cents												
4.	The parties agree to comp part of the Agreement.	ly with the terms and conditions of the following exhibits which	are by this reference made a											
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	Exhibit A-1 – Polling Pla	ce Accessibility Surveyor Training Schedule	1 page											
	Exhibit B – Budget Deta	3 pages												
	Exhibit C* – General Ter	GTC-610												
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		Terms and Conditions (Altached hereto as part of this agreem I Terms and Conditions	ent) 3 pages											
	Exhibit E – Additional Pr		2 pages											
	Exhibit F – County Reso		Page(s)											
	Exhibit G – Contractor H	1 page												

Items shown with an Asterisk (\*), are hereby incorporated by reference and made part of this agreement as if attached hereto.

### IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed by the parties hereto.

CONTRACTOR	California Department of	
CONTRACTOR'S NAME (if other than an individual, state whe Monterey County	General Services Use Only	
BY (Authorized Signature)		
B		
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING		
ADDRESS PO Box 4400 Salinas, CA 93912		
STATE OF CALIFORNIA		
AGENCY NAME Secretary of State		
BY (Authorized Signature)	DATE SIGNED (Do not type)	
et		🖾 Exempt per: GC 14616
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING Dora Mejia, Chief, Management Services		
ADDRESS 1500 11 <sup>th</sup> Street, Sacramento, CA 95814		

#### EXHIBIT A (Standard Agreement)

#### SCOPE OF WORK

#### A. NAME OF PROGRAM

This program shall be known as "HAVA Polling Place Accessibility Training Program."

#### B. PURPOSE OF AGREEMENT

The purpose of this Agreement is to provide the County of Monterey ("County") with federal reimbursement funds ("HAVA funds"), CFDA Number 93.617, administered by the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), to assist in implementing HAVA Section 261, subject to the provisions of this Agreement and all requirements of state and federal law, regulations and procedures. The provisions of this Agreement are to be interpreted to further this purpose

1. The program representatives during the term of Agreement will be:

For County: Linda Tulett (831) 796-1499

For State: Todd Wallace (916) 657-2376

#### C. USES OF FUNDS

1. General Uses

Provided that the County has notified the Secretary of State by March 8, 2013 of its intention to execute this contract, and further that at least one County employee or agent attends one of the regional training sessions sponsored by the Secretary of State as noted in Exhibit A-1 or attended one of the regional training sessions sponsored by the Secretary of State in 2012, any funds received pursuant to this program shall be used by County only for one or more of the following purposes, except as otherwise provided below:

- 1) Reimbursement for travel expenses incurred after July 1, 2013, for staff to attend one of the accessibility training sessions offered in early 2014.
- Reimbursement for staff salaries and benefits incurred after July 1, 2013, for accessibility surveys of polling places or for training staff to survey polling places.
- 3) Reimbursement for other expenses as provided below incurred after July 1, 2013, to make polling places, including the path of travel, entrances, exits, and voting areas of each polling facility, accessible to individuals with the full range of disabilities that enhance access and participation of individuals with the full range of disabilities in elections for Federal and State office, and to provide the same opportunity for access and participation (including privacy and Independence) to individuals with the full range of disabilities as for other voters. For these purposes, items included on the following lists are presumed to be reimbursable, provided that their intended use is consistent with the General Uses set forth above. The county may perform activities identified as approved for reimbursement, or may contract for the performance of the activities. The Secretary of State shall be the sole determiner of whether an expenditure is consistent with the General Uses as set forth above. The Secretary of State will reimburse for the following items or activities, including taxes on purchased goods:
- 4) Reimbursement for funds expended after July 1, 2013, assessment supplies or equipment and supplies as needed, including any of the items listed below:

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#### a. Assessing Accessibility

- 1) Tools to measure slope;
- 2) Tools to measure width, turning area, etc;
- 3) Calculators;
- 4) Survey kits;
- 5) Clipboards;
- 6) Tape measures;
- 7) Polling Place Inspectors/Surveyors;
- 8) Cameras;
- Door pressure gauges;
- 10) Tablets used for conducting surveys<sup>33</sup>.

#### b. Equipment and Activities to Improve Physical Accessibility

- 1) New accessible voting booths;
- 2) Retrofitting voting booths;
- 3) Tools or equipment to modify voting booths;
- Retrofitting polling places for public buildings only, which must be a regularly used polling place;
- 5) Adapter "kits" or other materials to make a voting station accessible;
- 6) Signage (parking, directional, entrance, etc.);
- 7) Accessible tables;
- 8) Chairs (for seated voting);
- 9) Supports for accessibility signage;
- 10) Devices/Systems to alert poll workers that a voter is at the curb, door, or otherwise needs assistance;
- 11) Doorstops;
- 12) Lighting;
- 13) Low-vision pens;
- 14) Magnifying devices;
- 15) Mats or other materials to make the path of travel accessible;
- 16) Pen grips;
- Temporary ramps (if wheel guides are not included, wheel guides may be purchased separately);
- 18) Temporary handrails;
- 19) Permanent handrails;
- 20) Threshold covers or mats;
- 21) Traffic cones or other materials to make parking temporarily accessible for voting;
- 22) Wedges;
- 23) Equipment for CD/DVD duplication;
- 24) Accessibility web site development costs;
- 25) Improving accessibility of web site.

#### c. Training Materials and Programs

- Development, production, translation, and transcription into Braille of manuals, programs, posters, brochures, and other printed materials for training of poll workers or polling place inspectors;
- 2) Development, production, translation of video/DVD training materials;

<sup>33</sup> If the county proposes to use funds for this purpose, pre-approval by the Secretary of State is required. Further, county must adhere to requirements set forth in Exhibit E.

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- Equipment necessary to use videos/DVDs in training of poll workers or polling place inspectors;
- Stipends to compensate a trainer to train county poll worker trainers on issues specific to accessibility;
- 5) Poll worker training that is specific to accessibility and in addition to pre-existing training, or a modification/improvement of pre-existing training;
- 6) Disability or accessibility experts to make presentations at poll worker trainings.

### d. Educational and Informational Materials

- Development, production, translation, and transcription into Braille or into audio or CD/DVD format, of printed materials to educate or inform voters concerning polling place and voting accessibility;
- 2) Public advertising of information on accessibility of polling places and voting;
- 3) Mailers to disseminate information on services for persons with disabilities;
- 4) Translation of existing materials related to accessibility into required languages;
- 5) Reformatting and re-printing materials into "large-type";
- 6) Readability analysis to simplify informational or instructional materials;
- 7) Development of accessibility materials for county web site, or construction of a county web site for the purpose of providing information to the public on accessibility, if one does not already exist or making a current site accessible.

#### Items Presumed to not be reimbursable:

The following is a partial list of items presumed to not be reimbursable and not inclusive of all items that are not reimbursable. The list is provided only for the purpose of providing guidance. The Secretary of State shall be the sale determiner of whether or not an expenditure is reimbursable.

- 1) Administrative costs;
- 2) Batteries;
- 3) Blackberries (hand held computers);
- 4) Braille business cards;
- 5) Cable TV;
- 6) Cassette players;
- 7) Cassette tapes (except those used for voter education);
- 8) Catering;
- 9) Computers;
- 10) Other office equipment, including but not limited to fax machines and copiers, unless prior approval has been obtained from the granting agency;
- 11) Office supplies, including but not limited to paper, pens and post-it notes;
- 12) Concrete paving for parking lots and spaces;
- 13) Concrete ramps;
- 14) DREs /other voting equipment (can be purchased with other HAVA funds);
- 15) Emergency exit signs;
- 16) Facility rental;
- 17) Permanent modifications or improvements to private or non-governmental structures, including, but not limited to private residences and places of worship;
- 18) Food;

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19) Gas (except travel reimbursements<sup>34</sup>);

20) Gift bags, pins, buttons, shirts or other promotional items for poll workers,

voters or County staff;

21) Invitations;

22) Laptops;

- 23) Tablet computers unless prior approval as a survey tool has been obtained from the granting agency;
- 23) Light bulbs;
- 24) Modifications to mobile voter education vehicle, unless that vehicle is used as a polling place;
- 25) Parking fees (except travel reimbursements for purposes listed in footnote 2)
- 26) Parking lot improvements;
- 27) Photographers;
- 28) Scanners;
- 29) Staff salaries of County employees not conducting one of the activities allowable;
- 30) Trailers;
- 31) Transportation to polling site;
- 32) Vehicles purchase, rental, or operating expenses (except rental vehicles used for purposes listed in footnote 2)

If you have any questions about this polling place accessibility training grant, please feel free to contact Todd Wallace at (916) 657-2376 or Todd.Wallace@sos.ca.gov.

<sup>34</sup> Travel relmbursements for: election officials performing accessibility assessments; consultants advising election officials on accessibility issues, poll worker training, or voter education; or trainers conducting poll worker training, voter education, or outreach activities.

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#### Polling Place Accessibility Surveyor Training Schedule

<u>Central Area Training</u> Tuesday, February 4, 2014 -- Standard training - 9:00 a.m. -- 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 6, 2014 -- Intermediate training -- 9:00 a.m. -- 1:00 p.m. Hosted by: Fresno County Location: TBD

<u>Southern Area Training</u> Tuesday, February 11, 2014 – Standard training – 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 12, 2014 – Intermediate training – 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Hosted by: Los Angeles County Location: TBD

<u>Motherlode Area Training</u> Tuesday, February 18, 2014 – Standard training – 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 19, 2014 – Intermediate Training – 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Hosted by: Department of Rehabilitation Disability Access Section (Sacramento) Location: Department of Rehabilitation, 721 Capitol Mall, Sacramento, CA 95814

<u>Northern Area Training</u> Tuesday, February 25, 2014 – Standard training – 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 26, 2014 – Intermediate training – 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Hosted by: Shasta County Location: TBD

If you have any questions about the training program or contract, please feel free to contact Todd Wallace at (916) 657-2376 or Todd.Wallace@sos.ca.gov.

#### EXHIBIT B (Standard Agreement)

#### BUDGET DETAIL AND PAYMENT PROVISIONS

#### 1. Invoicing and Payment

- A. For services satisfactorily rendered, and upon receipt and approval of the invoices submitted with supporting documentation, the State agrees to compensate the Contractor for actual expenditures incurred in accordance with the rates specified herein, which is attached hereto and made a part of this Agreement.
- B. Invoices shall include the Agreement Number and shall be submitted in triplicate not more frequently than monthly in arrears to:

Office of Secretary of State Attention: Accounts Payable P.O. Box 944260 Sacramento, CA 94244-2600

#### 2. Budget Contingency Clause

- A. It is mutually agreed that if the Budget Act, or a HAVA Spending Plan or Spending Plan amendment, of the current year and/or subsequent years covered under this Agreement does not appropriate sufficient funds for the program, this Agreement shall be of no further force and effect. In this event, the State shall have no liability to pay any funds whatsoever to Contractor or to furnish any other considerations under this Agreement and Contractor shall not be obligated to perform any provisions of this Agreement.
- B. If funding for any fiscal year is reduced or deleted by the Budget Act, or by a HAVA Spending Plan or Spending Plan amendment, for purposes of this program, the State shall have the option to either cancel the Agreement with no liability occurring to the State, or offer an agreement amendment to Contractor to reflect the reduced amount.

#### 3. Federal Funds

- A. It is mutually understood between the parties that this contract may have been written for the mutual benefit of both parties before ascertaining the availability of congressional appropriation of funds, to avoid program and fiscal delays that would occur if the contract were executed after that determination was made.
- B. This contract is valid and enforceable only if the United State Government for the fiscal years 2013/14 and 2014/15 for the purpose of this program makes sufficient funds available to the state. In addition, this contract is subject to any additional restrictions, limitations, or conditions enacted by the Congress or to any statute enacted by the Congress that may affect the provisions, terms, or funding of this contract in any manner.
- C. The parties mutually agree that if the Congress does not appropriate sufficient funds for the program, this contract shall be amended to reflect any reduction in funds.
- D. The department has the option to invalidate the contract under the 30-day cancellation clause or to amend the contract to reflect any reduction in funds.

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#### 4. Maximum Amount Of HAVA Funds To Be Provided To County Under This Program

County shall not receive, pursuant to Agreement, more than \$30,000.00 in the aggregate.

#### 5. Failure To Properly Claim Maximum Amount Of HAVA Funds

Notwithstanding any provision of Agreement, County shall be entitled to receive only those amounts for fully supported and appropriate claims which are properly submitted, pursuant to the provisions of Agreement and all applicable state and federal laws, regulations, and procedures.

#### 6. Basis of Claims

Subject to the provisions related to the applicability of OMB Circular A-87, all claims for HAVA funds under this program must be based on invoices submitted by County. All invoices or agreements that are the subject of any claims must relate directly to expenditures authorized pursuant to Paragraph C ('Uses of Funds') of Exhibit A 'Scope of Work'.

#### 7. Processing of Claims

The Secretary of State shall establish the criteria and processes for submitting claims under this program. Such criteria shall include requirements that all claims:

- Contain a face sheet that summarizes each expenditure made by the categories set forth in Paragraph C of Exhibit A 'Scope of Work';
- (2) Include the total amount of the claim;
- (3) Include the agreement number on the face sheet;
- (4) Identify whether additional claims are expected to be submitted;
- (5) Include the hourly charge of any contractor for which a claim is made for their time;
- (6) Include the hourly wage or monthly salary of any employee for which a claim is made for their salaries;
- (7) Include signed Contractor HAVA Activity Reports, please see sample which is Exhibit G, for each employee and contractor's employee for whom reimbursement for time is being claimed. (Vendors who receive payment from HAVA funds are required to submit timesheets for any work paid for as time and materials); and
- (8) Include a copy of the contract with the contractor if the contractor's involce does not describe the activities undertaken in such a manner that the State can determine whether the activities comply with the provisions of this Agreement.

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#### 8. Application Of OMB Circular A-87

OMB Circular A-87 ("Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments"), incorporated herein by reference, to the extent applicable, shall govern with respect to all aspects of this program. The provisions of OMB Circular A-87 may be found at <u>http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars</u>.

#### 9. Deadline For Processing Claims

The Secretary of State shall advise the County of the status of the claim processing within 30 (thirty) days of receipt of the claim.

#### 10. Payments Of Claims

Payments made by the State with respect to any claim shall be sent directly by the State Controller's office to the County.

#### 11. Deadline For Submitting Claims

The deadline for submitting any claim under this program is 60 days after the expiration date of this agreement.

#### 12. Multiple Claims

County can submit multiple claims for HAVA funds authorized above, within the aggregate limit established for County.

#### 13. Documentation To Be Submitted

Each claim shall include a cover page that identifies the activity or service in Exhibit A and the dollar amount associated with each activity or service for which funds are being sought. Each claim shall also include originals or true copies of all invoices, agreements, or other documentation that support the claim, including all documentation required by OMB Circular A-87. The provisions of OMB Circular A-87 may be found at <a href="http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars">http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars</a>.

#### 14. Order Of Processing

Claims shall be processed by the Secretary of State in order of receipt.

#### 15. Work Outside Of The Scope Of Work

Contractors are not permitted to perform work, or be paid for work, outside the documented scope of work. Changes to the scope of work must be approved before work is undertaken, and payment is made for any activities outside of the scope of work.

#### EXHIBIT C (Standard Agreement)

#### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

PLEASE NOTE: This page will not be included with the final agreement. The General Terms and Conditions will be included in the agreement by reference to the Internet site below. From this page, select "Standard Contract Language" to access the current terms and conditions. http://www.ols.dgs.ca.gov/Standard+Language

#### EXHIBIT D (Standard Agreement)

#### SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

### A. AUDITING

- Receipt of HAVA funds by a county indicates agreement to establish a dedicated HAVA account for these funds. Therefore, any payment received by County pursuant to this program shall be deposited in a separate, segregated account and any payment made by County related to this program shall be paid from that account whether or not the County has paid the vendors for services rendered before submitting invoices to the State.
- 2. Any recipient of federal funds to meet the Help America Vote Act requirements agrees to be audited pursuant to federal and state law. Accordingly, all documents and electronic files must be produced upon request by the auditors. CFDA Number for this contract is 93.617. The audit may include a review of all books, papers, accounts, documents, or other records of County as they relate to any HAVA funds. County shall also provide access to all employees having knowledge of the HAVA funds program to assist the auditor. County shall provide a copy of any document, paper, or electronic record requested by the auditor.
- OMB Circular A-133 ("Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations"), and OMB Circular A-87, incorporated herein by reference, shall govern with respect to all aspects of this program. The provisions of these circulars may be found at http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars.
- 4. County shall maintain records in a manner that:
  - a. Accurately reflects fiscal transactions with necessary controls and safeguards,
  - Provides complete audit trails, based whenever possible on original documents (purchase orders, receipts, progress payments, invoices, timesheets, cancelled warrants, warrant numbers, etc.).
  - c. Provides accounting data so the costs can readily be determined throughout Agreement period.
- 5. Records shall be maintained for three years after expiration of Agreement and for at least one year following any audit or final disposition of any disputed audit finding.
- 6. If the final disposition of any disputed audit finding is determined to be a disallowed cost that the Secretary of State has paid the County, the County shall return to the Secretary of State an amount equal to the disallowance.
- County shall permit periodic site visits by the Secretary of State or the Secretary of State's designee or designees to determine if any HAVA funds are being used or have been used in compliance with Agreement and all applicable laws.
- Upon request, county shall report to the Secretary of State at least once every 90 (ninety) days until all funds received have been expended, on the status of HAVA funds received, in a manner determined by the Secretary of State.

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#### **B. GENERAL PROVISIONS**

- 1. The program is conditioned on State receiving reimbursement from the federal government pursuant to HAVA Section 261, for federal fiscal years 2013 and 2014.
- 2. HAVA funds can only be used for the purposes for which the HAVA funds are made.
- 3. No portion of any HAVA funds shall be used for partisan political purposes. All contractors providing services are required to sign an agreement, please see Exhibit E Item 1, to abide by the Secretary of States' policy to refrain from engaging in political activities that call into question the impartiality of the Secretary of State's Office. County is to submit agreement signed by each employee of contractor's firm who worked for County pursuant to this Agreement with the County's first invoice.
- The provisions of the federal Hatch Act shall apply to employees working for state and local entities receiving HAVA funds. The Hatch Act may be reviewed at <u>http://www.osc.gov/documents/hatchact/ha\_sta.pdf</u>.
- 5. Any interest earned by County on money received pursuant to this Agreement must be reported in writing to the Secretary of State within 30 days of expiration of this Agreement. All interest must be used by the County for the purposes of implementing activities allowable under this Agreement.
- 6. Failure by any eligible County to execute a contract within 90 days of the date on which this contract is made available shall constitute an express desire to forego its use of the County's proportionate share of these funds, which may result in reallocation of that County's proportionate share of funds to other counties for the purposes provided under this contract.
- 7. Funds not claimed by County within 90 days of the end date of this contract, or any funds claimed by a county that are not approved for county use by the Secretary of State within 180 days of the end date of this contract, shall be reallocated to the Counties based on need and may only be used to meet Section 261 of HAVA.
- 8. If funding for any fiscal year is reduced or deleted by the Budget Act for purposes of this program, the State shall have the option to either cancel Agreement with no liability occurring to the State, or offer an Agreement amendment to County to reflect any reduced amount.
- Agreement is subject to any restrictions, limitations or conditions enacted or promulgated by the United States Government, or any agency thereof, that may affect the provisions, terms or funding of Agreement in any manner.
- 10. Pursuant to federal policy, Agreement may be terminated by the State with 30-day written notice to County.
- 11. County warrants by execution of Agreement, that no person or selling agency has been employed or retained to solicit or secure this contract upon agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee, excepting bona fide employees or bona fide established commercial or selling agencies maintained by County for the purpose of securing business. For breach or violation of this warranty, the State shall, in addition to other remedies provided by law, have the right to annul this contract without liability, paying only for the value of the work actually performed, or otherwise recover the full amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee.

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- 12. Nothing contained in Agreement or otherwise, shall create any contractual relation between the State and any subcontractor or vendor, and no subcontractor shall relieve County of its responsibilities and obligations hereunder. County agrees to be as fully responsible to State for the acts and omlssions of its subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by any of them as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by County's obligation to pay its subcontractors is an independent obligation from the State's obligation to make payments to County. As a result, State shall have no obligation to pay or to enforce the payment of any moneys to any subcontractor or vendor of County.
- 13. Pursuant to federal law, by signing this agreement or execution of this purchase order the Contractor certifies under the penalty of perjury that the contracting entity is not excluded or ineligible from federal assistance programs and thereby is not on the federal government's list of suspended or debarred entities.

Pursuant to federal law, as a component of the procurement process, the Contractor must review the federal government's list of debarred and suspended vendors and ensure no contract award is provided to a vendor on this list. This list may be viewed at <u>www.epls.gov</u>.

14. Upon request, county agrees to provide the Secretary of State with a summary report on its activities under this agreement following each election for which funds are expended that includes: the method used to determine the need for funding an eligible activity, including the reliance on an advisory committee or advisory groups, surveys or any other methodology used to assess the need for the eligible activity; the activity performed and funded; the amount of funding expended; the category or categories of need being met; and any performance metric or assessment of the quality of the activity, including unsolicited public comment, advisory committee or advisory group comment, public comment solicited through surveys and on-site assessments conducted by the County, its agents or others.

#### EXHIBIT E (Standard Agreement)

#### ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

#### 1. Secretary Of State Policy Regarding Political Activity In The Workplace

SECRETARY OF STATE POLICY REGARDING POLITICAL ACTIVITY IN THE WORKPLACE

The Secretary of State is the state's chief elections officer. It is, therefore, imperative that staff in the Secretary of State's Office, and those who contract with the Secretary of State's Office, refrain from engaging in any political activity that might call into question the office's impartiality with respect to handling election Issues. Accordingly, the policy of the Secretary of State's Office with respect to political activity in the workplace, a copy of which will be given to every employee in the Secretary of State's Office and Incorporated as an attachment to contracts with the Secretary of State's Office, is as follows:

- 1. No employee of or contractor with the Secretary of State's Office shall engage in political campaign-related activities on state-compensated or federal-compensated time, except as required by official duties, such as answering inquiries from the public. In those cases where the contractor with the Secretary of State's Office is a county, the term "contractor" shall apply only to county elections office employees, county employees redirected to work temporarily for the county elections office, or any person, firm, company or business that provides reimbursable election-related services to a county elections office in furtherance of a contract. This prohibition shall not apply while an employee is on approved vacation or approved annual leave. This prohibition shall not apply to activities engaged in during the personal time of an employee.
- No employee of or contractor with the Secretary of State's Office shall use any state property in connection with political campaign activities. It is strictly prohibited to schedule political campaignrelated meetings or to conduct political campaign-related meetings in state office space, even if after normal working hours.
- No employee of or contractor with the Secretary of State's Office shall use his or her official status with the Secretary of State's Office to influence political campaign-related activities or to confer support for or indicate opposition to a candidate or measure at any level of government.
- 4. No employee of or contractor with the Secretary of State's Office may be involved with political campaign-related telephone calls, letters, meetings or other political campaign-related activities on state-compensated or federal-compensated time. Requests by employees to switch to alternative work schedules, such as 4-10-40 or 9-8-80 work weeks, or to take vacation in order to accommodate political campaign-related activities or to attend political campaign functions, will be judged in the same manner and on the same basis as any other requests of this nature (i.e., existing needs of the office and discretion of the division chiefs).
- 5. The receipt or delivery of political campaign contributions or photocopies thereof on state property is strictly prohibited, as is the use of office time or state resources (e.g., intra-office mail or fax machines) to solicit or transmit political campaign contributions.
- 6. No employee of or contractor with the Secretary of State's Office may authorize any person to use his or her affiliation with the Secretary of State's Office in an attempt to suggest that the employee's or contractor's support or opposition to a nomination or an election for office or a ballot measure is of an "official," as distinguished from private, character.
- 7. No employee of or contractor with the Secretary of State's Office may display political campaign-related buttons, posters, or similar materials in areas visible to individuals who are in public areas of the Secretary of State's Office; nor may an employee of or contractor with the Secretary of State's Office display political campaign-related posters or other materials on windows facing out of the state office building.

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- No employee of or contractor with the Secretary of State's Office may use official authority or influence for the purpose of interfering with or attempting to affect the results of an election or a nomination for any public office.
- No employee of or contractor with the Secretary of State's Office may directly or indirectly coerce or solicit contributions from subordinates in support of or in opposition to an election or nomination for office or a ballot measure.
- 10. An employee who is paid either partially or fully with federal funds, including the Help America Vote Act of 2002 (HAVA), is subject to the provisions of the federal Hatch Act, and is, therefore, prohibited from being a candidate for public office in a partisan election, as defined in the federal Hatch Act. However, any employee who is to be paid either partially or fully with funds pursuant to HAVA, shall first be consulted about the proposed funding and be informed about the prohibitions of the federal Hatch Act. The employee, whenever possible, shall be given the opportunity to engage in employment that does not involve HAVA funding.
- 11. Provisions limiting participation in political campaign-related activities as provided for in this policy statement shall be included in every contract with the Secretary of State's Office.

#### 2. Tablet Criteria

- The software and device must be capable of accurately recording all data necessary to assess polling place accessibility (i.e., all portions of the statewide guidelines and checklist used for surveying for polling place accessibility).
- 2. The software and device must be capable of transferring all data collected during polling place surveys to a medium where results can be aggregated for purposes of comparing potential polling places, and for purposes of analyzing data at the site level and countywide.
- The devices used for housing software to capture data must be used only for the purposes of assessing polling place accessibility with exclusive use safeguarded by appropriate inventory policies and controls.
- Polling place specific (site-level) survey results and aggregate survey results must be publicly available upon request.
- 5. A report on the outcomes of this program must be produced that provides certain information, such as:
  - 1. A description of the program.
  - 2. Cost of the program, including staff training costs and any costs for data storage (e.g., EMS modification).
  - 3. Amount of vendor support needed for the program's launch and the amount of ongoing support, if any.
  - 4. Increased productivity of the program, if any, measured by staff time, ease of data recall and analysis, and other relevant factors.
  - Amount of additional ongoing support, if any, necessary to sustain the program (e.g., software licensing costs; upgrade costs; continued vendor support; device maintenance, etc.).

If you have questions concerning these restrictions, please refer them to the Secretary of State Office contact person listed on the contract in Exhibit A.

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