1.	GRANT TITLE					
	Intensive Probation Supervision for High-Risk Felony and Repeat DUI Offenders					
2.	NAME OF AGENCY	3. Grant Period				
	Santa Barbara County	From: 10/01/2024				
4.	AGENCY UNIT TO ADMINISTER GRANT	To: 09/30/2025				
	Santa Barbara County Probation Department					

5. GRANT DESCRIPTION

The County Probation Department will work to reduce DUI related fatalities, injuries, and DUI recidivism. The high-risk, felony, and repeat DUI offenders will be held accountable through intensive supervision to ensure compliance with court ordered conditions of probation and to prevent re-arrest on new DUI charges. Supervision activities include: monitoring of treatment and DUI program participation, conducting office visits, unannounced fourth waiver searches, field visits, random alcohol/drug testing, distribution of DUI BOLOs, and participation with local law enforcement on anti-DUI efforts.

6. Federal Funds Allocated Under This Agreement Shall Not Exceed: \$200,612.00

- **7. TERMS AND CONDITIONS:** The parties agree to comply with the terms and conditions of the following which are by this reference made a part of the Agreement:
 - Schedule A Problem Statement, Goals and Objectives and Method of Procedure
 - Schedule B Detailed Budget Estimate and Sub-Budget Estimate (if applicable)
 - Schedule B-1 Budget Narrative and Sub-Budget Narrative (if applicable)
 - Exhibit A Certifications and Assurances
 - Exhibit B* OTS Grant Program Manual
 - Exhibit C Grant Electronic Management System (GEMS) Access

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

These documents can be viewed at the OTS home web page under Grants: www.ots.ca.gov.

We, the officials named below, hereby swear under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that we are duly authorized to legally bind the Grant recipient to the above described Grant terms and conditions.

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

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8. Appro	val Signatures				
A. GRANT DIRECTOR			B. AUTHORIZING OFFICIAL		
TITLE:	scross@countyofsb.org (805) 882-3675	ır	Address:	Holly L. Benton Chief Probation Officer hbenton@countyofsb.org (805) 803-8587 2121 South Centerpointe I Santa Maria, CA 93455	Parkway
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	(Signature)	(Date)		(Signature)	(Date)
C. FISCAL OFFICIAL			D. AUTHORIZING OFFICIAL OF OFFICE OF TRAFFIC SAFETY		
Address:	Damon Fletcher Administrative Deputy Directo dfletch@countyofsb.org (805) 803-8584 2121 South Centerpointe Park Santa Maria, CA 93455	kway	ADDRESS:	Director barbara.rooney@ots.ca.go (916) 509-3030 2208 Kausen Drive, Suite Elk Grove, CA 95758	300
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	(Signature)	(Date)		(Signature)	(Date)

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E. ACCOUNTING OFFICER OF OFFICE OF TRAFFIC SAFETY

NAME: Carolyn Vu

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9. SAM INFORMATION

SAM#: YRVRFW4T7PJ6

REGISTERED

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CITY: Santa Barbara
ZIP+4: 93101-2110

10. PROJECTED EXPENDITURES							
FUND	CFDA	ITEM/APPROPI	RIATION	F.Y.	CHAPTER	STATUTE	PROJECTED EXPENDITURES
164AL-25.1	20.608	0521-0890-	-101	2023	12/23	BA/23	\$43,190.00
164AL-25	20.608	0521-0890-	-101	2024	22/24	BA/24	\$157,422.00
					AGREEMENT TOTAL \$200,612.0		
AMOUNT ENCUMBERED BY THIS DOCUME \$200,612.00						Y THIS DOCUMENT	
I CERTIFY upon my own personal knowledge that the budgeted funds for the current budget year are available for the period and purpose of the expenditure stated above. PRIOR AMOUNT ENCUMBERED FOR THIS AGREEMENT \$ 0.00					ERED FOR THIS		
OTS ACCOUNTING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE DATE SIGNED					TOTAL AMOUNT ENCUMBERED TO DATE		
Oct 10, 2024					\$200,61	2.00	

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1. PROBLEM STATEMENT

Since the 2010-2011 fiscal year, the Office of Traffic Safety (OTS) has provided funding for a specialized Deputy Probation Officer (DPO) within the Santa Barbara County Probation Department. This officer's role is to oversee 50 of the most high-risk individuals convicted of DUIs in the Santa Maria region. Selection for this caseload is based on evidence-based practices and tools such as the Northpointe Correctional Offender Management and Profiling Alternative Sanctions (COMPAS) risk/needs assessment, which helps in determining supervision strategies. Additionally, the Risk of Violence and Recidivism (ROVAR), the Inventory of Offender Needs (ION), and the Texas Christian University Drug Screen III (TCUDS) are utilized to further identify the clients most critical risk factors and needs. This allows the Deputy Probation Officer (DPO) to collaborate with each individual convicted of a DUI to establish a practical and effective treatment plan aimed at addressing negative behaviors and fostering positive change.

While Santa Barbara County consists of several regions, the city of Santa Maria was targeted due to its high DUI rate compared to other areas of the County. This funding allows the Probation Department to provide individuals convicted of DUIs that present the highest risk to the community with enhanced supervision. This includes frequent testing, closer compliance monitoring of their treatment program, increased home, office, and field contacts, SCRAM monitoring, as well as regular DUI treatment Court reviews. In addition to previously identified goals of increasing the percentage of DUI probation clients in compliance with court-ordered terms and conditions through enforcement and service of outstanding warrants, other outcomes were identified relative to reducing the number of new DUI offenses by DUI probation clients. These outcomes include decreasing the number of DUI probation clients arrested/cited for driving with a suspended or revoked license and contributing to the overall reduction in alcohol-related crashes causing injury and fatalities for the City of Santa Maria as reported in the annual OTS report and rankings.

The following format and evaluation of OTS city/county information will be from the inception of our grant (2010) to the most recent OTS statistics available (2020) Note: when describing rankings, we are specifically evaluating rankings in the category of **Total Alcohol-Involved Fatal and Injury Crashes.**

In 2010, Santa Barbara County had a ranking of two (2) out of fifty-eight (58) when compared to like-sized counties and the city of Santa Maria had a ranking of four (4) out of one hundred three (103) for liked-sized cities. These numbers represent a significantly higher ranking than other liked-sized counties and cities. In 2020 Santa Barbara County had a ranking of twenty-nine (29) out of fifty-eight (58) for like-sized counties and the city of Santa Maria had a ranking of three (3) out of sixty-one (61) for liked-sized cities. Compared to the 2018-2019 rankings, the 2020 ranking in Santa Maria is higher than the previous years.

The Santa Barbara County Probation Department submits this application to continue and focus on high-risk DUI probation clients in the Santa Maria region with the utilization of specific evidence-based assessments and intensive supervision specific to this population which includes those that present the greatest risk to the community. The Santa Barbara County Probation Department will continue to utilize effective monitoring methods and best practices to provide intensive case management and supervision to the DUI caseload. The objectives will be completed by a dedicated DPO assigned to supervise high-risk individuals convicted of DUIs. The Probation Department's collaborative resources will be used to target this population, which includes a DUI Treatment Court. The Probation Department continues identifying and addressing the factors involved with individuals convicted of multiple DUIs. The Santa Barbara County Probation Department's goals for the grant include unannounced field contacts and office contacts combined with alcohol tests with the ultimate goal of improving offender accountability and community safety. Continued grant funding will result in the Santa Barbara County Probation Department's focus on effective DUI supervision, allowing the Deputy Probation Officer to adapt and modify approaches for this population as well as reform individuals convicted of DUIs through intensive supervision with frequent drug/alcohol testing. Court involvement and monitoring of treatment engagement.

The Santa Barbara County Probation Department continues to be committed to the full implementation of evidence-based practices to ensure supervision levels for all probation clients are established through

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proper assessment to maximize the use of existing resources. Continuing the funding will also facilitate the ongoing application of these same principles to individuals convicted of DUIs, with appropriate emphasis on their unique risk factors and treatment needs. This effective utilization of grant funds will increase client accountability and enhance community safety.

2. PERFORMANCE MEASURES

A. Goals:

- 1. Reduce the number of persons killed in traffic crashes.
- 2. Reduce the number of persons injured in traffic crashes.
- 3. Reduce the number of DUI probationers arrested/cited for driving with suspended or revoked license.

4. Reduce the number of new DUI offenses by DUI probationers.

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B. Objectives:	Target Number
1. Issue a press release announcing the kick-off of the grant by November 15. The	1
kick-off press releases and media advisories, alerts, and materials must be	
emailed to the OTS Public Information Officer at pio@ots.ca.gov, and copied to	
your OTS Coordinator, for approval 7 days prior to the issuance date of the	
release.	
2. Develop (by December 31) and/or maintain a "DUI BOLO" program to notify patro	ol 10
and traffic officers to be on the lookout for identified repeat DUI offenders with a	
suspended or revoked license as a result of DUI convictions. Updated DUI BOLO	os l
should be distributed to patrol and traffic officers monthly.	
3. Conduct Warrant Service operation(s) targeting informal and/or formal DUI	4
probationers who fail to comply with the terms and conditions of probation and/or	
other DUI suspects who fail to appear in court.	
4. Establish all grant-funded positions and train staff on defined roles and duties,	1
including data collection and reporting requirements by October 31.	•
5. Develop a written (and submit by October 31) "Operational Plan" to establish the	1
method of operation and the policies applicable to carry out the activities of the	·
DUI Probationer Supervision grant program.	
6. Utilize a risk or needs assessment tool to identify high-risk DUI offenders for	1
placement on formal probation. Identify the specific risk or needs assessment too	
utilized by the agency.	<i>"</i>
7. Establish caseload(s) of high-risk DUI probationers each, for intensive supervision	n 1
by October 31.	' '
8. Work with court officials and the prosecutor's office throughout the grant period to) 1
ensure the court establishes probation orders necessary to conduct and sustain	'
intensive supervision of DUI probationers.	
Track and report alcohol monitoring days, and resulting violations of high-risk DU	1 4
probationers.	'
10. Track and report probation violations and probation revocation proceedings for	4
program participants who fail to abide by the terms and conditions of probation	
throughout the grant period.	
11. Make unannounced field contacts (anywhere other than in the office) with search	350
of DUI probationers body/property. Note: Surprise home contacts with search are	
the preferred method for ensuring compliance with court-ordered terms of	
probation. Report number of activities completed on straight time hours only.	
12. Make office contacts with DUI probationers.	500
13. Conduct alcohol/drug tests of DUI probationers.	
	500
14. Identify grant funded, straight time personnel. Include any vacancies or staff	4
changes that have occurred. For any vacancies, include the status of filling the	
Vacancy.	1
15. Send law enforcement personnel to STC or POST certified implicit bias training,	1
such as; Implicit Bias and Community Policing, Principles Policing, Beyond Bias,	
or Cultural Competency.	
16. Send law enforcement personnel to impaired driving related trainings, such as	1
Psychology of Alcohol, Ignition Interlock Device training, and vendor specific	
Alcohol Monitoring Program training.	

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17. Track and report the number of probationers referred to community resources, such as county mental health, in-patient and out-patient treatment, alcohol awareness classes, rehabilitation and recovery, vocational training, and job search and placement agencies.

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3. METHOD OF PROCEDURE

A. Phase 1 – Program Preparation (1st Quarter of Grant Year)

- The Probation Department will hire grant-funded staff positions responsible for conducting supervision and other related duties.
- All training needed to implement the program should be conducted in the first quarter.
- All grant related purchases needed to implement the program should be made in the first quarter.
- The Risk Assessment tool will be purchased or developed, and staff will be trained on the use of the tool and the policies and procedures for identifying risk-levels and making caseload assignments.
- Staff will receive training and orientation related to the Department's Alcohol Monitoring Program (if applicable) and will begin working closely with the Alcohol Monitoring vendor to ensure a timely response to any violations by DUI offenders.
- A written operational plan will be developed and submitted. The plan will outline the Department's policies and procedures related to the DUI Probationer Intensive Supervision Program including participant criteria, how individuals are identified and selected for inclusion on the caseload, how risk assessment is conducted, how and why offenders are moved on and off the caseload, policies and procedures for office visits, drug/alcohol testing, field contacts, home searches, and court monitoring. The operational plan should include contact information for referrals to resources such as county mental health, treatment, rehabilitation and recovery, vocational training, job search and placement agencies. The operational plan should be written in a manner that allows it to serve as a manual for new or additional program staff working with the DUI supervision program.

Media Requirements

 Issue a press release approved by the OTS PIO announcing the kick-off of the grant by November 15, but no sooner than October 1. The kick-off release must be approved by the OTS PIO and only distributed after the grant is fully signed and executed. If you are unable to meet the November 15 deadline to issue a kick-off press release, communicate reasons to your OTS grant coordinator and OTS PIO.

B. Phase 2 - Program Operations (Throughout Grant Year)

- News releases highlighting program successes and high visibility programs, such as warrant service operations, will be developed, approved by OTS and issued to the media throughout the grant period.
- To ensure compliance with all court ordered conditions of probation, the Probation Department
 will conduct the intensive supervision activities specified in the grant objectives. Activities include:
 risk assessment and assignment; initial home evaluation; office visits; field contacts; warrant
 sweeps; surveillance; alcohol and drug tests; home searches; monitoring of treatment and other
 program participation; review and monitoring of Alcohol Monitoring alerts (if applicable); and
 Ignition Interlock compliance.
- Staff should work with the court and District or City Attorney's office to ensure appropriate terms of probation are ordered.
- Probation should maintain and distribute a "DUI BOLO" to local law enforcement and will perform necessary record keeping and reporting.
- Probation should respond to all known probation violations and initiate appropriate interventions up to and including court action.

Media Requirements

The following requirements are for all grant-related activities:

Send all media advisories, alerts, videos, graphics, artwork, posters, radio/PSA/video scripts, storyboards, digital and/or print educational materials for grant-related activities to the OTS PIO at pio@ots.ca.gov for approval and copy your OTS grant coordinator. Optimum lead time would be 7 days before the scheduled release but at least 3 business days prior to the scheduled release date for review and approval is appreciated.

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- Send all Powerpoint presentations, online presentations and trainings for grant-related activities
 to the OTS PIO at <u>pio@ots.ca.gov</u> for approval and copy your OTS grant coordinator. Certified
 training courses are EXEMPT from the approval process.
- The OTS PIO is responsible for the approval of the design and content of materials. The agency
 understands OTS PIO approval is not authorizing approval of budget expenditure or cost. Any
 cost approvals must come from the OTS grant coordinator.
- Pre-approval is not required when using any OTS-supplied template for media advisories, press
 releases, social media graphics, videos or posts, or any other OTS-supplied educational material.
 However, copy the OTS PIO at pio@ots.ca.gov and your OTS grant coordinator when any
 material is distributed to the media and public, such as a press release, educational material, or
 link to social media post. The OTS-supplied kick-off press release templates and any kickoff
 press releases are an exception to this policy and require prior approval before distribution to the
 media and public.
- If an OTS-supplied template, educational material, social media graphic, post or video is substantially changed, the changes shall be sent to the OTS PIO at pio@ots.ca.gov for approval and copy to your OTS grant coordinator. Optimum lead time would be 7 days prior to the scheduled release date, but at least 3 business days prior to the scheduled release date for review and approval is appreciated.
- Press releases, social media posts and alerts on platforms such as NextDoor and Nixle reporting
 immediate and time-sensitive grant activities (e.g. enforcement operations, day of event
 highlights or announcements, event invites) are exempt from the OTS PIO approval process. The
 OTS PIO and your OTS grant coordinator should still be notified when the grant-related activity is
 happening (e.g. car seat checks, bicycle rodeos, community presentations, DUI checkpoints,
 etc.).
- Enforcement activities such as warrant and probation sweeps, court stings, etc. that are
 embargoed or could impact operations by publicizing in advance are exempt from the PIO
 approval process. However, announcements and results of activities should still be copied to the
 OTS PIO at pio@ots.ca.gov and your OTS grant coordinator with embargoed date and time or
 with "INTERNAL ONLY: DO NOT RELEASE" message in subject line of email.
- Any earned or paid media campaigns for TV, radio, digital or social media that are part of a
 specific grant objective, using OTS grant funds, or designed and developed using contractual
 services by a subgrantee, requires prior approval. Please send to the OTS PIO at
 pio@ots.ca.gov for approval and copy your grant coordinator at least 3 business days prior to the
 scheduled release date.
- Social media posts highlighting state or national traffic safety campaigns (Distracted Driving Month, Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month, etc.), enforcement operations (DUI checkpoints, etc.), or any other grant-related activity such as Bicycle rodeos, presentations, or events, are highly encouraged but do not require prior approval.
- Submit a draft or rough-cut of all digital, printed, recorded or video material (brochures, posters, scripts, artwork, trailer graphics, digital graphics, social posts connected to an earned or paid media campaign grant objective) to the OTS PIO at pio@ots.ca.gov and copy your OTS grant coordinator for approval prior to the production or duplication.
- Use the following standard language in all press, media, and printed materials, space permitting: Funding for this program was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.
- Space permitting, include the OTS logo on all grant-funded print materials, graphics and paid or earned social media campaign grant objective; consult your OTS grant coordinator for specifics, format-appropriate logos, or if space does not permit the use of the OTS logo.
- Email the OTS PIO at pio@ots.ca.gov and copy your OTS grant coordinator at least 21 days in advance, or when first confirmed, a short description of any significant grant-related traffic safety event or program, particularly events that are highly publicized beforehand with anticipated media coverage so OTS has sufficient notice to arrange for attendance and/or participation in the event. If unable to attend, email the OTS PIO and coordinator brief highlights and/or results, including any media coverage (broadcast, digital, print) of event within 7 days following significant grant-related event or program. Media and program highlights are to be reflected in QPRs.

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- Any press releases, work plans, scripts, storyboards, artwork, graphics, videos or any
 educational or informational materials that received OTS PIO approval in a prior grant year needs
 to be resubmitted for approval in the current grant year.
- For additional guidance, refer to the <u>OTS Grants Materials Approval Process Guidelines</u> and OTS Grants Media Approval Process FAQs on the OTS website.
- Contact the OTS PIO or your OTS grant coordinator for consultation when changes from any of the above requirements might be warranted.

C. <u>Phase 3 – Data Collection & Reporting</u> (Throughout Grant Year)

- 1. Prepare and submit grant claim invoices (due January 30, April 30, July 30, and October 30)
- 2. Prepare and submit Quarterly Performance Reports (QPR) (due January 30, April 30, July 30, and October 30)
 - Collect and report quarterly, appropriate data that supports the progress of goals and objectives.
 - Provide a brief list of activity conducted, procurement of grant-funded items, and significant media activities. Include status of grant-funded personnel, status of contracts, challenges, or special accomplishments.
 - Provide a brief summary of quarterly accomplishments and explanations for objectives not completed or plans for upcoming activities.
 - Collect, analyze and report statistical data relating to the grant goals and objectives.

4. METHOD OF EVALUATION

Using the data compiled during the grant, the Grant Director will complete the "Final Evaluation" section in the fourth/final Quarterly Performance Report (QPR). The Final Evaluation should provide a brief summary of the grant's accomplishments, challenges and significant activities. This narrative should also include whether goals and objectives were met, exceeded, or an explanation of why objectives were not completed.

5. ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT

This program has full administrative support, and every effort will be made to continue the grant activities after grant conclusion.

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FUND NUMBER	CATALOG NUMBER (CFDA)	Fund Description		TOTAL AMOUNT	
164AL-25	20.608	Minimum Penalties for Repeat			\$200,612.00
		Offend	ers for Driving Wh	ile	
			Intoxicated		
COST CATEG	ORY	FUND	UNIT COST OR	Units	
A D		NUMBER	RATE		GRANT
A. PERSONNEL COSTS			<u> </u>		
Straight Time					
Probation Officer		164AL-25	\$53.00	2,080	\$110,240.00
Benefits Probation Officer	,	164AL-25	\$80,372.00	1	\$80,372.00
<u>Overtime</u>					
					\$0.00
Category Sub-Total					\$190,612.00
B. TRAVEL EXPENSES					l
In State Travel		164AL-25	\$5,000.00	1	\$5,000.00
					\$0.00
Category Sub-Total					\$5,000.00
C. CONTRACTUAL SERVIC	ES				
					\$0.00
Category Sub-Total					\$0.00
D. EQUIPMENT					
					\$0.00
Category Sub-Total					\$0.00
E. OTHER DIRECT COSTS	•				
Alcohol Testing/Drug Testing		164AL-25	\$2,000.00	1	\$2,000.00
PAS Device/Calibration Supplies		164AL-25	\$3,000.00	11	\$3,000.00
Category Sub-Total					\$5,000.00
F. INDIRECT COSTS	<u>.</u>				
					\$0.00
Category Sub-Total					\$0.00
GRANT TOT	GRANT TOTAL \$200,612.00				

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BUDGET NARRATIVE

PERSONNEL COSTS

Probation Officer - Position responsible for achieving the goals and objective described in the grant through proactive field supervision, substance abuse testing, and enforcement of court orders for targeted DUI offenders including conducting or participating in unannounced home visits and searches of the offenders' homes, work, vehicles and/or person.

Benefits Probation Officer - Claimed amounts must reflect actual benefit costs for straight time or overtime hours charged to the grant.

TRAVEL EXPENSES

In State Travel - Costs are included for appropriate staff to attend conferences and training events supporting the grant goals and objectives and/or traffic safety. Local mileage for grant activities and meetings is included. Anticipated travel may include Lifesavers, ARIDE, SFST. All conferences, seminars or training not specifically identified in the Budget Narrative must be approved by OTS. All travel claimed must be at the agency approved rate. Per Diem may not be claimed for meals provided at conferences when registration fees are paid with OTS grant funds.

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES

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EQUIPMENT

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OTHER DIRECT COSTS

Alcohol Testing/Drug Testing - Testing conducted to determine DUI probationer compliance with terms and conditions of probation. Costs may include lab testing fees and testing supplies such as mouth pieces, cups and test kits.

PAS Device/Calibration Supplies - Preliminary alcohol screening device to detect the presence of alcohol in a person's breath and calibration supplies to ensure accuracy. Costs may include mouth pieces, gas and accessories.

INDIRECT COSTS

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STATEMENTS/DISCLAIMERS

There will be no program income generated from this grant.

Salaries may include wages, salaries, special compensations, or authorized absences such as annual leave and sick leave provided the cost for the individual employee is (a) reasonable for the services rendered, and (b) follows an appointment made in accordance with state or local laws and rules and meets federal requirements.

Any non-grant funded vacancies created by reassignment to a grant-funded position must be filled at the expense of the grantee agency.

Nothing in this "agreement" shall be interpreted as a requirement, formal or informal, that a particular law enforcement officer issue a specified or predetermined number of citations in pursuance of the goals and objectives here under.

Benefits for personnel costs can only be applied to straight time or overtime hours charged to the grant.

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Certifications and Assurances for Fiscal Year 2024 Highway Safety Grants (23 U.S.C. Chapter 4 or Section 1906, Public Law 109-59, as amended by Section 25024, Public Law 117-58)

The officials named on the grant agreement, certify by way of signature on the grant agreement signature page, that the Grantee Agency complies with all applicable Federal statutes, regulations, and directives and State rules, guidelines, policies, and laws in effect with respect to the periods for which it receives grant funding. Applicable provisions include, but are not limited to, the following:

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

The State will comply with applicable statutes and regulations, including but not limited to:

- 23 U.S.C. Chapter 4—Highway Safety Act of 1966, as amended;
- Sec. 1906, <u>Public Law 109-59</u>, as amended by Sec. 25024, <u>Public Law 117-58</u>;
- 23 CFR part 1300—Uniform Procedures for State Highway Safety Grant Programs;
- 2 CFR part 200—Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards;
- <u>2 CFR part 1201</u>—Department of Transportation, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards.

NONDISCRIMINATION

(applies to all subrecipients as well as States)

The State highway safety agency [and its subrecipients] will comply with all Federal statutes and implementing regulations relating to nondiscrimination ("Federal Nondiscrimination Authorities"). These include but are not limited to:

- *Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964* (42 U.S.C. 2000d *et seq.*, 78 stat. 252), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin);
- <u>49 CFR part 21</u> (entitled Non-discrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation— Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964);
- 28 CFR 50.3 (U.S. Department of Justice Guidelines for Enforcement of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964);
- The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 U.S.C. 4601), (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects);
- Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1973, (23 U.S.C. 324 et seq.), and Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. 1681-1683 and 1685-1686) (prohibit discrimination on the basis of sex);
- Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, (29 U.S.C. 794 et seq.), as amended, (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability) and 49 CFR part 27;
- The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.), (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age);
- The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, (Pub. L. 100-209), (broadens scope, coverage, and applicability of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, The Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, by expanding the definition of the terms "programs or activities" to include all of the programs or activities of the Federal aid recipients, subrecipients and contractors, whether such programs or activities are Federally-funded or not);
- Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act (42 U.S.C. 12131-12189) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability in the operation of public entities, public and private transportation systems, places of public accommodation, and certain testing) and 49 CFR parts 37 and 38;
- Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations (preventing discrimination against minority populations by discouraging programs, policies, and activities with disproportionately high and adverse human health or environmental effects on minority and low-income populations);
- <u>Executive Order 13166</u>, Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency (requiring that recipients of Federal financial assistance provide meaningful access for applicants and beneficiaries who have limited English proficiency (LEP));
- <u>Executive Order 13985</u>, Advancing Racial Equity and Support for Underserved Communities through the Federal Government (advancing equity across the Federal Government); and
- <u>Executive Order 13988</u>, Preventing and Combating Discrimination on the Basis of Gender Identity or Sexual Orientation (clarifying that sex discrimination includes discrimination on the grounds of gender identity or sexual orientation).

The preceding statutory and regulatory cites hereinafter are referred to as the "Acts" and "Regulations," respectively.

In accordance with the Acts, the Regulations, and other pertinent directives, circulars, policy, memoranda, and/or guidance, the Recipient hereby gives assurance that it will promptly take any measures necessary to ensure that:

"No person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity, for which the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance from DOT, including NHTSA."

The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 clarified the original intent of Congress, with respect to Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and other non-discrimination requirements (the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973), by restoring the broad, institutional-wide scope and coverage of these nondiscrimination statutes and requirements to include all programs and activities of the Recipient, so long as any portion of the program is Federally assisted.

SPECIFIC ASSURANCES

More specifically, and without limiting the above general Assurance, the Recipient agrees with and gives the following Assurances with respect to its Federally assisted Highway Safety Grant Program:

- 1. The Recipient agrees that each "activity," "facility," or "program," as defined in § 21.23(b) and (e) of 49 CFR part 21 will be (with regard to an "activity") facilitated, or will be (with regard to a "facility") operated, or will be (with regard to a "program") conducted in compliance with all requirements imposed by, or pursuant to the Acts and the Regulations.
- 2. The Recipient will insert the following notification in all solicitations for bids, Requests For Proposals for work, or material subject to the Acts and the Regulations made in connection with all Highway Safety Grant Programs and, in adapted form, in all proposals for negotiated agreements regardless of funding source:

 "The [name of Recipient], in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award."
- 3. The Recipient will insert the clauses of appendix A and E of this Assurance (also referred to as DOT Order 1050.2A) in every contract or agreement subject to the Acts and the Regulations.
- 4. The Recipient will insert the clauses of appendix B of DOT Order 1050.2A, as a covenant running with the land, in any deed from the United States effecting or recording a transfer of real property, structures, use, or improvements thereon or interest therein to a Recipient.
- 5. That where the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance to construct a facility, or part of a facility, the Assurance will extend to the entire facility and facilities operated in connection therewith.
- 6. That where the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance in the form of, or for the acquisition of, real property or an interest in real property, the Assurance will extend to rights to space on, over, or under such property.
- 7. That the Recipient will include the clauses set forth in appendix C and appendix D of this DOT Order 1050.2A, as a covenant running with the land, in any future deeds, leases, licenses, permits, or similar instruments entered into by the Recipient with other parties:
 - a. for the subsequent transfer of real property acquired or improved under the applicable activity, project, or program; and
 - b. for the construction or use of, or access to, space on, over, or under real property acquired or improved under the applicable activity, project, or program.
- 8. That this Assurance obligates the Recipient for the period during which Federal financial assistance is extended to the program, except where the Federal financial assistance is to provide, or is in the form of, personal property, or real property, or interest therein, or structures or improvements thereon, in which case the Assurance obligates the Recipient, or any transferee for the longer of the following periods:
 - a. the period during which the property is used for a purpose for which the Federal financial assistance is extended, or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits; or
 - b. the period during which the Recipient retains ownership or possession of the property.
- 9. The Recipient will provide for such methods of administration for the program as are found by the Secretary of Transportation or the official to whom he/she delegates specific authority to give reasonable guarantee that it, other recipients, sub-recipients, sub- grantees, contractors, subcontractors, consultants, transferees, successors in interest, and other participants of Federal financial assistance under such program will comply with all requirements imposed or pursuant to the Acts, the Regulations, and this Assurance.
- 10. The Recipient agrees that the United States has a right to seek judicial enforcement with regard to any matter arising under the Acts, the Regulations, and this Assurance.

By signing this ASSURANCE, the State highway safety agency also agrees to comply (and require any sub-recipients, sub-grantees, contractors, successors, transferees, and/or assignees to comply) with all applicable provisions governing NHTSA's access to records, accounts, documents, information, facilities, and staff. You also recognize that you must comply with any program or compliance reviews, and/or complaint investigations conducted by NHTSA. You must keep records, reports, and submit the material for review

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upon request to NHTSA, or its designee in a timely, complete, and accurate way. Additionally, you must comply with all other reporting, data collection, and evaluation requirements, as prescribed by law or detailed in program guidance.

The State highway safety agency gives this ASSURANCE in consideration of and for obtaining any Federal grants, loans, contracts, agreements, property, and/or discounts, or other Federal-aid and Federal financial assistance extended after the date hereof to the recipients by the U.S. Department of Transportation under the Highway Safety Grant Program. This ASSURANCE is binding on the State highway safety agency, other recipients, sub-recipients, sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors and their subcontractors', transferees, successors in interest, and any other participants in the Highway Safety Grant Program. The person(s) signing below is/are authorized to sign this ASSURANCE on behalf of the Recipient.

THE DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE ACT OF 1988 (41 U.S.C. 8103)

The Subgrantee will provide a drug-free workplace by:

- a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the grantee's workplace, and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
- b. Establishing a drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
 - 1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
 - 2. The grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
 - 3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs;
 - 4. The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug violations occurring in the workplace;
 - 5. Making it a requirement that each employee engaged in the performance of the grant be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
- c. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that, as a condition of employment under the grant, the employee will—
 - 1. Abide by the terms of the statement;
 - 2. Notify the employer of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five days after such conviction;
- d. Notifying the agency within ten days after receiving notice under subparagraph (c)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction;
- e. Taking one of the following actions, within 30 days of receiving notice under subparagraph (c)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted—
 - 1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination;
 - 2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State, or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
- f. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of all of the paragraphs above.

POLITICAL ACTIVITY (HATCH ACT)

(applies to all subrecipients as well as States)

The State will comply with provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. 1501-1508), which limits the political activities of employees whose principal employment activities are funded in whole or in part with Federal funds.

CERTIFICATION REGARDING FEDERAL LOBBYING

(applies to all subrecipients as well as States)

CERTIFICATION FOR CONTRACTS, GRANTS, LOANS, AND COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement;
- 2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions;
- 3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grant, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

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This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

RESTRICTION ON STATE LOBBYING

(applies to subrecipients as well as States)

None of the funds under this program will be used for any activity specifically designed to urge or influence a State or local legislator to favor or oppose the adoption of any specific legislative proposal pending before any State or local legislative body. Such activities include both direct and indirect (e.g., "grassroots") lobbying activities, with one exception. This does not preclude a State official whose salary is supported with NHTSA funds from engaging in direct communications with State or local legislative officials, in accordance with customary State practice, even if such communications urge legislative officials to favor or oppose the adoption of a specific pending legislative proposal.

CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION

(applies to all subrecipients as well as States)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PRIMARY TIER PARTICIPANT CERTIFICATION (STATES)

- 1. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective primary tier participant is providing the certification set out below and agrees to comply with the requirements of 2 CFR parts 180 and 1200.
- 2. The inability of a person to provide the certification required below will not necessarily result in denial of participation in this covered transaction. The prospective primary tier participant shall submit an explanation of why it cannot provide the certification set out below. The certification or explanation will be considered in connection with the department or agency's determination whether to enter into this transaction. However, failure of the prospective primary tier participant to furnish a certification or an explanation shall disqualify such person from participation in this transaction.
- 3. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when the department or agency determined to enter into this transaction. If it is later determined that the prospective primary tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency may terminate this transaction for cause or default or may pursue suspension or debarment.
- 4. The prospective primary tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the department or agency to which this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective primary tier participant learns its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 5. The terms **covered transaction, civil judgment, debarment, suspension, ineligible, participant, person, principal, and voluntarily excluded,** as used in this clause, are defined in <u>2 CFR parts 180</u> and <u>1200</u>. You may contact the department or agency to which this proposal is being submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations.
- 6. The prospective primary tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency entering into this transaction.
- 7. The prospective primary tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Instructions for Lower Tier Participant Certification" including the "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion—Lower Tier Covered Transaction," provided by the department or agency entering into this covered transaction, without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions and will require lower tier participants to comply with 2 CFR parts 180 and 1200.
- 8. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant is responsible for ensuring that its principals are not suspended, debarred, or otherwise ineligible to participate in covered transactions. To verify the eligibility of its principals, as well as the eligibility of any prospective lower tier participants, each participant may, but is not required to, check the System for Award Management Exclusions website (https://www.sam.gov/).
- 9. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 10. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 6 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency may terminate the transaction for cause or default

CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS—PRIMARY TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

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- 1. The prospective primary tier participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:
 - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participating in covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
 - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
 - c. Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1)(b) of this certification; and
 - d. Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) terminated for cause or default.
- 2. Where the prospective primary tier participant is unable to certify to any of the Statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR LOWER TIER PARTICIPANT CERTIFICATION

- 1. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier participant is providing the certification set out below and agrees to comply with the requirements of 2 CFR parts 180 and 1200.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective lower tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension or debarment.
- 3. The prospective lower tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective lower tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms **covered transaction, civil judgment, debarment, suspension, ineligible, participant, person, principal, and voluntarily excluded,** as used in this clause, are defined in <u>2 CFR parts 180</u> and <u>1200</u>. You may contact the person to whom this proposal is submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations.
- 5. The prospective lower tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Instructions for Lower Tier Participant Certification" including the "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion—Lower Tier Covered Transaction," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions and will require lower tier participants to comply with 2 CFR parts 180 and 1200.
- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant is responsible for ensuring that its principals are not suspended, debarred, or otherwise ineligible to participate in covered transactions. To verify the eligibility of its principals, as well as the eligibility of any prospective lower tier participants, each participant may, but is not required to, check the System for Award Management Exclusions website (https://www.sam.gov/).
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension or debarment.

CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION—LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

1. The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participating in covered transactions by any Federal department or agency.

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2. Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

BUY AMERICA

(applies to subrecipients as well as States)

The State and each subrecipient will comply with the Buy America requirement (23 U.S.C. 313) when purchasing items using Federal funds. Buy America requires a State, or subrecipient, to purchase with Federal funds only steel, iron and manufactured products produced in the United States, unless the Secretary of Transportation determines that such domestically produced items would be inconsistent with the public interest, that such materials are not reasonably available and of a satisfactory quality, or that inclusion of domestic materials will increase the cost of the overall project contract by more than 25 percent. In order to use Federal funds to purchase foreign produced items, the State must submit a waiver request that provides an adequate basis and justification for approval by the Secretary of Transportation.

CERTIFICATION ON CONFLICT OF INTEREST

(applies to subrecipients as well as States)

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

No employee, officer, or agent of a State or its subrecipient who is authorized in an official capacity to negotiate, make, accept, or approve, or to take part in negotiating, making, accepting, or approving any subaward, including contracts or subcontracts, in connection with this grant shall have, directly or indirectly, any financial or personal interest in any such subaward. Such a financial or personal interest would arise when the employee, officer, or agent, any member of his or her immediate family, his or her partner, or an organization which employs or is about to employ any of the parties indicated herein, has a financial or personal interest in or a tangible personal benefit from an entity considered for a subaward. Based on this policy:

- 1. The recipient shall maintain a written code or standards of conduct that provide for disciplinary actions to be applied for violations of such standards by officers, employees, or agents.
 - a. The code or standards shall provide that the recipient's officers, employees, or agents may neither solicit nor accept gratuities, favors, or anything of monetary value from present or potential subawardees, including contractors or parties to subcontracts.
 - b. The code or standards shall establish penalties, sanctions, or other disciplinary actions for violations, as permitted by State or local law or regulations.
- 2. The recipient shall maintain responsibility to enforce the requirements of the written code or standards of conduct.

DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS

No State or its subrecipient, including its officers, employees, or agents, shall perform or continue to perform under a grant or cooperative agreement, whose objectivity may be impaired because of any related past, present, or currently planned interest, financial or otherwise, in organizations regulated by NHTSA or in organizations whose interests may be substantially affected by NHTSA activities. Based on this policy:

- 1. The recipient shall disclose any conflict of interest identified as soon as reasonably possible, making an immediate and full disclosure in writing to NHTSA. The disclosure shall include a description of the action which the recipient has taken or proposes to take to avoid or mitigate such conflict.
- 2. NHTSA will review the disclosure and may require additional relevant information from the recipient. If a conflict of interest is found to exist, NHTSA may (a) terminate the award, or (b) determine that it is otherwise in the best interest of NHTSA to continue the award and include appropriate provisions to mitigate or avoid such conflict.
- 3. Conflicts of interest that require disclosure include all past, present, or currently planned organizational, financial, contractual, or other interest(s) with an organization regulated by NHTSA or with an organization whose interests may be substantially affected by NHTSA activities, and which are related to this award. The interest(s) that require disclosure include those of any recipient, affiliate, proposed consultant, proposed subcontractor, and key personnel of any of the above. Past interest shall be limited to within one year of the date of award. Key personnel shall include any person owning more than a 20 percent interest in a recipient, and the officers, employees or agents of a recipient who are responsible for making a decision or taking an action under an award where the decision or action can have an economic or other impact on the interests of a regulated or affected organization.

PROHIBITION ON USING GRANT FUNDS TO CHECK FOR HELMET USAGE

(applies to all subrecipients as well as States)

The State and each subrecipient will not use 23 U.S.C. Chapter 4 grant funds for programs to check helmet usage or to create checkpoints that specifically target motorcyclists.

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POLICY ON SEAT BELT USE

In accordance with Executive Order 13043, Increasing Seat Belt Use in the United States, dated April 16, 1997, the Grantee is encouraged to adopt and enforce on-the-job seat belt use policies and programs for its employees when operating company-owned, rented, or personally-owned vehicles. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) is responsible for providing leadership and guidance in support of this Presidential initiative. For information and resources on traffic safety programs and policies for employers, please contact the Network of Employers for Traffic Safety (NETS), a public-private partnership dedicated to improving the traffic safety practices of employers and employees. You can download information on seat belt programs, costs of motor vehicle crashes to employers, and other traffic safety initiatives at www.trafficsafety.org. The NHTSA website (www.nhtsa.gov) also provides information on statistics, campaigns, and program evaluations and references.

POLICY ON BANNING TEXT MESSAGING WHILE DRIVING

In accordance with Executive Order 13513, Federal Leadership On Reducing Text Messaging While Driving, and DOT Order 3902.10, Text Messaging While Driving, States are encouraged to adopt and enforce workplace safety policies to decrease crashes caused by distracted driving, including policies to ban text messaging while driving companyowned or rented vehicles, Government-owned, leased or rented vehicles, or privately-owned vehicles when on official Government business or when performing any work on or behalf of the Government. States are also encouraged to conduct workplace safety initiatives in a manner commensurate with the size of the business, such as establishment of new rules and programs or re-evaluation of existing programs to prohibit text messaging while driving, and education, awareness, and other outreach to employees about the safety risks associated with texting while driving.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR ADDING OR UPDATING GEMS USERS

- Each agency is allowed a total of <u>FIVE (5) GEMS Users</u>.
- 2. GEMS Users listed on this form will be authorized to login to GEMS to complete and submit Quarterly Performance Reports (QPRs) and reimbursement claims.
- 3. Complete the form if adding, removing or editing a GEMS user(s).
- 4. The Grant Director must sign this form and return it with the Grant Agreement.

GRANT DETAILS

Grant Number: AL25015

Agency Name: Santa Barbara County Probation Department

Grant Title: Intensive Probation Supervision for High-Risk Felony and Repeat DUI Offenders

Agreement Total: \$200,612.00
Authorizing Official: Holly L. Benton
Fiscal Official: Damon Fletcher
Grant Director: Spencer Cross

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Complete the below information if adding, removing or editing a GEMS user(s)

GEMS User 1 Add/Change ✓	Remove Access	Add as a media contact? Yes No No		
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Name		Job Title		
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Email address		Phone number		
GEMS User 2 Add/Change	Remove Access	Add as a media contact? Yes No No		
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GEMS User 4 Add/Change	Remove Access	Add as a media contact? Yes No No		
Name		Job Title		
Email address		Phone number		
GEMS User 5 Add/Change	Remove Access	Add as a media contact? Yes No No		
Name		Job Title		
Email address		Phone number		
Form completed by: E	Date: Oct 9, 2024			
As a signatory I hereby authorize the listed individual(s) to represent and have GEMS user access. Spencer Cross Spencer Cross				
Signature		Name		
Oct 9, 2024		Grant Director		
Date		Title		

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