U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION (DOL/ETA)

NOTICE OF AWARD (NOA)

DUNS #: 968930664

Under the authority of the **Social Security Act, as amended**, this grant or agreement is entered into between the above named **Grantor Agency** and the following named **Awardee**, for a project entitled - **UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (UI) REEMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND ELIGIBILITY ASSESSMENT (RESEA) GRANTS.**

Name & Address of Awardee: FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY 107 EAST MADISON STREET, MSC 85, CALDWELL BUILDING TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32399-4134 Federal Award Id. No. (FAIN): UI-37975-22-60-A-12 CFDA #: 17.225- Unemployment Insurance Amount:\$9,043,040.00 EIN: 364706134

Accounting Code:

1630-2022-0501792223BD202201790001225UI021A0000AOWS00AOWS00-A90220-410010-ETA-DEFAULT TASK-

Payment Management System DOC#: UI37975PW0

The Period of Performance shall be from **January 01**, **2022 thru September 30**, **2023**. Total Government's Financial Obligation is **\$9,043,040.00** (unless other wise amended).

Payments will be made under the Payments Management System, and can be automatically drawn down by the awardee on an as needed basis covering a forty-eight (48) hour period.

To incorporate FY 2022 Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) grant funds in accordance with UIPL 10-22 and TEGL 05-21.

In performing its responsibilities under this grant agreement, the awardee hereby certifies and assures that it will fully comply with all applicable Statute(s), and the following regulations and cost principles, including any subsequent amendments:

Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements:

2 CFR Part 200; Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements; Final Rule 2 CFR Part 2900; DOL Exceptions to 2 CFR Part 200;

Other Requirements (Included within this NOA):

Condition(s) of Award (if applicable) Federal Award Terms, including attachments

Contact Information

The Federal Project Officer (FPO) assigned to this grant is Veronica England. Veronica England will serve as your first line point of contact and can be contacted via e-mail - england.veronica.j@dol.gov. If your FPO is not available, please call your Regional Office at 404-302-5300 for assistance.

The awardee's signature below certifies full compliance with all terms and conditions as well as all applicable Statues(s), grant regulations, guidance, and certifications.

Signature of Approving Official - AWARDEE Signature of Approving Official - DOL / ETA

SERENA BOYD, July 08, 2022 Grant Officer

See SF-424 for Signature No Additional Signature Required

FY 2022 Unemployment Insurance (UI), Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) Grant

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Part A: General Award, System for Award Management and Uniform Guidance

A.1 Compliance and the Order of Precedence

The recipient of this Federal award will assure that they will fully comply with the rules and requirements specified in the award document. Program requirements may be found in the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), statutes, Executive Orders, government-wide regulations, agency regulations, agency policy guidance such as Unemployment Insurance Program Letter (UIPL) and the Training Employment Guidance Letter (TEGL), and the terms outlined in the award document. The list below identifies the hierarchy of authority.

The following order of precedence applies to your activities under this federal award. In the event of any inconsistency between the terms and conditions of this Notice of Award (NOA) and other requirements, consult the below order:

- 1. Title III of the Social Security Act
- 2. Consolidated Appropriations Act 2022 (Public Law 117-103) dated March 15, 2022.
- 3. Other applicable Federal statutes
- 4. Implementing Regulations.
- 5. Executive Orders and Presidential Memoranda.
- 6. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Guidance, including the Uniform Guidance at 2 CFR (Code of Federal Regulations) parts 200 and 2900.
- 7. The U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) or Employment and Training Administration (ETA) directives.
- 8. Terms and conditions of this award.

Notice of Award The funds provided under this Notice of Award (NOA) must be expended according to all applicable Federal statutes, regulations and policies, and the applicable provisions in the appropriations act(s). The funds shall be obligated and expended via a NOA award modification. These obligations and expenditures may not exceed the amount awarded by the NOA modification unless otherwise modified by the ETA.

By drawing down funds, your organization as the award recipient agrees to the provisions of 2 CFR 200.521, 2 CFR 2900.20, and 2 CFR 2900.21 and is subject to having its award removed as a result of an ALJ decision. As part of this process, the Grant Officer will provide instructions on transition and closeout to both the newly selected grant recipient and to the grant recipient whose positions is affected, or which is being removed

A.2 SF-424, Application for Federal Assistance, and SF-424B, Assurances and Certifications

The signed SF-424, Application for Federal Assistance, has been included as an attachment to this award. The individual that signed the SF-424 on behalf of the applicant is considered the Authorized Representative of the applicant. As stated in block 21 of the SF-424 form, the signature of the Authorized Representative on the SF-424 certifies that the grant award recipient is in compliance with the Assurances and

Certifications form SF-424B available at <u>Grants.gov</u>. The grant award recipient does not need to submit the SF-424B form separately.

A.3 Approved FY 2022 RESEA State Plan

This project's narrative is the approved Statement of Work (SOW). It has been included as Attachment C. If there is any inconsistency between the project narrative and the program statute, appropriation, regulations, Executive Orders, Uniform Guidance, and DOL or ETA directives, the order of precedence (as described in Section 1. above) will prevail.

A.4 Federal Project Officer or Point of Contact (POC)

The DOL/ETA Federal Project Officer (FPO) or Point of Contact for this award is:

Name: Veronica England Telephone: 404-302-5361

E-mail: england.veronica@dol.gov

The individual named above is not authorized to change any of the terms or conditions of the award or approve prior approval requests. Any changes to the terms or conditions or prior approvals must be approved by the Grant Officer through the use of a formally executed award modification process.

A.5 Unique Entity Identifier Requirements

Effective on April 4, 2022, the DUNS Number will be replaced by a new, non-proprietary identifier requested in and assigned by <u>SAM.gov</u>. This new identifier is called the Unique Entity Identifier (UEI), or the Entity ID. To learn more about SAM's rollout of the UEI, please visit the U.S. General Service Administration (GSA), <u>Unique Entity Identifier Update webpage</u>.

If the grant award or cooperative agreement recipient is authorized to make subawards under this award, then the recipient:

- 1. Must notify potential subrecipients that no entity (see definitions below) may receive a subaward from the grant award recipient until the entity has provided its UEI to the recipient.
- 2. May not make a subaward to an entity unless the entity has provided its UEI to the grant or cooperative agreement recipient. Subrecipients are not required to obtain an active SAM registration but must obtain a UEI.

A.6 System for Award Management

System for Award Management (SAM) is the official federal system that collects, validates, stores, and disseminates business information about the federal government's trading partners in support of contract awards, grants, and electronic payment processes.

A SAM registration is required for an entity to be able to apply for federal awards, to request modifications to existing awards, and to enable them to closeout expiring awards. See <u>Training and Employment Notice (TEN) 18-17</u> for additional guidance.

Unless the award recipient is exempt from this requirement under 2 CFR 25.110, the grant award or cooperative agreement recipient must maintain current information in the SAM. This includes information on the recipient's immediate and highest-level owner and subsidiaries, as well as on all of the recipient's predecessors that have been awarded a Federal contract or Federal financial assistance within the last three years, if applicable, until the award recipient submits the final financial report required under this Federal award or receive the final payment, whichever is later.

DOL advises grant award recipients and other awardees of Federal awards such as cooperative agreements registered in SAM to review their registration information, particularly their financial information and points of contact. Assistance is available by contacting the Federal Service Desk at FSD.gov. Grant award or cooperative agreement recipients should contact ETA at ETAAccountingGrants@dol.gov if they find that payments have been paid to a bank account other than their registered bank account.

DOL routinely checks the validity of a grant or cooperative agreement award recipient's SAM registration and verifies that the recipient is not included on the excluded parties list before making an award or approving a modification to an existing award. Failure to have an active SAM registration can delay award recipients from receiving their initial award or requested modifications to their existing awards.

DOL further encourages award recipients to review the expiration date of their SAM registration and begin the renewal process well in advance, to ensure that their registration remains valid. If the award recipient has not logged in and updated its entity registration record within at least the past 365 days, its record will expire and go into inactive status. Timely renewal will ensure that the award recipient can continue to request and receive modifications to their existing grants, as well as apply for new funding opportunities. Further, the EIN numbers must remain active until the award closeout process is fully completed.

A.7 Uniform Guidance Revisions

The Office of Management and Budget issued revisions to 2 CFR parts 25, 170, 183, and 200 (the Uniform Guidance) on August 13, 2020, and February 22, 2021 (technical correction). These revisions became effective November 12, 2020, except for the amendments to 2 CFR 200.216 and 200.340, which were immediately effective on August 13, 2020. The award recipient must operate in compliance with these revised regulations. Please note that the section numbering in the Uniform Guidance has changed in some instances, and this terms and conditions document has been updated accordingly.

A.8 Subawards

A *subaward* means an award provided by a *Pass-Through Entity* (PTE) to a subrecipient for the subrecipient to carry out part of a Federal award received by the PTE. It does not include payments to a contractor or payments to an individual that is a beneficiary of a Federal program. A subaward may be provided through any form of legal agreement, including an agreement that the PTE considers a contract.

The provisions of the Terms and Conditions of this award will be applied to any subrecipient

under this award. The recipient is responsible for monitoring the subrecipient, ensuring that the Terms and Conditions are in all subaward packages and that the subrecipient complies with all applicable regulations and the Terms and Conditions of this award (2 CFR 200.101(b)).

A.9 Vendor/Contractor Defined

The term "contractor," sometimes referred to as a vendor, is a dealer, distributor, merchant or other seller providing goods or services that are required to implement a Federal program (see 2 CFR 200.1). These goods or services may be for an organization's own use or for the use of the beneficiaries of the Federal program. Additional guidance on distinguishing between a subrecipient and a contractor (vendor) is provided in 2 CFR 200.331. When procuring contractors for goods and services, DOL/ETA recipients and subrecipients must follow the procurement requirements found at 2 CFR 200.320 (except states, pursuant to 2 CFR 200.317), which calls for free and open competition.

A.10 Technical Assistance, Resources, and Information

Additional resources, training, and information to assist the award recipient are located on the ETA website, <u>Resources webpage</u> and on the Grants Application and Management collection page on <u>WorkforceGPS.org</u>. <u>SMART training</u> is a technical assistance initiative sponsored by DOL/ETA to assist its grant and cooperative agreement recipients and subrecipients in improving its program/project operations through effective grants management. Please take some time to review the training modules which are focused on:

Strategies for sound grant management that include:

Monitoring,

Accountability,

Risk mitigation and

Transparency.

These four themes are woven throughout the OMB Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, also known as the Uniform Guidance (2 CFR Part 200 and 2 CFR Part 2900). The 508-compliant PowerPoints of the modules may be found on WorkforceGPS.org at the Resource page.

A.11 Monitoring, Technical Assistance, and Additional Specific Conditions of Award

All grant and cooperative agreement award recipients, including states and territories managing the Unemployment Insurance programs, are subject to 2 CFR 200.208, *Specific conditions*, which indicates that the Federal awarding agency may adjust specific award conditions as needed. A specific condition is based on an analysis of the following factors:

- 1. Based on the criteria in §200.206, Federal awarding agency review of risk posed by applicants;
- 2. The applicant or recipient's history of compliance with the general or specific terms and conditions of a Federal award;
- 3. The applicant or recipient's ability to meet expected performance goals as described in 2 CFR 200.211; or

4. A responsibility determination of an applicant or recipient.

Additional Federal award conditions may include items such as the following:

- 1. Requiring payments as reimbursements rather than advance payments;
- 2. Withholding authority to proceed to the next phase until receipt of evidence of acceptable performance within a given performance period;
- 3. Requiring additional, more detailed financial reports;
- 4. Requiring additional project monitoring;
- 5. Requiring the non-Federal entity to obtain technical or management assistance; or
- 6. Establishing additional prior approvals.

Grant and cooperative agreement award recipients may be required to obtain technical or management assistance through an established provider/contractor that has been selected or hired by DOL/ETA that may include in-person or remote assistance.

A.12 Evaluation, Data, and Implementation

Grant and cooperative award recipients must cooperate during the implementation of a third-party evaluation. This means providing DOL/ETA or its authorized contractor with the appropriate data and access to program operating personnel and participants in a timely manner.

A.13 Program Requirements

Unemployment Insurance Program Letter (UIPL) No. 10-22 contains the program requirements for this award.

Part B: Indirect Costs, Budget and Cost Share (Match)

B.1 Indirect Cost Rate and Cost Allocation Plan

Indirect (facilities & administrative (F&A)) costs mean those costs incurred for a common or joint purpose benefitting more than one cost objective, and not readily assignable to the cost objectives specifically benefitted, without effort disproportionate to the results achieved. Direct costs, by contrast, can be identified specifically with a particular final cost objective, such as a Federal award, or other internally or externally funded activity, or that can be directly assigned to such activities relatively easily with a high degree of accuracy. Identification with the Federal award rather than the nature of the goods and services involved is the determining factor in distinguishing direct from indirect (F&A) costs of Federal awards.

If the DOL serves as the Federal Cognizant Agency (FCA) for the award recipient, then the grant and cooperative agreement award recipient must work with DOL's Cost & Price Determination Division (CPDD), which has delegated authority to negotiate and issue a Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement (NICRA) or Cost Allocation Plan (CAP) on behalf of the Federal Government. More information about the DOL's CPDD is available at DOL's Cost & Price Determination Division (CPDD) website. This website has guidelines to develop indirect cost rates, links to the applicable cost principles, and contact information. The CPDD also has Frequently Asked Questions to provide general information about the

indirect cost rate approval process and due dates for provisional and final indirect cost rate proposals.

If a new NICRA is issued during the award's period of performance, it must be provided to DOL within 30 days of issuance. Funds may be re-budgeted as necessary between direct cost categories as long as it is consistent with the Budget Flexibility term within this agreement, grant requirements, and DOL regulations on prior approval. However, the total amount of the award will not be increased. Please select either 1, 2, or 3.

1.		
	X (a) A federally approved NI (CRA or federally approved CAP covering a
	portion of the grant period of perfor	mance is attached. Regarding only the
	NICRA:	
	Indirect Rate approved %:	See Attached
	Type of Indirect Cost Rate (i.e.	
	Provisional/Predetermined/Fixed):	See Attached
	Allocation Distribution Base:	See Attached
	Current beginning and ending	
	period applicable to rate:	See Attached

____ (b) Election of 10% De Minimis Rate

The award recipient does not have a current negotiated (including provisional) rate and may elect to charge a de minimis rate of 10% of modified total direct costs (MTDC) which may be used indefinitely. A governmental department or agency unit that receives more than \$35 million in direct Federal funding must submit its indirect cost rate proposal to its cognizant agency for indirect costs and cannot request a de minimis rate. This methodology must be used consistently for all Federal grant awards until such time as the grant award or cooperative agreement recipient chooses to negotiate for an indirect cost rate, which the award recipient may apply to do at any time. See 2 CFR 200.414(f) for more information on use of the de minimis rate. Please be aware that incurred indirect type costs (such as top management salaries, financial oversight, human resources, payroll, personnel, auditing costs, accounting and legal, etc. used for the general oversight and administration of the organization) must not be classified as direct costs; these types of costs are recovered as part of charging the de minimis rate.

Estimated Indirect Costs for 1.a. and 1.b. must be identified on the SF-424A budget form.

URGENT NOTICE: Estimated indirect costs have been specified on the SF-424A, Section B, Object Class Category "j", however only \$[If B is not selected, enter N/A. If B is selected, enter the de minimis rate of 10% of Modified Total Direct Costs (MTDC)] will be released to support the indirect costs in the absence of a NICRA or CAP approved by the FCA. The remaining funds which have been awarded for Indirect Costs are restricted and may not be used for any purpose until the recipient provides a signed copy of the NICRA or CAP and receives documentation stating that the restriction is lifted by the Grant Officer. Upon receipt of the NICRA or CAP, the Grant Officer will issue a grant modification to the award to remove the restriction on those funds. As the grant or cooperative agreement award recipient, the recipient must submit an indirect cost rate proposal or CAP. If the FCA for indirect costs is DOL, these documents should be submitted to the DOL's Cost & Price Determination Division (CPDD). Otherwise, they should be submitted to the grant award recipient's FCA. Alternatively,

the award recipient may request the de minimis rate if eligible (see section b. above). In addition, the recipient must notify the FPO that the documents have been submitted to the appropriate FCA.

If the award recipient does not submit a NICRA proposal within 90 days of award, they will be limited to the de minimis rate of 10% of Modified Total Direct Costs (MTDC).

2.	The provided NICRA or CAP approved by the FCA does not cover a portion of the period of performance, or [b] Indirect costs are being claimed on the SF-424A; however an indirect cost rate proposal or CAP has not yet been submitted for approval to the FCA.
3.	The award recipient elected to exclude indirect costs from the proposed budget. Please be aware that incurred indirect costs (such as top management salaries, financial oversight, human resources, payroll, personnel, auditing costs, accounting and legal, etc. used for the general oversight and administration of the organization) must not be classified as direct costs; these types of costs are indirect costs. Only direct costs, as defined by the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance will be charged. If indirect costs are misclassified as direct costs per the guidelines at 2 CFR 200.412, such costs may become disallowed through an audit or compliance review conducted by a Federal staff person.

B.2 Indirect Cost Rate – De Minimis Rate

All award recipients with an approved NICRA or de minimis rate must report indirect costs on their **FINAL** ETA-9130 Report. If an award recipient has a NICRA and a CAP, only the indirect costs tied to the NICRA are reported on the FINAL ETA-9130 Report. The grant recipient may refer to <u>Training and Employment Guidance Letter (TEGL) 20-19</u> and the ETA-9130 Report for additional guidance.

Budget - Approved

The grant award recipient's budget documents are attached in this NOA. The documents are: 1) the SF-424, included as Attachment A; and 2) the SF-424 A, included as Attachment B. The grant award recipient must confirm that all costs are allowable, reasonable, necessary, and allocable before charging any expense. Pursuant to 2 CFR 2900.1, the approval of the budget as awarded does not constitute prior approval of those items specified in 2 CFR part 200 and 2 CFR part 2900 or as a part of the grant award as requiring prior approval. The Grant Officer is the only official with the authority to provide such approval.

Any changes to the budget that impact the Statement of Work (SOW) and agreed upon outcomes or deliverables will require a request for modification and prior approval from the Grant Officer.

If the period of performance will include multiple budget periods, subsequent budget periods are subject to the availability of funds, program authority, satisfactory performance, and compliance terms and conditions of the Federal award.

Unless otherwise authorized in a grant or cooperative agreement or subsequent modification,

recipients must expend funds with the shortest period of availability first (20 FR 683.110).

B.3 Budget Flexibility

Award recipients are not permitted to make transfers that would cause any funds to be used for purposes other than those consistent with this Federal program. Any budget changes that impact the SOW and agreed upon outcomes or deliverables require a request for modification and approval from the Grant Officer.

As directed in 2 CFR 200.308(f), for programs where the Federal share is over the Simplified Acquisition Threshold (SAT) (currently \$250,000), the transfer of funds among direct cost categories or programs, functions, and activities is restricted such that if the cumulative amount of such transfers exceeds or is expected to exceed 10% of the total budget as last approved by the Federal awarding agency, the recipient must receive prior approval from the Grant Officer. Any changes within a specific cost category on the SF-424(a) do not require a grant modification unless the change results in a cumulative transfer among direct cost categories exceeding 10% of total budget. It is recommended that the assigned Federal point of contact review any within-line changes to the award recipient's budget prior to implementation to ensure they do not require a modification.

For programs where the Federal share of the project is below the SAT of \$250,000, recipients are not required to obtain the Grant Officer's approval when transferring funds among direct cost categories.

B.4 Non-Federal Share (Match or Cost Share)

This award does not include a match requirement.

Part C: Funds Management and Special or Temporary Restrictions

C.1 Funds – Payment Management System (PMS)

Upon receipt of a NOA, in order to draw funds from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) <u>Payment Management System (PMS)</u>, an active account must be established. To establish an account, award recipients must complete an SF-1199A and PMS Access form (shown as the PMS/FFR User Form on the <u>PMS website</u>). DOL/ETA is responsible for completing portions of the SF-1199A and submitting the completed SF-1199A to the Division of Payment Management, which operates PMS. Federal award recipients do not need to complete these forms if they already have an account with PMS.

C.2 Funds - Return & Refunds

DOL/ETA does not accept paper checks for any type of returned funds. For active grants, all return of funds are to be submitted electronically through the PMS operated by the HHS via the same method as a drawdown. For grants that have been cancelled or are expired (typically older than five years), incoming payments, including returns and recoveries to DOL, must be made via the Pay.gov website.

If there are questions regarding the return of funds, or your organization no longer has access to PMS, contact the DOL/ETA, Office of Financial Administration via email at: <u>ETA-</u>

Part D: Costs - Limitations, Items, and Restrictions

D.1 Consultants

For the purposes of this grant award, the ETA's Grant Officer has determined that fees paid to a consultant who provides services under a program shall be limited to \$750.00 a day (representing an eight-hour workday). Such costs must be reasonable, allocable, and allowable to the program. Any fees paid in excess of this amount cannot be paid without prior approval from the Grant Officer.

D.2 Equipment

The requirement that grant recipients obtain prior approval from the Grant Officer for all purchases of equipment (as described in 2 CFR 200.439) is waived in accordance with 2 CFR 200.308(c)(4) and 20 CFR 683.200, and approval authority is delegated to the Governor. Notwithstanding this waiver, the Grant Officer reserves the right to reimpose the requirement of prior approval, after providing advance notice to the grant recipient.

D.3 Pre-Award Costs

All costs incurred by the award recipient prior to the start date specified in the grant award issued by the Department are *incurred at the recipient's own expense*.

D.4 Program Income

The Addition method as described in 2 CFR 200.307 must be used in allocating any program income generated for this awards award. The award recipient must expend all program income prior to drawing down any additional funds as required at 2 CFR 200.305(b)(5) and 2 CFR 200.307(e). Any program income found remaining at the end of period of performance must be returned to ETA. In addition, the award recipient(s) must report program income on the quarterly financial report using the applicable ETA-9130 or SF-425 reports.

D.5 Supportive Services & Participant Support Costs

When supportive services are expressly authorized by a program statute, regulation, or FOA, this award waives the prior approval requirement for participant support costs as described in 2 CFR 200.456. Costs must still meet the basic considerations at 2 CFR 200.402 – 200.411. Questions regarding supportive services and participant support costs should be directed to the FPO who is assigned to the award.

D.6 Travel

This award waives the prior approval requirement for domestic travel as contained in 2 CFR 200.475. For domestic travel to be an allowable cost, it must be necessary, allowable, reasonable, allocable and conform to the non-Federal entity's written policies and procedures. All travel must also comply with Fly America Act (49 USC 40118), which states in part that any air transportation, regardless of price, must be performed by, or under a codesharing arrangement with, a U.S. Flag air carrier if service provided by such carrier is

available.

D.7 Travel – Foreign

Foreign travel is not allowable except with prior written approval from the Grant Officer through the process described in 2 CFR 200.407 and 2 CFR 2900.16. All travel, both domestic and Grant Officer approved foreign travel, must comply with the Fly America Act (49 USC 40118), which states in part that any air transportation, regardless of price, must be performed by, or under a code-sharing arrangement with, a U.S. Flag air carrier if service provided by such carrier is available.

D.8 Travel – Mileage Reimbursement Rates

Pursuant to 2 CFR 200.475(a), all award recipients must have policies and procedures in place related to travel costs; however, for reimbursement on a mileage basis, this Federal grant award cannot be charged more than the maximum allowable mileage reimbursement rates for Federal employees. Mileage rates must be checked annually at GSA's <u>Privately Owned Vehicle (POV) Mileage Reimbursement Rates webpage</u> to ensure compliance.

D.9 Conferences and Conference Space

Conferences sponsored in whole or in part by the award recipient are allowable if the conference is necessary and reasonable for the successful performance of the Federal Award. The award recipients are urged to use discretion and good judgment to ensure that all conference costs charged to the grant are appropriate and allowable. For more information on the requirements and the allowability of costs associated with conferences, refer to 2 CFR 200.432. Recipients will be held accountable to the requirements in 2 CFR 200.432.

Therefore, costs that do not comply with 2 CFR 200.432 will be questioned and may be disallowed.

D.10 Hotel-Motel Fire Safety

Pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 2225a, the recipient must ensure that all space for conferences and conventions or training seminars funded in whole or in part with federal funds complies with the protection and control guidelines of the Hotel and Motel Fire Safety Act (P.L. 101-391, as amended). Recipients may search the Hotel-Motel National Master List to see if a property is in compliance, or to find other information about the Act.

Part E: Reporting, Audit, and Closeout

E.1 Reports

All ETA award recipients are required to submit quarterly financial and narrative progress reports for each award.

1. **Quarterly Financial Reports.** All ETA award recipients are required to report financial data on the ETA-9130 Financial Report. ETA-9130 reports are due no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each specified reporting quarter. Reporting quarter end dates are March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31. A final

financial report must be submitted no later than 45 calendar days after the quarter encompassing the award end date ends, or 45 calendar days after the completion of the quarter in which all funds have been expended, whichever comes first. A closeout report will be submitted during the closeout process. For additional guidance on ETA's financial reporting, reference <u>TEGL 20-19</u> and <u>ETA-9130 Financial Reporting</u> Resources.

The instructions for accessing both the online financial reporting system and the HHS PMS can be found in the transmittal memo accompanying this NOA.

E.2 Reports

- 1. **Quarterly Narrative Progress Reports**. Award recipients are required to submit a narrative quarterly and final report on grant activities funded under this award. All reports are due no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each specified reporting quarter. Reporting quarter end dates are March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31.
 - a) The last quarterly progress report that award recipients submit will serve as the grant's Final Performance Report. This report should provide both *quarterly and cumulative* information on the award's activities. It must summarize project activities, employment outcomes and other deliverables, and related results of the project.
 - b) The award recipient shall use any standard forms and instructions to report on training and employment outcomes and other data relating to the progress reports as provided by ETA.
 - c) The award recipient shall utilize standard reporting processes and electronic reporting systems to submit their quarterly progress reports as provided by ETA.

E.3 Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA or Transparency Act)

Applicable to grants and cooperative agreements:

- 1. Reporting of first-tier subawards.
 - a) Applicability. Unless the award recipient is exempt as provided in paragraph [4.] of this award term, the award recipient must report each action that equals or exceeds \$30,000 in Federal funds for a subaward to a non-Federal entity or Federal agency (see definitions in paragraph [5.] of this award term).
 - b) Where and when to report.
 - I. The Federal entity or Federal agency must report each obligating action described in paragraph [1.a.] of this award term to FSRS.gov.
 - II. For subaward information, the recipient must report no later than the end of the month following the month in which the obligation was made. (For example, if the obligation was made on November 7, 2010, the obligation must be reported by no later than December 31, 2010.)
 - c) What to report. The award recipient must report the information about each

obligating action that the submission instructions posted at FSRS.gov specify.

- 2. Reporting total compensation of recipient executives for non-Federal entities.
 - a) Applicability and what to report. The award recipient must report total compensation for each of their five most highly compensated executives for the preceding completed fiscal year, if—
 - I. the total Federal funding authorized to date under this Federal award is equal to or exceeds \$30,000 and is subject to the Transparency Act, as defined in 2 CFR 170.320;
 - II. in the preceding fiscal year, the recipient received—
 - (A) 80% or more of the annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act, as defined in 2 CFR 170.320 (and subawards); and
 - (B) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act, as defined in 2 CFR 170.320 (and subawards); and
 - III. The public does not have access to information on the compensation of the executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or Section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. (To determine if the public has access to the compensation information, see the <u>U.S. Security and Exchange Commission (SEC) total compensation filings</u>)
 - b) Where and when to report. The award recipient must report executive total compensation described in paragraph [2.a.] of this award term:
 - a. As part of your registration profile at SAM.gov.
 - b. By the end of the month following the month in which this award is made, and annually thereafter.
- 3. Reporting of Total Compensation of Subrecipient Executives.
 - a) Applicability and what to report. Unless the recipient is exempt as provided in paragraph [4.] of this award term, for each first-tier non-Federal entity subrecipient under this award, the award recipient shall report the names and total compensation of each of the subrecipient's five most highly compensated executives for the subrecipient's preceding completed fiscal year, if—
 - I. in the subrecipient's preceding fiscal year, the subrecipient received—
 - (A) 80% or more of its annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts) and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act, as defined in 2 CFR 170.320 (and subawards); and
 - (B) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal procurement contracts (and subcontracts), and Federal financial assistance subject to the Transparency Act (and subawards); and
 - II. The public does not have access to information on the compensation of the executives through periodic reports filed under Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or Section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. (To determine if the public has access to the compensation information, see

the SEC total compensation filings)

- b) Where and when to report. The award recipient must report subrecipient executive total compensation described in paragraph [3.a] of this award term:
 - I. To the recipient.
 - II. By the end of the month following the month during which the recipient makes the subaward. For example, if a subaward is obligated on any date during the month of October of a given year (i.e., between October 1 and 31), the grant recipient must report any required compensation information of the subrecipient by November 30 of that year.

4. Exemptions.

If, in the previous tax year, the award recipient had gross income, from all sources, under \$300,000, the recipient is exempt from the requirements to report:

- a) Subawards; and
- b) The total compensation of the five most highly compensated executives of any subrecipient.

5. Definitions.

For purposes of this award term:

- a) Federal Agency means a Federal agency as defined in 5 U.S.C. 551(1) and further clarified by 5 U.S.C. 552(f).
- b) Non-Federal Entity means all of the following, as defined in 2 CFR part 25:
 - I. A Governmental organization, which is a State, local government, or Indian tribe;
 - II. A foreign public entity;
 - III. A domestic or foreign nonprofit organization; and
 - IV. A domestic or foreign for-profit organization.
- c) *Executive* means officers, managing partners, or any other employees in management positions.
- d) Subaward:
 - I. This term is used as a legal instrument to provide support for the performance of any portion of the substantive project or program for which the grant recipient received this award and that the grant recipient as the recipient award to an eligible subrecipient.
 - II. The term does not include the grant award recipient's payment to a contractor, as defined in 2 CFR 200.331, for property and services needed to carry out the project or program.
 - III. A subaward may be provided through any legal agreement, including an agreement that the grant recipient or a subrecipient considers a contract.
- e) Subrecipient means a non-Federal entity or Federal agency that:
 - I. Receives a subaward from the grant award recipient under this award; and
 - II. Is accountable to the grant recipient for the use of the Federal funds provided by the subaward.
- f) Total compensation means the cash and noncash dollar value earned by the executive during the recipient's or subrecipient's preceding fiscal year and includes the following (for more information see 17 CFR 229.402(c)(2)):

- I. Salary and bonus.
- II. Awards of stock, stock options, and stock appreciation rights. Use the dollar amount recognized for financial statement reporting purposes with respect to the fiscal year in accordance with the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 123 (Revised 2004) (FAS 123R), Shared Based Payments.
- III. Earnings for services under non-equity incentive plans. This does not include group life, health, hospitalization or medical reimbursement plans that do not discriminate in favor of executives and are available generally to all salaried employees.
- IV. *Change in pension value.* This is the change in present value of defined benefit and actuarial pension plans.
- V. Above-market earnings on deferred compensation which is not taxqualified.
- VI. Other compensation, if the aggregate value of all such other compensation (e.g., severance, termination payments, value of life insurance paid on behalf of the employee, perquisites, or property) for the executive exceeds \$10,000.

E.4 Integrity and Performance Matters – FAPIIS

- 1. If the total value of the currently active grants, cooperative agreements, and procurement contracts from all Federal awarding agencies exceeds \$10,000,000 for any period of time during the period of performance of this Federal award, then the award recipient during that period of time must maintain the currency of information reported to the System for Award Management (SAM) that is made available in the designated integrity and performance system (currently the Federal Awardee Performance and Integrity Information System (FAPIIS)) about civil, criminal, or administrative proceedings described in Paragraph 2 of this award term and condition. This is a statutory requirement under Section 872 of Public Law 110-417, as amended (41 U.S.C. 2313). As required by Section 3010 of Public Law 111-212, all information posted in the designated integrity and performance system on or after April 15, 2011, except past performance reviews required for Federal procurement contracts, will be publicly available.
- 2. <u>Proceedings about which the award recipient must report</u>. Submit the information required about each proceeding that:
 - a. Is in connection with the award or performance of a grant, cooperative agreement, or procurement contract from the Federal Government;
 - b. Reached its final disposition during the most recent 5-year period; and
 - c. Is one of the following:
 - I. A criminal proceeding that resulted in a conviction, as defined in Paragraph 5. of this award term;
 - II. A civil proceeding that resulted in a finding of fault and liability and paying a monetary fine, penalty, reimbursement, restitution, or damages of \$5,000 or more;
 - III. An administrative proceeding, as defined in Paragraph 5. of this award term,

that resulted in a finding of fault and liability and grant recipient payment of either monetary fine or penalty of \$5,000 or more or a reimbursement, restitution, or damages in excess of \$100,000; or

- IV. Any other criminal, civil, or administrative proceeding if:
 - (A) It could have led to an outcome described in Paragraph 2.c.I, II, or III of this award term;
 - (B) It had a different disposition arrived at by consent or compromise with an acknowledgment of fault on the grant recipient's part; and
 - (C) The requirement in this award term to disclose information about the proceeding does not conflict with applicable laws and regulations.
- 3. Reporting procedures. Enter in SAM, Entity Management area (formerly CCR), or any successor system, the FAPIIS information that SAM requires about each proceeding described in Paragraph 2 of this award term. The award recipient does not need to submit the information a second time under assistance awards that were received if the recipient already provided the information through SAM (formerly CCR) because the recipient was required to do so under Federal procurement contracts that the recipient was awarded.
- 4. Reporting frequency. During any period of time when the award recipient is subject to the requirement in Paragraph 1 of this award term, the award recipient must report FAPIIS information through SAM no less frequently than semiannually following the initial report of any proceedings for the most recent 5-year period, either to report new information about any proceeding(s) that the award recipient has not reported previously or to affirm that there is no new information to report.
- 5. Definitions. For purposes of this award term:
 - a. Administrative proceeding means a non-judicial process that is adjudicatory in nature in order to make a determination of fault or liability (e.g., SEC Administrative proceedings, Civilian Board of Contract Appeals proceedings, and Armed Services Board of Contract Appeals proceedings). This includes proceedings at the Federal and State level. It does not include audits, site visits, corrective plans, or inspection of deliverables.
 - b. Conviction, for purposes of this award term, means a judgment or conviction of a criminal offense by any court of competent jurisdiction, whether entered upon a verdict or a plea, and includes a conviction entered upon a plea of nolo contendere.
 - c. Total value of currently active grants, cooperative agreements, and procurement contracts includes —
 - I. Only the Federal share of the funding under any award with a recipient cost share or match; and
 - II. The value of all options, even if not yet exercised.

E.5 Audits

Organization-wide or program-specific audits must be performed in accordance with Subpart F, the Audit Requirements of the Uniform Guidance. DOL award recipients that expend \$750,000 or more in a year from any Federal awards must have an audit conducted for that year in accordance with the requirements contained in 2 CFR 200.501. OMB's approved

DOL exception at 2 CFR 2900.2 expands the definition of 'non-Federal entity' to include for-profit entities and foreign entities. As such, for-profit and foreign entities that are recipients/subrecipients of a DOL award must adhere to the Uniform Guidance at 2 CFR 200, including Subpart F. Audits of direct award recipients that are for-profit and foreign entities must be submitted directly to: USDOL ETA-OGM, Attn: Audit Resolution, 200 Constitution Ave NW, Room N-4716, Washington, DC 20210. All other audit reports are submitted through the Federal Audit Clearinghouse

The recipient is prohibited from earning a profit resulting from the implementation of this cooperative agreement. As directed in 2 CFR 200.400(g), non-Federal entities may not earn or keep any profit resulting from Federal financial assistance unless explicitly authorized in the Federal Award Terms. Additionally, the provision on profit only applies to WIOA Title 1 programs at 20 CFR 683.295

E.6 Audit Submission Deadline Extension Related to COVID-19

In <u>OMB Memorandum M-20-17</u>, OMB offered an extension of Single Audit submission deadlines for fiscal years ending June 30, 2020 to allow recipients and subrecipients a responsible transition to normal operations. This flexibility was extended through December 31, 2020 by <u>OMB Memorandum 20-26</u>.

In OMB Memorandum M-21-20, Appendix 3, Item IX, OMB has offered an additional extension of Single Audit submission deadlines for fiscal years ending June 30, 2021. Award recipients and subrecipients that have not yet filed their single audits with the Federal Audit Clearinghouse as of March 19, 2021, that have fiscal year-ends through June 30, 2021, may delay the completion and submission of the Single Audit reporting package, as required under 2 CFR 200.501 (Audit Requirements), to six (6) months beyond the normal due date. This extension does not require individual recipients and subrecipients to seek approval for the extension by the cognizant or oversight agency for audit; however, recipients and subrecipients should maintain documentation of the reason for the delayed filing.

E.7 Closeout/Final Year Requirements

At the end of the grant period, the award recipient will be required to close the grant with the ETA. The grant and cooperative agreement award recipient will be notified approximately 15 days prior to the end of the period of performance that the closeout process will begin when the period of performance ends. See ETA's <u>Grant Closeout</u> webpage for further information on the closeout process. The recipient's responsibilities at closeout may be found at 2 CFR 200.344. During the closeout process, the award recipient must be able to provide documentation for all direct and indirect costs that are incurred. For instance, if an organization is claiming indirect costs, the required documentation is a NICRA or CAP issued by the award recipient's FCA. For those approved to utilize a de minimis rate for indirect costs, the grant agreement or cooperative agreement is sufficient documentation. Not having documentation for direct or indirect costs will result in costs being disallowed and subject to debt collection.

The only liquidation that can occur during closeout is the liquidation of accrued expenditures (NOT obligations) for goods and/or services received during the period of performance

specified in this award (NOA) (2 CFR 2900.15).

Part F: National Policy and Restrictions

F.1 Architectural Barriers

The Architectural Barriers Act of 1968, 42 U.S.C. 4151 et seq., as amended, the Federal Property Management Regulations (see 41 CFR 102-76), and the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards issued by the U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) (see 36 CFR 1191, Appendixes C and D) set forth requirements to make facilities accessible to, and usable by, the physically handicapped and include minimum design standards. All new facilities designed or constructed with grant support must comply with these requirements.

F.2 Domestic Preferences for Procurements

As appropriate and to the extent consistent with law, the non-Federal entity should, to the greatest extent practicable under a Federal award, provide a preference for the purchase, acquisition, or use of goods, products, or materials produced in the United States (including but not limited to iron, aluminum, steel, cement, and other manufactured products). The requirements of 2 CFR Part 200.322 must be included in all subawards including all contracts and purchase orders for work or products under this award.

F.3 Drug-Free Workplace

The Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, 41 U.S.C. 702 et seq., and 2 CFR 182 require that all award recipients receiving awards from any Federal agency maintain a drug-free workplace. The award recipient must notify the awarding office if an employee of the recipient is convicted of violating a criminal drug statute. Failure to comply with these requirements may be cause for suspension or debarment.

F.4 Flood Insurance

The Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 4001 *et seq.*, provides that no Federal financial assistance to acquire, modernize, or construct property may be provided in communities in the United States identified as flood-prone, unless the community participates in the National Flood Insurance Program and flood insurance is purchased within 1 year of the identification. The flood insurance purchase requirement applies to both public and private applicants for the DOL support. Lists of flood-prone areas that are eligible for flood insurance are published in the Federal Register by FEMA.

F.5 Intellectual Property Rights

The Federal Government reserves a paid-up, nonexclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use for federal purposes: the copyright in all products developed under the grant, including a subgrant or contract under the grant or subgrant; and any rights of copyright to which the grant award recipient, subrecipient or a contractor purchases ownership under an award (including but not limited to curricula, training models, technical assistance products, and any related materials). Such uses include, but are not limited to, the right to modify and distribute such products worldwide by any means, electronically or otherwise.

Federal funds may not be used to pay any royalty or license fee for use of a copyrighted work, or the cost of acquiring by purchase a copyright in a work, where the DOL/ETA has a license or rights of free use in such work, although they may be used to pay costs for obtaining a copy which is limited to the developer/seller costs of copying and shipping.

If revenues are generated by selling products developed with grant funds, including intellectual property, these revenues are considered as program income. Program income must be used in accordance with the provisions of this grant award and 2 CFR 200.307.

The following language must be on all workforce products developed in whole or in part with grant funds:

"This workforce product was funded by a grant awarded by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL)'s Employment and Training Administration. The product was created by the recipient and does not necessarily reflect the official position of DOL/ETA. DOL/ETA makes no guarantees, warranties, or assurances of any kind, express or implied, with respect to such information, including any information on linked sites and including, but not limited to, accuracy of the information or its completeness, timeliness, usefulness, adequacy, continued availability, or ownership. This product is copyrighted by the institution that created it."

F.6 Participant Minimum Age

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title I, Section 104, funds made available under section 414(c) of the American Competitiveness and Workforce Improvement Act of 1998 (29 U.S.C. 3224a) must only be used for training individuals and for the related activities necessary to support such training. This training must be in the occupations and industries for which employers are using H-1B visas to hire foreign workers, and it must be provided only to individuals who are older than 16 years of age and who are not currently enrolled in a school within a local educational agency.

F.7 Promoting Equitable Delivery of Government Benefits and Equal Opportunity

The Department of Labor (Labor) seeks to affirmatively advance equity, civil rights and equal opportunity in the policies, programs, and services it provides. Therefore, consistent with Executive Order 13985, Advancing Racial Equity and Support for Underserved Communities Through the Federal Government, grant and cooperative award recipients must execute the terms and conditions of their award in a manner that advances equity for all, including people of color and others who have been historically underserved, marginalized, and adversely affected by persistent poverty and inequality. This extends to all award activities including, but not limited to, service delivery, selection of subrecipients and contractors, and procurement of goods and services. Government programs are designed to serve all eligible individuals. As an expectation, Labor's award recipients should make the goods and services they provide widely available with the goal of effectively serving a diverse population of eligible individuals; fairly, justly, and impartially in administering the grant award. Award recipients are encouraged to engage in contracting and subcontracting

for goods and services related to performing the terms and conditions of their grants in such a way to achieve equity.

The term "equity" means the consistent and systematic fair, just, and impartial treatment of all individuals, including individuals who belong to underserved communities that have been denied such treatment, such as Black, Latino, and Indigenous and Native American persons, Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders and other persons of color; members of religious minorities; lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ+) persons; persons with disabilities; persons who live in rural areas; and persons otherwise adversely affected by persistent poverty or inequality.

The term "underserved communities" refers to populations sharing a particular characteristic, as well as geographic communities, that have been systematically denied a full opportunity to participate in aspects of economic, social, and civic life, as exemplified by the list in the preceding definition of "equity."

F.8 Personally Identifiable Information

The award recipient(s) must recognize and safeguard Personally Identifiable Information (PII) except where disclosure is allowed by prior written approval of the Grant Officer or by court order. Award recipients must meet the requirements in <u>TEGL No. 39-11</u>, <u>Guidance on the Handling and Protection of PII</u>.

F.9 Publicity

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title V, Section 503, the award recipient is not authorized to use any funds provided under this award—other than for normal and recognized executive—legislative relationships—for publicity or propaganda purposes, for the preparation, distribution or use of any kit, pamphlet, booklet, publication, electronic communication, radio, television, or video presentation, designed to support or defeat legislation pending before the Congress or any state or local legislature or legislative body, except in presentation to the Congress or any state or local legislature itself, or designed to support or defeat any proposed or pending regulation, administrative action, or order issued by the executive branch of any state or local government, except in presentation to the executive branch of any state or local government itself.

F.10 Telecommunications Prohibition

Award recipients must adhere to 2 CFR 200.216 - Prohibition on certain telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment (effective August 13, 2020).

Award recipients, including grant and cooperative agreements, and subrecipients are prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to:

Procure or obtain:

Extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain; or

Enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system. As described in Public Law 115-232, section 889, covered telecommunications

equipment is telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).

For the purpose of public safety, security of government facilities, physical security surveillance of critical infrastructure, and other national security purposes, video surveillance and telecommunications equipment produced by Hytera Communications Corporation, Hangzhou Hikvision Digital Technology Company, or Dahua Technology Company (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities). Including telecommunications or video surveillance services provided by such entities or using such equipment and telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services produced or provided by an entity that the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Director of the National Intelligence or the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reasonably believes to be an entity owned or controlled by, or otherwise connected to, the government of a covered foreign country.

In implementing the prohibition under Public Law 115-232, section 889, subsection (f), paragraph (1), heads of executive agencies administering loan, grant, or subsidy programs shall prioritize available funding and technical support to assist affected businesses, institutions and organizations as is reasonably necessary for those affected entities to transition from covered communications equipment and services, to procure replacement equipment and services, and to ensure that communications service to users and customers is sustained. See Public Law 115-232 (section 889) and 2 CFR 200.471 for additional information.

F.11 Veterans' Priority Provisions

The Jobs for Veterans Act (Public Law 107-288) requires award recipients to provide priority service to veterans and spouses of certain veterans for the receipt of employment, training, and placement services in any job training program directly funded, in whole or in part, by the DOL. The regulations implementing this priority of service can be found at 20 CFR Part 1010. In circumstances where an award recipient must choose between two qualified candidates for a service, one of whom is a veteran or eligible spouse, the veterans' priority of service provisions require that the award recipient give the veteran or eligible spouse priority of service by first providing him or her that service. To obtain priority of service, a veteran or spouse must meet the program's eligibility requirements. Award recipients must comply with the DOL guidance on veterans' priority. ETA's <u>TEGL No. 10-09</u> (issued November 10, 2009) provides guidance on implementing priority of service for veterans and eligible spouses in all qualified job training programs funded in whole or in part by DOL.

F.12 Waste, Fraud and Abuse

No entity receiving federal funds may require employees or contractors of such entity seeking to report fraud, waste, or abuse to sign internal confidentiality agreements or statements prohibiting or otherwise restricting such employees or contractors from lawfully reporting such waste, fraud, or abuse to a designated investigative or law enforcement representative of a Federal department or agency authorized to receive such information.

F.13 Whistleblower Protection

All employees working for contractors, grantees/ grant recipients, subcontractors, subgrantees/ subrecipients, and recipients of cooperative agreements working on this Federal award are subject to the whistleblower rights and remedies established at 41 U.S.C. 4712. The award recipient shall inform its employees and applicable contractors and subrecipients, in writing, in the predominant language of the workforce, of employee whistleblower rights and protections under 41 U.S.C. 4712, as described in section 3.908 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation. The award recipient shall insert the substance of this clause in all subawards and contracts over the Simplified Acquisition Threshold.

F.14 Executive Order 12928 - Historically Black Colleges and Universities and other Minority Institutions such as Hispanic-Serving Institutions and Tribal Colleges and Universities

Pursuant to Executive Order (EO) 12928, the award recipient is strongly encouraged to provide subcontracting/subgranting opportunities to Historically Black Colleges and Universities and other Minority Institutions such as Hispanic-Serving Institutions and Tribal Colleges and Universities; and to Small Businesses Owned and Controlled by Socially and Economically Disadvantaged Individuals.

F.15 Executive Order 13043 - Increasing Seat Belt Use

Pursuant to EO 13043, Increasing Seat Belt Use in the United States, dated April 16, 1997, the award recipients are encouraged to adopt and enforce on-the-job seat belt policies and programs for their employees when operating company-owned, rented, or personally owned vehicles.

F.16 Executive Order 13166 - Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency

As clarified by EO 13166, Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency, dated August 11, 2000, and resulting agency guidance, national origin discrimination includes discrimination on the basis of limited English proficiency (LEP). To ensure compliance with Title VI, award recipients must take reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to programs in accordance with DOL's Policy Guidance on the Prohibition of National Origin Discrimination as it Affects Persons with Limited English Proficiency, 68 FR 32289 (May 29, 2003). Meaningful access may entail providing language assistance services, including oral and written translation, where necessary. Award recipients are encouraged to consider the need for language services for LEP persons served or encountered both in developing budgets and in conducting programs and activities. For assistance and information regarding your LEP obligations, go to LEP.gov.

F.17 Executive Order 13513 - Federal Leadership On Reducing Text Messaging While Driving

Pursuant to EO 13513, Federal Leadership On Reducing Text Messaging While Driving, dated October 1, 2009, award recipients and subrecipients are encouraged to adopt and enforce policies that ban text messaging while driving company-owned or -rented vehicles or

government-owned vehicles (GOV), or while driving privately-owned vehicles (POV) when on official Government business or when performing any work for or on behalf of the Government. Award recipients and subrecipients are also encouraged to conduct initiatives of the type described in section 3(a) of this order.

F.18 Executive Order 14005 - Ensuring the Future Is Made in All of America by All of America's Workers

Pursuant to EO 14005, Ensuring the Future Is Made in All of America by All of America's Workers, the award recipient agrees to comply with all applicable Made in America Laws (as defined in the EO), including the Buy American Act at 41 USC sections 8301-8305. For the purposes of this award, the grant and cooperative award recipient is required to maximize the use of goods, products, and materials produced in, and services offered in, the United States, in accordance with the Made in America Laws. No funds may be made available to any person or entity (including as a contractor or subrecipient of the award recipient) that has been found to be in violation of any Made in America Laws.

"Made in America Laws" means all statutes, regulations, rules, and Executive Orders relating to Federal financial assistance awards or Federal procurement, including those that refer to "Buy America" or "Buy American," that require, or provide a preference for, the purchase or acquisition of goods, products, or materials produced in the United States, including iron, steel, and manufactured goods offered in the United States. Made in America Laws include laws requiring domestic preference for maritime transport, including the Merchant Marine Act of 1920 (Public Law 66-261), also known as the Jones Act.

F.19 Salary and Bonus Limitations

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title I, Section 105, award recipients and subrecipients shall not use funds to pay the salary and bonuses of an individual, either as direct costs or as indirect costs, at a rate in excess of Executive Level II. The Executive Level II salary may

change yearly and is located on the <u>OPM.gov</u> website. The salary and bonus limitation does not apply to contractors (vendors) providing goods and services as defined in 2 CFR 200.331. Where States are recipients of such funds, States may establish a lower limit for salaries and bonuses of those receiving salaries and bonuses from subrecipients, taking into account factors including the relative cost-of-living in the State, the compensation levels for comparable State or local government employees, and the size of the organizations that administer Federal programs involved including ETA programs. See <u>TEGL 5-06</u> for further clarification.

Part G: National Prohibitions and Other Restrictions

G.1Contracting with Corporations with Felony Criminal Convictions Prohibited

The award recipient may not knowingly enter into a contract, memorandum of understanding, or cooperative agreement with, make a grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee to, any corporation that was convicted of a felony criminal violation under any Federal law within the preceding 24 months.

G.2 Contracting with Corporations with Unpaid Tax Liabilities Prohibited

The award recipient may not knowingly enter into a contract, memorandum of understanding, or cooperative agreement with, make a grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee to, any corporation that has any unpaid Federal tax liability that has been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agreement with the authority responsible for collecting the tax liability.

G.3 Trafficking in Persons Prohibited

- 1. This part establishes a government-wide award term for grants and cooperative agreements to implement the requirement in regard to Trafficking in persons.
 - a. Provisions applicable to a recipient that is a private entity.
 - I. The award recipient, the award recipient's employees, subrecipients under this award, and subrecipients' employees may not—
 - (A). Engage in severe forms of trafficking in persons during the period of time that the grant award is in effect; or
 - (B). Procure a commercial sex act during the period of time that the award is in effect; or
 - (C). Use forced labor in the performance of the award or subawards under the award.
 - II. DOL/ETA as the Federal awarding agency may unilaterally terminate this award, without penalty, if the award recipient or a subrecipient that is a private entity
 - (A). Is determined to have violated a prohibition in paragraph a.I of this award term; or
 - (B). Has an employee who is determined by the agency official authorized to terminate the award to have violated a prohibition in paragraph a.I of this award term through conduct that is either
 - i. Associated with performance under this award; or
 - ii. Imputed to you or the subrecipient using the standards and due process for imputing the conduct of an individual to an organization that are provided in 2 CFR Part 180, "OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement)," as implemented by our agency at 2 CFR Part 2998.
 - b. Provision applicable to a recipient other than a private entity. DOL/ETA as the Federal awarding agency may unilaterally terminate this award, without penalty, if a subrecipient that is a private entity—
 - I. Is determined to have violated an applicable prohibition in paragraph a.I of this grant award term; or
 - II. Has an employee who is determined by the agency official authorized to terminate the award to have violated an applicable prohibition in paragraph a.I of this grant award term through conduct that is either—
 - (A). Associated with performance under this award; or
 - (B). Imputed to the subrecipient using the standards and due

process for imputing the conduct of an individual to an organization that are provided in 2 CFR part 180, "OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement)," as implemented by our agency at 29 CFR Part 98.

- c. Provisions applicable to any recipient.
 - I. The award recipient must inform DOL/ETA immediately of any information the award recipient receives from any source alleging a violation of a prohibition in paragraph a.1 of this grant award term.

 II. DOL/ETA right to terminate unilaterally that is described in paragraph a.II or b of this section:
 - (A). Implements section 106(g) of the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 (TVPA), as amended (22 U.S.C. 7104(g)), and
 - (B). Is in addition to all other remedies for noncompliance that are available to DOL/ETA under this grant award.
 - III. The award recipient must include the requirements of paragraph a.I of this award term in any subaward the award recipient make to a private entity.
- d. Definitions. For purposes of this award term:
 - I. "Employee" means either:
 - (A). An individual employed by the grant award recipient or a subrecipient who is engaged in the performance of the project or program under this award; or
 - (B). Another person engaged in the performance of the project or program under this grant award and not compensated by the grant recipient including, but not limited to, a volunteer or individual whose services are contributed by a third party as an in-kind contribution toward cost sharing or matching requirements.
 - II. "Forced labor" means labor obtained by any of the following methods: the recruitment, harboring, transportation, provision, or obtaining of a person for labor or services, through the use of force, fraud, or coercion for the purpose of subjection to involuntary servitude, peonage, debt bondage, or slavery.
 - III. "Private entity":
 - (A). Means any entity other than a State, local government, Indian tribe, or foreign public entity, as those terms are defined in 2 CFR 175.25.
 - (B). Includes:
 - i. A nonprofit organization, including any nonprofit institution of higher education, hospital, or tribal organization other than one included in the definition of Indian tribe at 2 CFR 175.25(b).
 - ii. A for-profit organization.
 - IV. "Severe forms of trafficking in persons," "commercial sex act," and "coercion" have the meanings given at section 103 of the TVPA, as amended (22 U.S.C. 7102).

G.4 Health Benefits Coverage for Contraceptives

Federal funds may not be used to enter in to or renew a contract which includes a provision for prescription drug coverage unless the contract also includes a provision for contraceptive coverage. This requirement does not apply to contracts with 1) the religious plans Personal Care's HMO and OSF Health Plans, Inc. and 2) any existing or future plan if the carrier for the plan objects to such coverage on the basis of religious beliefs.

In implementing this section, any plan that enters into or renews a contract may not subject any individual to discrimination on the basis that the individual refuses to prescribe or otherwise provide for contraceptives because such activities would be contrary to the individuals' religious beliefs or moral convictions. Nothing in this term shall be construed to require coverage of abortion or abortion related services.

G.5 Health Benefits Coverage for Abortions Restricted

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title V, Section 506 and 507, Federal funds may not be expended for health benefits coverage that includes coverage of abortions, except when the pregnancy is the result of rape or incest, or in the case where a woman suffers from a physical disorder, physical injury, or physical illness, including a life-endangering physical condition caused by or arising from the pregnancy itself that would, as certified by a physician, place the women in danger of death unless an abortion is performed. This restriction does not prohibit any non-Federal entity from providing health benefits coverage for abortions when all funds for that specific benefit do not come from a Federal source. Additionally, no funds made available through this grant award may be provided to a State or local government if such government subjects any institutional or individual health care entity to discrimination on the basis that the health care entity does not provide, pay for, provide coverage of, or refer for abortions.

G.6 Fair Labor Standards Act Amendment for Major Disasters

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title I, Section 108, the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (FLSA) will apply as if the following language was added to Section 7 (the Maximum Hours Worked Section). This language specifically relates to occurrences of a major disaster (as declared or designated by the state or federal government) and are applied for a period of two years afterwards. The language is as follows:

- "(s)(1) The provisions of this section [maximum hours worked] shall not apply for a period of 2 years after the occurrence of a major disaster to any employee—
 (A) employed to adjust or evaluate claims resulting from or relating to such major disaster, by an employer not engaged, directly or through an affiliate, in underwriting, selling, or marketing property, casualty, or liability insurance policies or contracts;
 (B) who receives from such employer on average weekly compensation of not less than \$591.00 per week or any minimum weekly amount established by the Secretary, whichever is greater, for the number of weeks such employee is engaged in any of the activities described in subparagraph (C); and (C) whose duties include any of the following:
- (i) interviewing insured individuals, individuals who suffered injuries or other damages or losses arising from or relating to a disaster, witnesses, or physicians;
- (ii) inspecting property damage or reviewing factual information to prepare damage

estimates;

- (iii) evaluating and making recommendations regarding coverage or compensability of claims or determining liability or value aspects of claims;
- (iv) negotiating settlements; or
- (v) making recommendations regarding litigation.
- (2) The exemption in this subsection shall not affect the exemption provided by section 13(a)(1) [of the FLSA].
- (3) For purposes of this subsection—
- (A) the term 'major disaster' means any disaster or catastrophe declared or designated by any State or Federal agency or department;
- (B) the term 'employee employed to adjust or evaluate claims resulting from or relating to such major disaster' means an individual who timely secured or secures a license required by applicable law to engage in and perform the activities described in clauses (i) through (v) of paragraph (1)(C) relating to a major disaster, and is employed by an employer that maintains worker compensation insurance coverage or protection for its employees, if required by applicable law, and withholds applicable Federal, State, and local income and payroll taxes from the wages, salaries and any benefits of such employees; and
- (C) the term 'affiliate' means a company that, by reason of ownership or control of 25% or more of the outstanding shares of any class of voting securities of one or more companies, directly or indirectly, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, another company."

G.7 Lobbying/Advocacy Restricted

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title V, Section 503, no federal funds may be used to pay the salary or expenses of any grant recipient, or agent acting for such recipient, related to any activity designed to influence the enactment of legislation, appropriations, regulation, administrative action, or executive order proposed or pending before the Congress or any state government, state legislature or local legislature or legislative body, other than for normal and recognized executive—legislative relationships or participation by an agency or officer of a state, local or tribal government in policymaking and administrative processes within the executive branch of that government.

G.8 Blocking Pornography Required

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title V, Section 520, no Federal funds may be used to maintain or establish a computer network unless such network blocks the viewing, downloading, and exchanging of pornography.

G.9 Privacy Act

No funds can be used in contravention of 5 U.S.C. 552a (the Privacy Act) or regulations implementing the Privacy Act.

G.10 Procuring Goods Obtained Through Child Labor Prohibited

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title I, Section 103, no Federal funds may be obligated or expended for the procurement of goods mined, produced, manufactured, or harvested or services rendered, in whole or in part, by forced or indentured child labor in

industries and host countries identified by the DOL prior to December 20, 2019. DOL has identified these goods and services at ILAB's <u>List of Products Produced by Forced or Indentured Child Labor</u> webpage.

G.11 Promotion of Drug Legalization Restricted

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title V, Section 509, no Federal funds shall be used for any activity that promotes the legalization of any drug or other substance included in Schedule I of the schedules of controlled substances established under Section 202 of the Controlled Substances Act except for normal and recognized executive-congressional communications or where there is significant medical evidence of a therapeutic advantage to the use of such drug or other substance or that federally sponsored clinical trials are being conducted to determine therapeutic advantage.

G.12 Public Communications – Certain Information Requirement

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title V, Section 505, when issuing statements, press releases, requests for proposals, bid solicitations and other documents describing projects or programs funded in whole or in part with Federal money, all non-Federal entities receiving Federal funds shall clearly state:

- 1. The percentage of the total costs of the program or project which will be financed with Federal money;
- 2. The dollar amount of Federal funds for the project or program; and
- 3. The percentage and dollar amount of the total costs of the project or program that will be financed by non-governmental sources.

The requirements of this term are separate from those in 2 CFR Part 200 and, when applicable, both must be complied with.

G.13 Purchase of Sterile Needles or Syringes Restricted

Pursuant to P.L. 117-103, Division H, Title V, Section 526, no Federal funds shall be used to purchase sterile needles or syringes for the hypodermic injection of any illegal drug.

Part H: Attachments

H.1 Attachment A: SF-424

H.2 Attachment B: SF-424A

H.3 Attachment C: FY 2022 RESEA State Plan

H.4 Attachment D: Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement

Attachment A: SF-424

OMB Number: 4040-0004 Expiration Date: 12/31/2022

Application for	Federal Assista	ınce SF	-424		
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6. Date Received by	State:		7. State Application	Iden	ntifier:
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* a. Legal Name: F	lorida Departm	ent of	Economic Oppor	tun	nity
* b. Employer/Taxpay	yer Identification Nur	mber (EIN	J/TIN):	* (c. Organizational DUNS:
36-4706134				9	9689306640000
d. Address:				<u> </u>	
* Street1:	107 East Madi	son St	reet		
Street2:	MSC 85, Caldw	ell Bu	ilding		
* City:	Tallahassee				
County/Parish:					
* State:	FL: Florida				
Province:					
* Country:	USA: UNITED S	TATES			
* Zip / Postal Code:	32399-4130				
e. Organizational U	Jnit:				
Department Name:				D	Division Name:
Finance and Ad	ministration			F	Financial Management
f. Name and contac	ct information of p	erson to	be contacted on ma	atter	rs involving this application:
Prefix: Mrs	5.		* First Name	э:	Keantha
Middle Name:					
* Last Name: Moore					
Suffix:					
Title: Deputy Chi	ief, One-Stop	& Prog	ram Support		
Organizational Affiliation:					
Florida Department of Economic Opportunity					
* Telephone Number	* Telephone Number: (850) 245-7413 Fax Number:				
* Email: keantha.	.moore@deo.myf	lorida	.com		

Application for Federal Assistance SF-424
* 9. Type of Applicant 1: Select Applicant Type:
A: State Government
Type of Applicant 2: Select Applicant Type:
Type of Applicant 3: Select Applicant Type:
* Other (specify):
* 10. Name of Federal Agency:
Employment and Training Administration
11. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number:
17.225
CFDA Title:
Unemployment Insurance
* 12. Funding Opportunity Number:
ETA-RESEA-UIPL-10-22-2022
* Title:
Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Funding Allotments and Operating Guidance for Unemployment Insurance (UI) Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) Grants
13. Competition Identification Number:
ETA-RESEA-UIPL-10-22-2022
Title:
Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Funding Allotments and Operating Guidance for Unemployment Insurance (UI) Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) Grants
14. Areas Affected by Project (Cities, Counties, States, etc.):
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* 15. Descriptive Title of Applicant's Project:
Florida - RESEA FY2022 Funds
Attach supporting documents as specified in agency instructions.
Add Attachments Delete Attachments View Attachments

Application for Federal Assistance SF-424	
16. Congressional Districts Of:	
* a. Applicant FL * b. Program/Project FL	
Attach an additional list of Program/Project Congressional Districts if needed.	
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17. Proposed Project:	
* a. Start Date: 01/01/2022 * b. End Date: 09/30/2023	
18. Estimated Funding (\$):	
* a. Federal 9 , 043 , 040 . 00	
* b. Applicant 0.00	
* c. State 0 . 00	
* d. Local 0 . 0 0	
* e. Other 0 . 00	
* f. Program Income 0.00	
* g. TOTAL 9,043,040.00	
* 19. Is Application Subject to Review By State Under Executive Order 12372 Process?	
a. This application was made available to the State under the Executive Order 12372 Process for review on	
b. Program is subject to E.O. 12372 but has not been selected by the State for review.	
c. Program is not covered by E.O. 12372.	
* 20. Is the Applicant Delinquent On Any Federal Debt? (If "Yes," provide explanation in attachment.)	
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☐ Yes ☐ No	
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Attachment B: SF-424A

BUDGET INFORMATION - Non-Construction Programs

OMB Number: 4040-0006 Expiration Date: 02/28/2022

SECTION A - BUDGET SUMMARY

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	Grant Program Function or	Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance	Estimated Unobl	ligated Funds	New or Revised Budget				
Activity (a)		Number (b)	Federal Non-Federal (c) (d)		Federal (e)	Non-Federal (f)	Total (g)		
	Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) Program		\$	\$	\$ 9,043,040.00	\$	\$ 9,043,040.00		
2.									
3.									
4.									
5.	Totals		\$	\$	\$ 9,043,040.00	\$	\$ 9,043,040.00		

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SECTION B - BUDGET CATEGORIES

	SECTIO	N B - BUDGET CATEGO			
6. Object Class Categories		GRANT PROGRAM,	FUNCTION OR ACTIVITY	Les	Total
	Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) Program				(5)
a. Personnel	\$ 239,700.00	\$	\$	\$	\$ 239,700.00
b. Fringe Benefits	91,088.00				91,088.00
c. Travel	2,000.00				2,000.00
d. Equipment	0.00				0.00
e. Supplies	2,100.00				2,100.00
f. Contractual	8,598,156.00				8,598,156.00
g. Construction	0.00				0.00
h. Other	28,415.00				28,415.00
i. Total Direct Charges (sum of 6a-6h)	8,961,459.00				\$ 8,961,459.00
j. Indirect Charges	81,581.00				\$ 81,581.00
k. TOTALS (sum of 6i and 6j)	\$ 9,043,040.00	\$	\$	\$	\$ 9,043,040.00
7. Program Income	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

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	SECTION C - NON-FEDERAL RESOURCES									
(a) Grant Program				(b) Applicant		(c) State	(d) Other Sources			(e)TOTALS
8.	Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assess	ment (RESEA) Program	\$		\$		\$		\$	
9.										
10.										
11.										
12.	TOTAL (sum of lines 8-11)		\$		\$		\$		\$	
		SECTION	۱D-	FORECASTED CASH	NEE	DS				
		Total for 1st Year	_	1st Quarter	_	2nd Quarter		3rd Quarter		4th Quarter
13.	Federal	\$	\$		\$_		\$		\$	
14.	Non-Federal	\$								
15.	TOTAL (sum of lines 13 and 14)	\$	\$		\$		\$		\$	
	SECTION E - BUD	GET ESTIMATES OF F	FEDERAL FUNDS NEEDED FOR BALANCE OF THE PROJECT							
	(a) Grant Program		FUTURE FUNDING PERIODS (YEARS)							
			_	(b)First		(c) Second	1	(d) Third		(e) Fourth
16.	Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assess	ment (RESEA) Program	\$		\$		\$		\$	
17.]	
18.										
19.	9.]	
20.	TOTAL (sum of lines 16 - 19)		\$		\$[\$		\$	
		SECTION	F - C	THER BUDGET INFOR	MA	TION				
21. Direct Charges:				22. Indirect	Cha	rges: Indirect Rate:	4	12.76% and Jointly Mana	age	d: 4.94%
23.	3. Remarks:									

Attachment C: FY RESEA State Plan

ELEMENTS OF AN UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (UI) REEMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND ELIGIBILITY ASSESSMENT (RESEA) GRANT STATE PLAN

1.	State Name		
2.	Name and Title of the State Agency Administrator		
	Name:	Title:	
	Address:		
3.	RESEA Program Lead/Contact		
The	e Person who can answer questions about the RESEA Pro	posal.	
	Name:	Telephone:	
	Email:		
4.	UI Program Lead/Contact		
	e person who can answer questions about the UI aspects ogram Lead/Contact.	of the RESEA proposal. This person r	may also be the RESEA
	Name:	Telephone:	
	Email:		
5.	Total Funds From prior RESEA Grants Projected to carr	y over	
Ple	ase include expected date for full obligation and expendi	ture of these remaining funds.	
Ob	ligation date – (mm/dd/yy) expected by:		
Exp	penditure date – (mm/dd/yy) expected by:		\$
	(If needed, please use the box be	low to elaborate on expenditures.)	

6.	Total Pro	nosed	RFSFA	Pro	ect	Cost
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The total amount of funds requested in this grant, which may be up to the limit specified in annual RESEA operating guidance.	
\$	
(If needed, please use the box below to elaborate on grant funds.)	
7 Total Sarvice Delivery (Drogram) Cost	
7. Total Service Delivery (Program) Cost	
The total amount of funds requested for staff and resources necessary to conduct the RESEAs excluding administrative and evaluation costs.	;
\$	
(If needed, please use the box below to elaborate on program costs.)	
8. Total Administrative Costs	
The total amount of funds requested for program administrative costs. Please include a breakout of these costs (Note: This entry includes IT costs).	
\$	
(If needed, please use the box below to elaborate on administrative costs.)	
9. Staff and Administrative Costs for a <i>Single</i> Completed Initial RESEA	
Please include narrative describing how amounts were calculated. \$	

(Use the box below to describe amount calculations used.)

10. Completed Initial RESEA Staffing and Time

Complete chart below to provide additional information about how specific required initial RESEA activities are staffed, the average time needed, and estimated costs.

ACTIVITY	STAFF (ES/WIOA/UI/OTHER)	INDIVIDUAL/ GROUP	AVERAGE TIME	STAFF COST PER HOUR
Eligibility Review				
Labor Market Information				
Individual Reemployment Plan				
Providing information and access to American Job Center (AJC) services including career services				
Enrollment in Employment Services				
Providing support with individual reemployment plan.				
Referrals to other services				
Other services provided in addition to required elements.				
TOTALS	(**)			

11. Staff and Administrative Costs for Subsequent RESEA

1	f subseq	iuent RESEAs	are not included	d in program	design, p	lease indicate	"No Subse	quent" in text	t box below.

(If needed, please use the box below to elaborate on Staff and Administrative costs for subsequent RESEAs.)

12. Completed Subsequent RESEA Staffing and Time

Complete the chart below to provide additional information about how specific subsequent RESEA activities are staffed and the average time needed.

ACTIVITY	STAFF (ES/WIOA/UI/OTHER)	INDIVIDUAL/ GROUP	AVERAGE TIME	STAFF COST PER HOUR
Eligibility Review				
Labor Market Information				
Providing support with individual reemployment plan				
Providing information and access to American Job Center (AJC) services including career services				
Referrals to other services				
TOTALS				

13. Projected Time for a Single Initial RESEA, Including Paperwork

In addition to information provided in 12, this entry should represent total time spent preparing for and conducting a single initial RESEA, including preparation, documentation and other related activities.

14. Projected Time for the Subsequent RESEA, Including Paperwork

In addition to information provided in 15, this entry should represent total time spent preparing for and conducting a single subsequent RESEA, including preparation, documentation and other related activities.

15. Projected Costs for a Single RESEA for which the Claimant Fails to Report

The total costs spent scheduling a single RESEA for which the claimant subsequently fails to report and referring the claimant to adjudication for failure to report. This estimate should not include the costs of adjudication, which are separately funded.

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16. Total Number of Initial RESEAs to be Scheduled

The total number of initial RESEAs that will be scheduled including both the RESEAs for which claimants are projected to report and the RESEAs for which claimants are projected to fail to report.

17. Total Number of Subsequent RESEAs to be Scheduled

The total number of subsequent RESEAs that will be scheduled including both the RESEAs for which claimants are projected to report and the RESEAs for which claimants are projected to fail to report. (If the state does not conduct subsequent RESEAs this number will be zero.)

18. Total Number of RESEAs Projected to be Completed

The total number of RESEAs the state will schedule during the grant period for which the claimant will report and participate in an RESEA. Please include breakout of initial and subsequent, if applicable.

19. Total Number of RESEAs Projected for which the Claimant Will Fail to Report

The total number of RESEAs the state will schedule during the grant period for which the claimant will fail to report and will not participate in an RESEA.

20. Actions Taken to Reduce Number of Claimants Failing to Report.

If the state has taken any actions in the past year and/or plans to carry out any activities under the proposed RESEA program to reduce the number of claimants failing to report, please identify and provide a brief description.

Please select all that apply:

☐ Self-scheduling of appointments (Completion date [actual or projected] mm/yy)	
Automated reminders (text message, e-mail, phone, etc.)	
Restructuring of notifications and other communications (behavioral insights, plain-language, et	c.)
☐ Other	

Insert brief narrative of actions taken or planned:

21. Total number of RESEA Sites

The total number of sites where RESEAs will be conducted. If RESEAs are conducted statewide (at least one location in each Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act [WIOA] workforce development area), please indicate "statewide." If RESEAs are provided at limited sites, list the towns/cities or local workforce development areas where RESEA activities will be conducted. If RESEA is not available statewide, Worker Profiling and Reemployment Services (WPRS) must be provided in areas where RESEA is not available.

Number of sites providing RESEAs:	Number of sites providing WPRS:
List RESEA locations if RESEA activities are not statewide:	
List WRPS locations if RESEA activities are not statewide:	

22. Role of UI Staff

Briefly describe the role played by UI staff in program management. Please note that all eligibility determinations and redeterminations are funded through the regular UI funding for non-monetary determinations and not through the RESEA grant.

Insert description of UI staff roles:

23. Selection of RESEA Participants:

Please describe the state's methodology for selecting claimants to participate in the RESEA program and at what point in the claim series selections are made. If a profiling or statistical model is used please describe the model including factors used and when the model was last updated. UI claimants who have a definite return-to-work date; claimants who secure work only through a union hiring hall; and claimants who are in approved training should be excluded from the RESEA program.

Insert description of how claimants are selected:

24. Proper Notification

All states participating in the RESEA program must provide both an assurance that, and description of how, individuals selected to participate in RESEA will receive proper notifications regarding the program's eligibility conditions, requirements, and benefits. Proper notifications must be in clear and simple language and include warnings to ensure selected individuals are fully aware of the consequences of noncompliance with the state's policies related to non-attendance and/or nonfulfillment of UI work search requirements. (Section 306(e)(1)(A)(i), Social Security Act (SSA)).

attendance and/or nonfulfillment of UI work search requirements. (Section 306(e)(1)(A)(i), Social Security Act (SSA)).
Do you assure that proper notification as described in Element (28) will be provided?
☐ Yes / ☐ No
Insert description of notification process and attach template used for notifications.
25. Reasonable Scheduling Accommodations
To maximize participation in the RESEA program, the state must provide assurance that, and a description of how reasonable scheduling accommodations are made available to individuals selected for RESEA (Section 306(e)(1)(A)(ii), SSA).
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reasonable scheduling accommodations are made available to individuals selected for RESEA (Section 306(e)(1)(A)(ii), SSA). Do you assure that reasonable scheduling accommodations are available to RESEA participants?

26. UI Feedback Loop and Adjudication.

Once selected for an initial or subsequent RESEA, claimants are required to participate in all components of the RESEA. Failure to report or participate in any aspect of the RESEA must result in referral to the UI agency for adjudication under the applicable state law. States must include a description of the UI feedback loop and adjudication process.

Insert a brief description regarding the feedback loop from the RESEA provider to the UI system on whether the claimants reported and participated in required activities as directed.

Insert a brief description of the feedback loop established to refer any UI eligibility issues identified during the RESEA for adjudication.

27. Activities Supporting RESEA's Statutory Purposes

Each state must provide assurance that, and description of how, the planned RESEA program will conform to the four statuary purposes identified below (Section 306(e)(1)(B), SSA).

27(a) Purpose 1:

To improve employment outcomes of individuals that receive unemployment compensation and to reduce the average

duration of receipt of such compensation through unemployment.
Do you assure that the proposed RESEA program design and planned activities conform to purpose 1 as described in Element 27(a)?
☐ Yes / ☐ No
Insert brief description of specific RESEA program elements and/or activities that support this purpose.
27(b) Purpose 2:
To strengthen program integrity and reduced improper payments of unemployment compensation by states through the detection and prevention of such payments to individuals who are not eligible for such compensation.
Do you assure that the proposed RESEA program design and planned activities are conform to purpose 2 as described in Element 27(b)?
☐ Yes / ☐ No
Insert brief description of specific RESEA program elements and/or activities that support this purpose.

27(c) Purpose 3:

To promote alignment with the broader vision of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) (29 U.S.C. 3101 et seq.) of increased program integration and service delivery for job seekers, including claimants for unemployment compensation. (Note: Additional information about the vision of WIOA is provided in Training and Employment Guidance Letter No. 19-14, Vision for the Workforce System and Initial Implementation of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act and additional information specific State UI programs is provided in Unemployment Insurance Program Letter 14-18).

28. Evidence-based Standards and Evaluation Requirements

Each state must provide assurances and a description of how the state's RESEA program will satisfy the requirement to use grant funds only for interventions and service delivery strategies designed to reduce the number of weeks for which program participants receive unemployment compensation by improving employment outcomes for participants, including employment and earnings. States implementing RESEA interventions or service delivery strategies without a high or moderate causal rating must be under evaluation at the time of use. (Section 306(e)(1)(B), SSA).

Thigh of moderate causal rating must be under evaluation at the time of use. (Section 500(e)(1)(b), 55A).
28(a):
Do you assure that the state's RESEA program will satisfy the requirement to use grant funds only for interventions and service delivery strategies designed to reduce the number of weeks for which program participants receive unemployment compensation by improving employment outcomes for participants, including employment and earnings?
☐ Yes / ☐ No
Insert description of the evidence-based interventions and service delivery strategies the State plans to use to speed reemployment, including specific references to the evidence relied upon.
Insert an explanation of how such interventions and service delivery strategies are appropriate to the population served.
28(b):
Do you assure that the RESEA interventions or service delivery strategies used to implement the program without a high or moderate causal rating are under evaluation at the time of use?
☐ Yes / ☐ No
Insert, if applicable, a description of the evaluation structure the State plans to use for interventions and service delivery strategies without at least a moderate or high causal evidence rating, which may include national evaluations conducted by the U.S. Department of Labor or by other entities.

28(c):

Total funds that will be set-aside to conduct or cause to be conducted evaluations of interventions used in carrying out the RESEA Program. This amount is limited to 10 percent of grant award (Section 306(d)(2), SSA).

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28(d):

Insert a description of any reemployment activities and evaluations of reemployment interventions and service delivery strategies conducted in the prior fiscal year and any data collected on:

- 1. Characteristics of program participants;
- 2. Number of weeks for which program participants receive unemployment compensation; and
- **3.** Employment and other outcomes for program participants consistent with State performance accountability measures provided by the State unemployment compensation program and performance outcome measures as defined in section 116(b) of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (29 U.S.C. 3141(b))

29. Planned Supplemental Activities if Additional Funding is Available-Participants Serve	29.	Planned Supp	olemental Activities	if Additional Funding	is Available-Partici	pants Served
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If the State has capacity and need for funding beyond the provided funding level, please provide:

1.	The amount of additional funds requested;	15
2.	The number of additional sites, if any that would be served using the increased funds	W
3.	The estimated number of additional scheduled and completed RESEAs that	
	would be conducted.	

30. Planned Supplemental Activities if Additional Funding is Available-Innovation

Please describe, if applicable, any system improvements or innovative service delivery models your state would pursue if additional funds became available. Please include both a description of the activities and an estimate of additional funds needed.

Insert description of funding needed, activities that would be completed, and projected impact on program, such as improved no-show rates, additional participants served, improvements to system integrity.

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BUDGET NARRATIVE

GRANTEE ADMINISTRATION					
* Indirect Rate 42.76% of Total Personnel + fringe benefits				81,581.00	
TOTAL GRANTEE ADMINISTRATION					
GRANTEE PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND OVERSIGHT					
Personnel	FTE	Cost Per Hour	# Hrs	Total	
RESEA Project Manager	1 staff @ .50 FTE	50.00	1,500.00	75,000.00	
RESEA Systems and Data Project Staff	1 staff @ .05 FTE	50.00	500.00	25,000.00	
RA Program Manager	1 staff @ .07 FTE	50.00	500.00	25,000.00	
Jointly Managed DEO Staff Located in 4 LWDBs		31.00	3,700.00	114,700.00	
Total Personnel				239,700.00	
	Total Personnel Cost				
Fringe Benefits	During Period		Fringe Rate	Total	
RESEA Project Manager	75,000.00		38%	28,500.00	
RESEA Systems and Data Project Staff	25,000.00		38%	9,501.00	
RA Program Manager	25,000.00		38%	9,501.00	
Jointly Managed DEO Staff Located in 4 LWDBs	114,700.00		38%	43,586.00	
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Total Fringe benefits @ 38% personnel (FICA, WC, Retired	ment, Health)			91,088.00	
Travel 2.5 trips for 2 Staff members to provide Technical Ass	istance or Monitoring act	ivities:		2,000.00	
Hotel Stay - 2 night @ \$125 per night * 2 staff mem	bers		1,250.00		
Meals - \$120 per person * 2 staff members	600.00				
Rental Car, Tolls, Parking and Gas - \$75 a trip					
Staff Supplies \$100/month - General Office consumables and Supplies, including but not limited to office supplies,					
cell phones, tablets & hot spots and software licenses:				2,100.00	
Office Supplies (\$50/month)			1,050.00		
Cell Phones (\$50 month)			1,050.00		
Shared Costs					
Shared Agency Overhead Costs (Rent, cost pool allocations f		-		27,415.00	
Risk Management Insurance (Made up of automobile insura					
insurance, and civil rights insurance. The charge is based on	amount of FIEs accruing	grant time and is	not included	4 000 00	
in the Indirect Rate).			_	1,000.00	
Total Shared Costs				28,415.00	
TOTAL GRANTEE PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND OVERSIGHT				363,303.00	
TOTAL GRANTEE COST				363,303.00	
Contractual				4	
Employ Florida				145,136.00	
LWDBs				7,548,716.00	
Evaluations of Interventions Total Contractual				904,304.00	
				8,598,156.00	
TOTAL GRANT				9,043,040.00	

##LOCATION##

Return Service Requested

##CLAIMANTADDRESS##

IMPORTANT NOTICE - RESEA

Please read this important notice carefully and completely as Reemployment Assistance Program benefits may be denied if you do not report for the **Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) Program**. Florida law requires that individuals so identified be referred for the receipt of Reemployment Services. <u>Participation is a condition of eligibility for benefits</u>. This session will last approximately 2 to 3 hours.

Su atención por favor: Si usted no lee ni entiende bien el ingles, por favor consiga a alguien que le traduzca este mensaje: Sus beneficios de compensación por desempleo pueden ser negados si usted deja de asistir a la entrevista

IMPORTANT MANDATORY REQUIREMENT:

When you first filed your unemployment claim, a minimal profile was created for you in Employ Florida, the State of Florida's official job search system. If you have not already completed a full registration in EF you must sign into EF at www.employflorida.com to complete the registration in order to maintain Reemployment Services and Assistance eligibility.

Please report on: ##DATE## at ##TIME## ##LOCATION##

Please attend your appointment 10 minutes early unless your appointment is at 8am. Do not bring children, relatives, or friends. If you need to change your appointment date or time please call CareerSource at:------

General Information

Reschedule

If you need to change your appointment date or time due to a conflict, please call CareerSource at:------ to determine if the RESEA Interview can be rescheduled. Scheduling is based on availability within the office assigned.

Re-employment Services

Orientation: An informational session lasting approximately one hour to explain the availability and benefit of re-employment services.

Assessment Interview: An analysis of your strengths and weaknesses relative to finding employment based on your educational level, work history and vocational skills.

Labor Market Information: Information provided relative to jobs in demand and other labor market information based on your job experiences, skills and interests.

Testing: Interest and/or vocational testing may be used to determine employment strategies.

Counseling: Individual or group counseling to assist you in making realistic career choices.

Job Placement Services and Referrals to Employers: Services to match job seekers with employers by providing information regarding job openings and customized job development.

Education and Training: Referral to educational and/or training services.



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ELEMENTS OF AN UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (UI)¹ REEMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND ELIGIBILITY ASSESSMENT (RESEA) GRANT STATE PLAN – FLORIDA: ADDENDUM

Element 7: Total Service Delivery (Program) Costs

Please provide a narrative providing more information about the program costs and how they are broken out across different activities.

Response: Program costs make up 89.1 percent of the \$9,043,040 award amount. When the plan was originally submitted, Reemployment Services and Eligibility Assessment (RESEA) program funding had been allocated to the 20 local workforce development boards (LWDBs) that were operating RESEA at that time. After the plan was submitted, the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO) allocated funding to the four LWDBs that continued to offer Worker Profiling and Reemployment Services (WPRS). Those LWDBs are in the final stages of transitioning to RESEA.

Please note, since RESEA is primarily a staffing grant, DEO does not break out program costs across different activities. The activities are local administration and direct client services.

Element 8: Total Administrative Costs

Please provide more information about how administrative activities for RESEA are funded. The plan only identifies about 1 percent of funding being devoted to admin which seems very low.

Response: The amount of \$81,581 is the RESEA share of indirect costs under DEO's Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement (NICRA), dated November 3, 2021, approved by the U.S. Department of Labor (USDOL). NICRA includes the percentage (42.76 percent) that is applied to the RESEA program. The only administrative costs budgeted to the grant is the RESEA share of DEO's indirect costs allowed under DEO's approved NICRA. The other costs are associated with program expenditures through the LWDBs.

Elements 18 and 19: RESEAs Projected to be Completed and Failures to Report (FTR)

Florida's FTR rate is almost 60% which is a significant increase from previous years. Please provide an explanation for the increase in FTRs and identify if any specific technical assistance is needed.

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¹ Unemployment Insurance is referred to as Reemployment Assistance in Florida.

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Response: Contributing factors reported by some LWDBs for the increased FTR rate from previous years include participants' lack of transportation, especially in rural areas; lack of computer access; the period of time career centers were not fully open to the public; and some RESEA participants gaining employment and forfeiting RESEA participation. The LWDBs continue to evaluate and enhance the use of technology in their service delivery models to increase remote participation.

Though DEO included several strategies to reduce the FTR rate in the State's RESEA Plan, we accept the offer to identify any specific technical assistance needs. DEO requests technical assistance from USDOL regarding best practices that have been proven to reduce the FTR rate in other states.

Element 21: Total Number of RESEA sites:

Please clarify if RESEA is available statewide or limited to certain locations. If limited, please list location where RESEA is available.

Response: As of May 2022, RESEA will be available statewide through all 24 LWDBs. Four LWDBs are in the final stages of transitioning to RESEA from WPRS.

Element 22: Role of UI Staff

Please clarify if UI staff are involved in developing and/or reviewing RESEA quarterly reports.

Response: The involvement of the Reemployment Assistance team in developing and/or reviewing RESEA quarterly reports varies according to the requirements of the specific report being submitted. For the Employment and Training Administration (ETA) 9128 – RESEA Workload and ETA 9129 – RESEA Outcomes reports, the DEO Bureau of Reemployment Assistance is involved in the development and review of these reports. The ETA 9178 – Quarterly Narrative Progress Report, Unemployment Insurance Supplemental Budget Request Activities, is developed and reviewed by the DEO Bureau of One-Stop and Program Support, in coordination with the DEO Bureau of Financial Management.

Element 23: Selection of RESEA Participants

Please provide information about when the selection model was last updated and/or plans to update.

Response: Last program year, the RESEA profiling model was evaluated, updated, and tested to better identify claimants who are likely to exhaust their Reemployment Assistance benefits. After

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updating and testing the model, DEO identified opportunities to make additional updates to ensure the model is comprehensive and identifies the appropriate claimants for RESEA services. The updated model continues to be tested and DEO has not finalized the timeline for deploying this new model. In the interim, the current profiling model will continue to be used.

Element 24: Proper Notification

Please confirm if RESEA notifications explain that participation is mandatory and identify consequences for noncompliance.

Response: Yes, RESEA notifications explain that participation is mandatory and identify consequences for noncompliance.

Element 28: Evidence-based Standards and Evaluation Requirements

28(a) The plan provides a description of current RESEA strategies including use of labor market information and training referrals, referrals to work search activities, and use of a profiling model. The plan does a good job of noting relevant evidence from CLEAR-reviewed studies related to these interventions but fails to specify which interventions Florida is using which have received a "high" or "moderate" rating from CLEAR. The state should add one or more reference to CLEAR's causal evidence ratings for these interventions. For example, they may reference CLEAR's rating of Job Search Assistance services and/or Profiling (see https://clear.dol.gov/reemployment-services-and-eligibilityassessments-resea).

Response: Florida provides RESEA participants interventions of reemployment services such as job search assistance and requires participation in the RESEA program to avoid adverse impact to their Reemployment Assistance benefits. These interventions are consistent with the causal impact analysis: Long-term effects of job-search assistance: Experimental evidence using administrative tax data (Manoli et al. 2018) and Evaluation of impacts of the Reemployment and Eligibility Assessment (REA) Program: Final report (Klerman et al. 2019), which had a high causal evidence rating from the Clearinghouse for Labor Evaluation and Research.

Attachment D: Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement [If Applicable]

NEGOTIATED INDIRECT COST RATE AGREEMENT (NICRA)

NON-FEDERAL ENTITY: EIN: 36-4706134 DATE: 1

Florida Department of Economic
Opportunity

Caldwell Building 107 E. Madison St.

Tallahassee, FL 32399

DATE: 11/3/2021

FILE REFERENCE: This replaces the agreement dated

10/5/2020

The indirect cost rate(s) contained in this Agreement are for use on grants, contracts, and other agreements with the Federal Government. This Agreement was negotiated by Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (non-Federal entity) and the U.S. Department of Labor in accordance with the authority contained in the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) for commercial entities, or Title 2 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 200 for nonprofit and state/local entities. This Agreement is subject to the limitations in Section II, A, below.

When applicable, the rates presented in this Agreement may only be applied to: (1) cost-reimbursement contracts and (2) actual costs for materials in time-and-materials (T&M) contracts. Any indirect rates for labor costs in T&M, labor-hour and fixed-price contracts must be negotiated with the Contracting Officer during pre-award in accordance with FAR Part 15.404-1(c).

SECTION I: RATES							
TYPE	APPROVAL	FROM	<u>TO</u>	RATE	BASE	LOCATION	APPLICABLE TO
Indirect	Final	07/01/2020	06/30/2021	28.93%	SW-1	Loc-1	AP-2
Indirect	Final	07/01/2020	06/30/2021	39.66%	SW-1	Loc-1	AP-3
Indirect	Final	07/01/2020	06/30/2021	4.41%	SW-1	Loc-1	AP-4
Indirect	Final	07/01/2020	06/30/2021	41.15%	SW-1	Loc-1	AP-5
Indirect	Final	07/01/2020	06/30/2021	38.45%	SW-1	Loc-1	AP-6
Indirect	Final	07/01/2020	06/30/2021	31.51%	SW-1	Loc-1	AP-7
Indirect	Provisional	07/01/2021	06/30/2023	29.11%	SW-1	Loc-1	AP-8
Indirect	Provisional	07/01/2021	06/30/2023	42.76%	SW-1	Loc-1	AP-9
Indirect	Provisional	07/01/2021	06/30/2023	4.94%	SW-1	Loc-1	AP-10

(SEE SPECIAL REMARKS)

BASE:

SW-1: Total direct salaries and wages including vacation, holiday, sick pay, other paid absences, and all applicable fringe benefits.

LOCATION:	APPLICABLE TO:	
Loc-1: All Locations	AP-2: Workforce DEO In-House Program)
Loc-1: All Locations	AP-3: Workforce Board Services Program	1
Loc-1: All Locations	AP-4: Workforce Jointly Managed Progra	m
Loc-1: All Locations	AP-5: Community Development Program	

LOCATION: APPLICABLE TO:

Loc-1: All Locations AP-6: Strategic Business Development Program

Loc-1: All Locations AP-7: Facilities Services Program
Loc-1: All Locations AP-8: DEO In-House Programs
Loc-1: All Locations AP-9: DEO Oversight Programs

Loc-1: All Locations AP-10: Workforce Jointly-Managed Programs

<u>TREATMENT OF FRINGE BENEFITS</u>: Fringe benefits are specifically identified to each employee and/or are charged individually as direct or indirect cost (as applicable). See Special Remarks section of this Agreement for more details.

TREATMENT OF PAID ABSENCES: Vacation, holiday, sick leave pay and other paid absences are included in salaries and wages and are claimed on grants, contracts and other agreements as part of the normal cost for salaries and wages. Separate claims are not made for the cost of these paid absences.

SECTION II: GENERAL

A. LIMITATIONS:

Use of the rate(s) contained in the Agreement is subject to all statutory or administrative limitations and is applicable to a given Federal award or contract only to the extent that funds are available. Acceptance of the rate(s) agreed to herein is predicated upon the following conditions:

- 1. No costs other than those incurred by the non-Federal entity or contractor were included in its indirect cost pool as finally accepted and that such incurred costs are legal obligations of the non-Federal entity and allowable under the governing cost principles.
- 2. The same costs that have been treated as indirect costs have not been claimed as direct costs.
- 3. Similar types of costs have been accorded consistent treatment.
- 4. The information provided by the non-Federal entity or contractor which was used as a basis for acceptance of the rate(s) agreed to herein is not subsequently found to be materially inaccurate by the Federal government. In such situations, the rate(s) may be subject to renegotiation at the discretion of the Federal government.
- 5. The rates cited in this Agreement are subject to audit.
- 6. Indirect costs charged to Federal grants/contracts by means other than the rate(s) cited in this Agreement should be adjusted to the applicable rate(s) cited herein and be applied to the appropriate base to identify the proper amount of indirect costs allocable to the program.
- 7. Contracts/grants providing for ceilings as to the indirect cost rate(s) or amount(s) which are indicated in Section I above, will be subject to the ceilings stipulated in the contract or grant agreements. The ceiling rate or the rate(s) cited in this Agreement, whichever is lower, will be used to determine the maximum allowable indirect cost on the contract or grant agreement.

- 8. Administrative costs consist of all Direct and Indirect costs associated with the management of a non-Federal entity's programs. Non-Federal entities should refer to their contracts/grants terms and specific program legislation for the applicable definition of Administrative Costs and any related limitations.
- B. <u>ACCOUNTING CHANGES</u>: This agreement is based on the accounting system purported by the non-Federal entity or contractor to be in effect during the Agreement period. Changes to the method of accounting for costs which affect the amount of reimbursement resulting from the use of this Agreement require prior approval from the Cost & Price Determination Division (CPDD). Such changes include, but are not limited to changes in the charging of a particular type of cost from indirect to direct. Failure to obtain approval may result in cost disallowances.
- C. <u>NOTIFICATION TO FEDERAL AGENCIES</u>: A copy of this document is to be provided by the non-Federal entity or contractor to other Federal funding sources as a means of notifying them of the Agreement contained herein.

D. **DEFINITION OF RATES**:

- 1. Final rate means an indirect cost rate applicable to a specified past period which is based on the actual costs of the period. A final rate is not subject to adjustment.
- 2. Provisional rate or billing rate means a temporary indirect cost rate applicable to a specified period which is used for funding, interim reimbursement, and reporting indirect costs on Federal awards pending the establishment of a final rate for the period.
- 3. Predetermined rate means an indirect cost rate, applicable to a specified current or future period, usually the organization's fiscal year. The rate is based on an estimate of the costs to be incurred during the period. A predetermined rate is not subject to adjustment.
- 4. Fixed rate means an indirect cost rate which has the same characteristics as a predetermined rate, except that the difference between the estimated costs and the actual costs of the period covered by the rate is carried forward as an adjustment to the rate computation of a subsequent period.

The Special Remarks section of this agreement may include a carry forward amount(s) for the applicable fiscal year(s).

E. SPECIAL REMARKS:

1. Provisional/Final Rate approval and impact to closeout adjustments:

When seeking initial reimbursement of indirect costs using the provisional/final rate methodology, a provisional proposal must be submitted within 90 days of receiving a Federal award (financial assistance, grants, cooperative agreements, and cost reimbursable contracts) that requires accounting for actual costs incurred. The non-Federal entity or contractor must submit an indirect

cost rate proposal within six (6) months after the end of their fiscal year to establish a final rate.

Once a final rate is negotiated, billings and charges to Federal awards must be adjusted if the final rate varies from the provisional rate. If the final rate is greater than the provisional rate and there are no funds available to cover the additional indirect costs, the non-Federal entity or contractor may not recover all indirect costs. Conversely, if the final rate is less than the provisional rate, the non-Federal entity or contractor will be required to reimburse the funding agency for the excess billings.

Non-Federal entities or contractors receiving a Federal cost reimbursable contract(s) - Must adhere with FAR 52.216-7(d)(2)(v), to settle final indirect cost rates typically on an annual basis:

"The contractor shall update the billings on all contracts to reflect the final settled rates and update the schedule of cumulative direct and indirect costs claimed and billed, as required in paragraph (d)(2)(iii)(I) of this sections, within 60 days after settlement of final indirect cost rates."

In addition, the contractor shall provide to the Contracting Officer the noted cumulative costs schedule within 60 days of the execution of this agreement.

If the non-Federal entity or contractor has completed performance under any of the contracts covered by this Agreement, a final invoice or voucher must be submitted no later than 120 days from the date on which this Agreement is executed, following guidance from FAR 52.216-7(d)(5) and FAR 52.216-7(h).

Non-Federal entities receiving Federal awards (financial assistance, grants, and cooperative agreements) – Note that even if Federal awards are administratively closed prior to the settlement of final indirect cost rates, non-Federal entities still must comply with the following 2 CFR Part 200 clauses stating, in part:

\$200.344 Post-closeout adjustments and continuing responsibilities

- (a) The closeout of a Federal award does not affect any of the following:
 - (1) The right of the Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity to disallow costs and recover funds on the basis of a later audit or other review. The Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity must make any cost disallowance determination and notify the non-Federal entity within the record retention period.
 - (2) The obligation of the non-Federal entity to return any funds due as a result of later refunds, corrections, or other transactions <u>including final indirect cost rate</u> <u>adjustments</u>.

§200.345 Collection of amounts due

(a) Any funds paid to the non-Federal entity in excess of the amount to which the non-Federal entity is finally determined to be entitled under the terms of the Federal award constitute a debt to the Federal Government.

- (b) Except where otherwise provided by statutes or regulations, the Federal awarding agency will charge interest on an overdue debt in accordance with the Federal Claims Collection Standards (31 CFR parts 900 through 999). The date from which interest is computed is not extended by litigation or the filing of any form of appeal.
- 2. Fringe benefits include the following: Retirement, Social Security, Group Health Insurance, Life Insurance, Senior Management Disability Insurance, and Pre-Tax Benefits.
- 3. Equipment is defined as tangible personal property (including information technology systems) having a useful life of more than one year and a per-unit acquisition. The capitalization threshold for equipment is \$5,000.
- 4. The indirect salaries approved as part of the Rate/CAP in Section I comply with the applicable ETA TEGL 5-06 and/or Job Corps salary and bonus restrictions.

ACCEPTANCE

BY THE NON-FEDERAL ENTITY:	BY THE COGNIZANT AGENCY FOR INDIRECT COSTS, ON BEHALF OF THE U.S. FEDERAL GOVERNMENT:
Florida Department of Economic Opportunity Caldwell Building 107 E. Madison Street Tallahassee, FL 32399	U.S. Department of Labor Cost & Price Determination Division 200 Constitution Ave., N.W., S-1510 Washington, DC 20210
(Non-Federal Entity)	(U.S. Federal Government Agency) Damon Tomchick Tomchick Date: 2021.11.03 03:30:00 -04'00'
(Signature) Will-Currie Caroline Womack	(Signature) for Victor M. López
(Name) Therim Chief Financial Officer	(Name) Chief, Cost & Price Determination Division
(Title)	(Title) 11/3/2021
(Date)	(Date) Negotiated By: Damon Tomchick Office Phone: (240) 475-2786 Email: tomchick.damon@dol.gov