

**SANTA FE COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

RESOLUTION NO. 2026 - 091

**A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING AND RATIFYING THE COUNTY MANAGER'S
SIGNATURE AUTHORIZING GRANT AGREEMENT SAP 25-J4344-STBR,
AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO SANTA FE COUNTY AGREEMENT 2022-0080-FIN, ON
BEHALF OF SANTA FE COUNTY FOR THE MASTER PLAN AND PRELIMINARY
ENGINEERING REPORT IN LA CIENEGA SPRINGS AND THE ASSIGNMENT OF
GRANT ROLES TO AUTHORIZED COUNTY PERSONNEL**

WHEREAS, the State Legislature of New Mexico passed House Bill 285 in 2021 for Capital Outlay; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 285 was signed into law by Governor is now Chapter 138 of the Laws of 2021; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Laws of 2021, Chapter 138, Section 21, Subsection 83 the New Mexico Legislature appropriated a total of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars \$150,000 for a master plan and a preliminary engineering report to evaluate existing water infrastructure, to examine uses and impacts and to identify the best methods for increasing flows in La Cienega springs and traditional water sources for La Cienega in Santa Fe County; and

WHEREAS, on October 26th, 2021, the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Fe County approved Santa Fe County Resolution 2021-089 which ratified and confirmed the Santa Fe County Manager's signature and approval of Grant SAP 21-F2379-STB for the appropriation originally authorized in Section 21, Subsection 83 of Chapter 138, Laws 2021 as Santa Fe County (SFC) Agreement No. 2022-0080-FIN on behalf of Santa Fe County; and

WHEREAS, the State Legislature of New Mexico passed Senate Bill 425 in 2025 for Capital Outlay; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 425 was signed into law by Governor is now Chapter 158 of the Laws of 2025; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 346 of Chapter 158, Laws 2025, the Legislature extended through Fiscal Year 2027 the time of expenditure for the appropriation originally authorized in Section 21, Subsection 83 of Chapter 138, Laws 2021; and

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County desires to continue to work towards the completion of the La Cienega Water Master Plan and Preliminary Engineering Report project in accordance with the legislative appropriation and reauthorization; and

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County and the New Mexico Environment Department intend to enter into Grant Agreement SAP 25-J4344-STBR (formally SAP 21-F2379-STB), as the 2nd Amendment to SFC Agreement No. 2022-0080-FIN to facilitate the extended deadline for the expenditure of the appropriated funds and completion of the project.

SFC CLERK RECORDED 07/15/2026

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Santa Fe County Board of County Commissioners hereby:

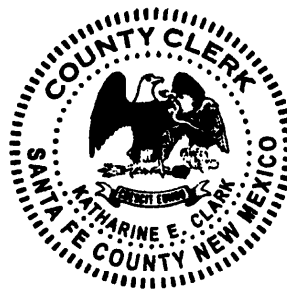
1. Approve and ratify Amendment No. 2 to SFC Agreement No. 2022-0080-FIN, now identified as Grant Agreement SAP 25-J4344-STBR, which extends the term of the grant through Fiscal Year 2027 and continues the availability of previously appropriated grant funds in the amount of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000). Pursuant to Santa Fe County Resolution No. 2018-99, the Board of County Commissioners hereby confirms and ratifies the County Manager's signature and authorization of Grant Agreement SAP 25-J4344-STBR on behalf of Santa Fe County.
2. Authorizes Santa Fe County Manager Gregory S. Shaffer to sign Grant Agreement SAP 25-J4344-STBR, including any amendments.
3. Assigns Santa Fe County Finance Division Director Yvonne S. Herrera as the official representative authorized to sign all other documents necessary to fulfill the Grant Agreement and the requirements (project description, disbursements and to act as the project contract) concerning Grant Agreement SAP 25-J4344-STBR.
4. Designates Santa Fe County Deputy Finance Division Director Elena Tercero to update the DFA Database quarterly per Article VIII of Grant Agreement SAP 25-J4344-STBR.
5. And Designates Santa Fe County Deputy Finance Division Director Elena Tercero as the contact for Notice of Obligation requests for Grant Agreement SAP 25-J4344-STBR.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED ON THIS 13th DAY OF July, 2026.

**SANTA FE COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

By: _____

Justin S. Greene, Chair



ATTEST:

Katharine E. Clark
Santa Fe County Clerk

Date: 07/15/2026

Approved as to form:

Peter Valencia for

Walker Boyd
Santa Fe County Attorney

COUNTY OF SANTA FE)
STATE OF NEW MEXICO) ss

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I, _____, County Clerk, do hereby certify that this instrument was filed for record on the 15th day of July, 2026 at 02:46:21 PM and was duly recorded as instrument # 2087722 of the records of Santa Fe County.

Deputy _____

Witness My Hand And Seal Of Office
Katharine E. Clark
County Clerk, Santa Fe, NM

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**NEW MEXICO CAPITAL OUTLAY GRANT AGREEMENT
CAPITAL APPROPRIATION PROJECT**

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the State of New Mexico, New Mexico Environment Department, ("**Department**") and Santa Fe County, ("**Grantee**") (individually "**Party**" and collectively "**Parties**"). This Agreement shall be effective as of the date the Department executes it ("**Effective Date**").

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, in the Laws of 2025, Chapter 158, Section 346, the Legislature made an appropriation to the Department, funds from which the Department is making available to the Grantee pursuant to this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Department is granting to Grantee, and the Grantee is accepting the grant of funds from this appropriation, in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and obligations contained herein, the parties hereby mutually agree as follows:

AGREEMENT

I. PROJECT DESCRIPTION, GRANT AMOUNT, AND REVERSION

- A. SAP 25-J4344-STBR ("**Project**") **June 30, 2027** ("**Reversion Date**"). Laws of 2025, Chapter 158, Section 346, One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars, (\$150,000.00), The time of expenditure for the department of environment project in Subsection 83 of Section 21 of Chapter 138 of Laws 2021 for a master plan and a preliminary engineering report to evaluate existing water infrastructure, to examine uses and impacts and to identify the best methods for increasing flows in La Cienega springs and traditional water sources for La Cienega in Santa Fe county is extended through fiscal year 2027..
- B. Grantee's total reimbursements shall not exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars \$150,000.00 ("**Appropriation Amount**") minus the allocation for Art in Public Places ("**AIPP amount**"), if applicable, No Dollars, \$0.00, which equals One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars, \$150,000.00 ("**Adjusted Appropriation Amount**").
- C. In the event of a conflict among the Appropriation Amount, the Reversion Date, as defined herein and/or the purpose of the Project, as set forth in this Agreement, and the corresponding appropriation language in the laws cited above in this Article I, the language of the laws cited herein shall control.

The information contained in Article I is referred to collectively as the "**Project Description**."

II. DISBURSEMENT LIMITATION

- A. Upon the Effective Date, the Grantee shall submit to the Department a comprehensive procurement plan and expenditure plan, detailing a Project timeline with milestones, required procurements, and identifying expected expenditures per milestone (collectively, "**Project Budget**"). The Department shall review and approve the Project Budget by approving a Notice of Department's Obligation ("**Notice of Obligation**"), in accordance with the Project Description, a sample of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit B** and incorporated herein by reference. After receipt of approved Notice of Obligation, the Grantee may be reimbursed for allowable costs up to the Adjusted Appropriation Amount. This Agreement and any reimbursements up to the Adjusted Appropriation Amount are expressly conditioned upon the following:

- a. Irrespective of any Notice of Obligation, Grantee's expenditures shall be made in accordance with the Project Budget, on or before the Reversion Date and/or, if applicable, any Early Termination Date; and
 - b. The total amount received by Grantee shall not exceed the lesser of:
 - i. the Adjusted Appropriation Amount identified in Article I (B) herein; or
 - ii. the total of all amounts stated in the Notice(s) of Obligation evidencing the Department has received and accepted Grantee's Third Party Obligation(s); and
 - c. Grantee's expenditures are made and accounted for pursuant to the State Procurement Code, State's Model Accounting Practices, and execution of binding written obligations or purchase orders with third-party contractors or vendors for the provision of services, including professional services, or the purchase of tangible personal property and real property for the Project ("**Third Party Obligations**"); and
 - d. Grantee's submittal of timely Requests for Payment and supporting documentation in accordance with the procedures set forth in this Agreement; and
 - e. In the event capital assets acquired with Project funds are to be sold, leased, or licensed to or operated by a private entity, the sale, lease, license, or operating agreement:
 - i. must be approved by the applicable oversight entity (if any) in accordance with §§ 13-6-2, 13-6-2.1, and 13-6-3; or
 - ii. If no oversight entity is required to approve the transaction, the Department of Finance and Administration's Infrastructure Planning Development Division (IPDD) must approve it as complying with the law.
- B. Prior to the sale, lease, license, or operating agreement being approved pursuant to Articles II(A)(e) (i) or (ii) herein, the Department may, in its sole and absolute discretion, unless inconsistent with State Board of Finance imposed conditions, reimburse Grantee for necessary expenditures incurred to develop the Project sufficiently to make the sale, lease, license, or operating agreement commercially feasible, limited to planning and design expenditures; and
- C. Grantee's submission of documentation of all Third Party Obligations and amendments thereto (including terminations) to the Department and the Department's issuance of a Notice of Obligation for a particular amount in accordance with the terms of this Agreement shall be governed by the following:
- a. Grantee is authorized to budget the particular amount set forth in the Notice of Obligation, execute the Third Party Obligation, and request the Third Party to begin work after issuance of a Notice of Obligation by the Department.
 - b. Grantee acknowledges and agrees that any Third Party Obligations agreed to prior to receiving a Notice of Obligation are its sole responsibility.
 - c. Grantee shall submit to the Department one copy of all Third Party Obligations and amendments thereto (including terminations) as soon as possible after execution by the Third Party but prior to execution by the Grantee.
 - d. Department may, in its sole and absolute discretion, issue a Notice of Obligation for the particular amount of a Third Party Obligation that only obligates the Department to reimburse Grantee's expenditures made on or before the Reversion Date or an Early Termination Date. The current Notice of Obligation form is incorporated herein and attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.
- D. Grantee shall provide all necessary qualified personnel, materials, and facilities to implement the Project. The Grantee shall finance its share (if any) of the costs of the Project, including all Project overruns.

- E. Prior to entering into this Agreement, the Department conducted a risk assessment on the Grantee and a project readiness review for the Project. In accordance with State Model Accounting Practices, FIN 9.2, if the Department determines that the expenditure of Project funds by the Grantee requires special conditions, those conditions are identified and listed in **Exhibit C**, which is attached and incorporated by reference. The Parties agree that, to the extent the Department, in its sole and absolute discretion, determines additional special conditions are necessary or that existing special conditions are no longer required, it may update **Exhibit C** from time to time without the need for a formal amendment of this Agreement.
- F. Project funds shall not be used for purposes other than those authorized by the Department in accordance with the Project Description.
- G. Project funds cannot be used to reimburse the Grantee for indirect Project costs unless specifically allowed by law.

III. NOTICES

The following provisions shall apply whenever written notices, including written decisions, are to be given or received related to this Agreement.

- A. The Grantee designates the person(s) listed below, or their successor, as their official representative(s) concerning all matters related to this Agreement:

Grantee: Santa Fe County
Name: Gregory S. Shaffer
Title: County Manager
Address: 102 Grant Avenue, Santa Fe, NM 87501
Email: gshaffer@santafecountynm.gov
Telephone: (505) 986-6200

- B. The Grantee designates the person(s) listed below, or their successor, as their Fiscal Officer or Fiscal Agent concerning all matters related to this Agreement:

Grantee: Santa Fe County
Name: Yvonne Herrera
Title: Finance Division Director
Address: 102 Grant Avenue, Santa Fe, NM 87501
Email: yherrera@santafecountynm.gov
Telephone: (505) 995-2781

- C. The Department designates the persons listed below, or their successors, as the Points of Contact for matters related to this Agreement.

Environment Department
Name: Unassigned User
Program Administrator
<u>NMENV-cpbsap@state.nm.us</u> or
Telephone:

Environment Department
Name: Andrea Telmo

Project Manager
Email: andrea.telmo@env.nm.gov
Telephone: 505-618-0484

Environment Department
Sara Rhoton
Technical Section Manager
Sara.rhoton@env.nm.gov
Telephone: 505-469-2687

The Parties agree that all notices, including written decisions, related to this Agreement shall be sent to the persons named above by email or regular mail. For mailings, notices shall be deemed to have been given and received upon the date of the receiving party's actual receipt or five (5) calendar days after mailing, whichever shall first occur. In the case of email transmissions, the notice shall be deemed to have been given and received on the date reflected on the delivery receipt of the email.

IV. TERM & DEADLINE TO EXPEND FUNDS

- A. The term of this Agreement shall begin on the Effective Date and terminate on the 30th day of June during the calendar year of the Reversion Date unless Terminated Before Reversion Date ("**Early Termination**") pursuant to Article V herein (collectively "**Term**").
- B. The Project's funds must be expended on or before the Reversion Date and, if applicable, the Early Termination Date of this Agreement.
 - a. For purposes of this Agreement, it is not sufficient for the Grantee to encumber the Project funds on its books on or before the Reversion Date or Early Termination Date.
 - b. For purposes of this Agreement, an expenditure of funds has occurred on the date the particular quantity of goods is delivered to and received by the Grantee, title to the goods is transferred to the Grantee, and/or as of the date particular services are rendered to and accepted by the Grantee.
 - c. For purposes of this Agreement, an encumbrance of funds pursuant to a contract or purchase order with a third party does not qualify as an expenditure.

V. EARLY TERMINATION

- A. General Provision. The Department may terminate this Agreement before the Reversion Date based on the Completion of the Project, Complete Expenditure of the Adjusted Appropriation, and/or Violation of this Agreement. Early Termination hereunder includes:
 - a. Termination due to completion of the Project before the Reversion Date;
 - b. Termination due to complete expenditure of the Adjusted Appropriation Amount before the Reversion Date;
 - c. Termination for violation of the terms of this Agreement; or
 - d. Termination for suspected mishandling of public funds, including but not limited to fraud, waste, abuse, and conflicts of interest.
- B. Non-appropriation. This Agreement is expressly contingent upon the New Mexico State Legislature making sufficient appropriations and authorizations for the Project Description.

- a. If the Legislature does not appropriate the Appropriation Amount, this Agreement shall terminate upon the Department giving the Grantee written notice of such termination. Such termination shall be effective as of the effective date of the law making the non-appropriation.
 - i. The Department's decision as to whether sufficient appropriations or authorizations are available shall be final. Grantee hereby waives any rights to assert an impairment of contract claim against the State of New Mexico in the event of Early Termination of this Agreement.
 - b. As used herein, "non-appropriate" or "non-appropriation" includes the following actions by the New Mexico Legislature:
 - i. Deauthorization, reauthorization, or revocation of a prior authorization.
- C. Grant Disbursements in the Event of Early Termination. In the event of Early Termination, the Department's sole and absolute obligation to reimburse the Grantee is expressly conditioned upon the limitations set forth in Article II above.
- D. Notice. Either Party may terminate this Agreement prior to the Reversion Date by providing the other Party with a minimum of fifteen (15) days advance written notice of the Early Termination. Grantee hereby waives any rights to assert an impairment of contract claim against the State of New Mexico in the event of Early Termination of this Agreement by the Department.

VI. SUSPENSION OF NEW OR FURTHER OBLIGATIONS

- A. Department, in its sole and absolute discretion, may provide written notice to Grantee to suspend entering into further obligations. Upon the receipt of such written notice by the Grantee:
- a. Grantee shall immediately suspend entering into new or further written obligations with third parties;
 - b. Department will suspend the issuance of any new or further Notice of Obligation under this Agreement; and
 - c. Department may direct the Grantee to implement a corrective action plan in accordance with Article VI (D) herein.
- B. In the event of Suspension of this Agreement, the Department's sole and absolute obligation to reimburse the Grantee is expressly conditioned upon the limitations set forth in Article II herein.
- C. A suspension of new or further obligations under this Agreement shall remain in effect unless or until the date the Grantee receives written notice given by the Department informing the Grantee that the Suspension has been lifted or that the Agreement has been Early Terminated in accordance with Article V herein. If the Suspension is lifted, the Department will consider further requests for a Notice of Obligation.
- D. Corrective Action Plan in the Event of Suspension. Where the Department, in its sole and absolute discretion, directs Grantee to suspend entering into new or further written obligations with third parties pursuant to Article VI(A), the Department may, but is not obligated to, require the Grantee to develop and implement a written corrective action plan to remedy the grounds for the Suspension.
- a. Such a corrective action plan must be approved by the Department and be signed by the Grantee.
 - b. Failure to sign a corrective action plan or meet the terms and deadlines set forth in the signed corrective action plan is hereby deemed a violation of the terms of this Agreement for purposes of Early Termination, Article V(A)(c).

- c. A corrective action plan shall be in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other equitable or legal remedy authorized hereunder or at law, including but not limited to Early Termination.

VII. AMENDMENTS

Unless expressly stated otherwise herein, this Agreement shall not be altered, changed, or amended except by an instrument in writing duly executed by both parties hereto with the same formalities as this agreement.

VIII. REPORTING

A. Database Reporting

- a. Grantee shall provide the Department with quarterly reports of Project activity, entering the required Project information directly into a database required by the Department.
- b. Additionally, Grantee shall certify on each Request for Payment form, attached hereto as **Exhibit A** and incorporated herein, that all information provided in the database is true and accurate, updates to the database have been maintained, and all Project activity complies with applicable law and the terms of this Agreement.
- c. Grantee hereby acknowledges that failure to perform and/or certify updates to the database will jeopardize the reimbursement of funds. The Department shall give Grantee a minimum of fourteen (14) days' advance written notice of any changes to the information the Grantee is required to report.
- d. At the Department's discretion, all reports required hereunder may be directed to and facilitated through an electronic database.
- e. Quarterly reports shall be due on the last day of the month, that is, 30 days prior to the end of the quarter following the execution of this Agreement by the Department and ending during the quarter of the submission of the final request for reimbursement for the Project, or the following quarter.

B. Requests for Additional Information/Project Inspection

During the term of this Agreement and during the period of time during which the Grantee must maintain records pursuant to Article VIII, the Department may:

- i. request such additional information regarding the Project as it deems necessary; and
- ii. conduct, at reasonable times and upon reasonable notice, onsite inspections of the Project.

Grantee shall respond to such requests for additional information within a reasonable period of time, as established by the Department.

B. Requests for Additional Information/Project Inspection

- a. During the term of this Agreement and the Record Retention Period, the Department may:
 - i. Request additional information regarding the Project as it deems necessary and
 - ii. Conduct on-site inspections of the Project at reasonable times and upon reasonable notice.
- b. Grantee shall respond to such requests for additional information within the time established by the Department.

IX. REQUEST FOR PAYMENT PROCEDURES

- A. Grantee shall request payment by submitting the form attached hereto as **Exhibit A**. Payment requests are subject to the following procedures:

- a. Each Request for Payment must be in accordance with the Project Budget and contain proof of payment by the Grantee or liabilities incurred by the Grantee.
 - i. Proof of payment must demonstrate the validity of an expenditure or liabilities incurred by Grantee.
 - ii. However, Grantee may be reimbursed for unpaid liabilities only if the Department, in its sole and absolute discretion, agrees to do so and in accordance with any special conditions imposed by the Department.
 - iii. The Grantee shall make payment to those contractors or vendors within five (5) business days from the date of receiving reimbursement from the Department or in a shorter period than the Department may prescribe in writing.
 - iv. The Department reserves the right to make such payments directly to the contractors or vendors as a special condition under this Agreement.
 - v. The Grantee is required to certify to the Department proof of payment to the third-party contractor or vendor within five (5) business days from the date the Department reimburses the Grantee.

B. Until the Project is fully planned, designed, and all necessary procurements identified in the Project Budget are completed, Grantee's reimbursements will be limited to the planning, design, and procurement costs outlined in the Project Budget. Once the planning, designing, and procuring stages are complete, the Grantee must obligate at least ten percent (10%) of the Adjusted Appropriation Amount within one (1) year and must have utilized at least eighty-five percent (85%) of the Adjusted Appropriation Amount six (6) months before the reversion date.

C. Deadlines. Grantee shall submit requests for Payments to the Department on the earlier of:

- a. Immediately as Grantee receives them, but at a maximum of thirty (30) days from when Grantee incurred the expenditure or liability; or
- b. Twenty (20) days from the date of Early Termination or Reversion Date for expenditures or liabilities incurred before the Early Termination date or Reversion Date.

D. Grantee's failure to abide by the requirements set forth in Article II and Article IX herein may result in the denial of its Request for Payment. Department reserves the right to reject a payment request for the Project unless and until it is satisfied that the expenditures or liabilities are for permissible purposes within the meaning of the Project Description, identified within the Project Budget, and that the Grantee is otherwise in compliance with this Agreement.

- a. Department's authority to reject any Request for Payment is in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other legal or equitable remedy available to the Department under this Agreement, at law, or in equity.

X. PROJECT CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS

A. The following general conditions and restrictions shall apply to the Project:

- a. The Project's funds must be spent in accordance with all applicable state laws, regulations, policies, and guidelines, including, but not limited to, the State Procurement Code.
- b. The Project's expenditures and liabilities must be accounted for in accordance with the State's Model Accounting Practices, as amended from time to time.

- c. The Project must be implemented in accordance with the New Mexico Public Works Minimum Wage Act, Section 13-4-10 through 13-4-17 NMSA 1978, as applicable.
- d. The Project must provide a public benefit above and beyond any incidental benefit to private entities in accordance with applicable law, including, but not limited to, Article IX, Section 14 of the Constitution of the State of New Mexico.
- e. Without prior written approval from the Department and State Board of Finance, for the useful life of any asset purchased under this Agreement, Grantee shall not convert any property acquired, built, renovated, repaired, designed, or developed with Project funds to uses other than those specified in the Project Description.
 - i. In addition to other remedies available at law or in equity, any disposal or conversion of property acquired, built, renovated, repaired, designed, or developed with Project funds without the Department's and the Board of Finance's express written approval will trigger the Department's right to reimbursement from Grantee of the Appropriated Amount, transfer proceeds from any disposition of property to the State, or otherwise provide consideration to the State for the Appropriated Amounts.
- f. Grantee shall comply with all applicable federal and state laws, rules, and regulations pertaining to civil rights and equal employment opportunity.
 - i. In accordance with all such laws, rules, and regulations, the Grantee agrees to assure that no person shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, sexual preference, age, or handicap, be excluded from participation in the Project, use of the Project, employment with Grantee, or otherwise be denied benefits/subject to discrimination for any activity performed under this Agreement.
- g. Where the Department, in its sole and absolute discretion, determines Grantee has failed to comply with the above conditions and restriction, Grantee agrees to take appropriate steps to correct any deficiencies immediately. The Grantee's failure to implement such appropriate steps within a reasonable time, but no longer than thirty (30) days after notice from the Department, constitutes a breach of this Agreement and grounds for Early Termination.

XI. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

A. Reliance by Department.

- a. Grantee expressly acknowledges that the Department relies on the representations and warranties made by Grantee in this Agreement. Grantee acknowledges that such representations and warranties are a material inducement for the Department to enter into this Agreement and provide the Appropriated Amount.
- b. Grantee shall ensure all representations and warranties provided herein are true, accurate, and complete as of the date of the Effective Date and shall remain so throughout the Term of this Agreement. Grantee is responsible for promptly notifying the Department in writing of any changes or inaccuracies in the representations and warranties contained herein.

B. Grantee hereby represents and warrants the following:

- a. Grantee has taken all necessary steps to attain the legal authority to receive and expend the Project's funds.
- b. Grantee has duly authorized this Agreement, and the person executing it has authority to do so. Once executed by Grantee, this Agreement shall constitute a binding obligation of Grantee, enforceable according to its terms.
- c. Grantee's obligations hereunder do not conflict with any law, ordinance, or resolution applicable to Grantee, Grantee's charter (if applicable), or any judgment or decree to which Grantee is subject.

- d. Grantee has independently confirmed that the Project Description, including, but not limited to, the Appropriated Amount and Reversion Date, is consistent with the underlying appropriation in law.
 - e. Grantee's governing body has duly adopted or passed as an official act a resolution, motion, or similar action authorizing the person identified as the official representative of the Grantee to sign and submit Requests for Payment on behalf of Grantee.
 - f. Grantee will abide by New Mexico laws regarding conflicts of interest, governmental conduct, and whistleblower protection.
 - i. Grantee agrees explicitly none of its officers or employees or its designees or agents, no member of the governing body, and no other public official of Grantee who exercises any function or responsibility with respect to this Agreement, shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract, or the proceeds thereof, for the Project.
 - ii. Further, Grantee will require all of its contractors to incorporate the language set forth in this paragraph prohibiting conflicts of interest in all subcontracts.
 - g. No funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Grantee, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of the State, any agency, or body in connection with the awarding of any Third Party Obligation.
 - i. Grantee will require certifying language prohibiting lobbying to be included in the award documents for all subawards, including subcontracts, loans, and cooperative agreements.
- C. **Consequences of False or Misleading Representations.** If any representation or warranty made by Grantee is found to be false or misleading, the Department shall have the right to exercise any or all of the following remedies:
- a. **Termination of Agreement:** Department may terminate this Agreement immediately upon written notice to the Grantee.
 - b. **Repayment of Grant Funds:** Grantee shall repay all Appropriated Amounts disbursed under this Agreement, upon demand by the Department.
 - c. **Other Remedies:** Department may pursue any other remedies available at law or in equity.
- D. **Survival of Representations and Warranties.** The representations and warranties made by the Grantee shall survive the Early Termination or expiration of this Agreement.

XII. PROJECT RECORDS

- A. Grantee shall be strictly accountable for receipts and disbursements relating to the Project's funds. The Grantee shall follow generally accepted accounting principles and the State's Model Accounting Practices and, if feasible, maintain a separate bank account or fund with a separate organizational code to ensure separate budgeting and accounting of the funds.
- B. For six (6) years following the Project's completion ("**Record Retention Period**"), Grantee shall maintain all Project-related records, including, but not limited to, all financial records, requests for proposals, invitations to bid, selection and award criteria, contracts and subcontracts, advertisements, minutes of pertinent meetings, as well as records sufficient to fully account for the amount and disposition of the Appropriated Amount from all sources budgeted for the Project, the purpose for which such funds were used, and such other records as the Department may prescribe.
- C. Grantee shall make all Project records available to the Department, the Department's Independent Public Accountant, and the New Mexico State Auditor upon request. With respect to the funds that are the subject of this Agreement, if the State Auditor or the Department finds any funds were improperly expended, Grantee shall be required to reimburse the State all amounts found to be improperly expended.

XIII. IMPROPERLY REIMBURSED FUNDS

If the Department determines part or all of the Appropriation Amount was improperly reimbursed to Grantee, including but not limited to funds reimbursed to Grantee based upon fraud, mismanagement, misrepresentation, misuse, violation of law by the Grantee, after ten (10) days' notice to Grantee and the opportunity to return such funds to the Department, the Department may offset any funds due to Grantee from the State, until the Appropriation Amount is fully repaid.

XIV. LIABILITY

Neither Party shall be responsible for liability incurred as a result of the other Party's acts or omissions in connection with this Agreement. Any liability incurred in connection with this Agreement is subject to immunities and limitations of the New Mexico Tort Claims Act.

XV. SCOPE OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement constitutes the entire and exclusive agreement between the Parties concerning the subject matter hereof. The Agreement supersedes all prior or contemporaneous agreements, understandings, discussions, communications, and representations, written or verbal.

XVI. REQUIRED NON-APPROPRIATIONS CLAUSE

- A. Grantee acknowledges and agrees to include a "non-appropriations" clause in all contracts between it and other parties that are (i) funded in whole or part by funds made available under this Agreement and (ii) entered into after the effective date of this Agreement that states:
 - a. "The terms of this Agreement are contingent upon sufficient appropriations and authorization being made by the Legislature of the State of New Mexico ("**Legislature**") for the performance of this Agreement.
 - b. If the Legislature does not make sufficient appropriations and authorization, [Grantee's name] may immediately terminate this Agreement by giving Contractor written notice of such termination.
 - c. [Grantee's name]'s decision as to whether sufficient appropriations are available shall be final and accepted by the Contractor. Contractor hereby waives any rights to assert an impairment of contract claim against the [Grantee's name] or the State of New Mexico in the event of immediate or Early Termination of this Agreement by the [Grantee's name] or the State Department of Finance and Administration."

XVII. REQUIRED TERMINATION CLAUSE

- A. Grantee acknowledges and agrees to include the following termination clause in all contracts that are (i) funded in whole or part by funds made available under this Agreement and (ii) entered into after the effective date of this Agreement:
 - a. "This contract is funded in whole or in part by funds made available by the State of New Mexico ("**State**"). Should the State terminate its Agreement with [Grantee's name], [Grantee's name] may terminate this contract immediately by providing Contractor written notice of such termination.
 - b. In the event of termination pursuant to this paragraph, [Grantee's name] only liability to Contractor shall be for goods and services delivered and accepted prior to the termination date."

XVIII. COMPLIANCE WITH UNIFORM FUNDING CRITERIA

A. Throughout the term of this Agreement, Grantee shall:

- a. Submit all reports of annual audits and agreed-upon procedures required by § 12-6-3(A)-(B), NMSA 1978 by the due dates established in § 2.2.2 NMAC, reports of which must be a public record pursuant to § 12-6-5(A), NMSA 1978 within forty-five (45) days of delivery to the State Auditor;
- b. Have a duly adopted budget for the current fiscal year approved by its budgetary oversight agency (if any);
- c. Timely submit all required financial reports to its budgetary oversight agency (if any); and
- d. Use accounting methods and procedures consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and the State's Model Accounting Principals to expend the Appropriated Amount in accordance with applicable law and account for and safeguard Project funds and assets acquired with Project funds.

B. In the event Grantee fails to comply with the requirements of subparagraph A of this Article XVIII, Department may take one or more of the following actions:

- a. Suspend new or further obligations pursuant to Article VI(A) of this Agreement;
- b. Require the Grantee to develop and implement a written corrective action plan pursuant to Article VI(D) of this Agreement to remedy the non-compliance;
- c. Impose special conditions to address the non-compliance by giving Grantee notice of such special conditions in accordance with Article III of this Agreement;
 - i. The Parties agree that any special conditions imposed to address non-compliance shall be incorporated into this Agreement, through **Exhibit C**, upon notice to Grantee, without need for formal amendment of this Agreement;
 - ii. Special conditions shall be binding and effective on the date that notice is deemed to have been given pursuant to Article III or
- d. Terminate this Agreement pursuant to Article V(A) of this Agreement.

XIX. SEVERANCE TAX AND GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS

A. Grantee acknowledges and agrees that the underlying appropriation for the Project may originate from the issuance of tax-exempt severance tax bonds or general obligation bonds by the State. Proceeds from such bonds are administered by the New Mexico State Board of Finance ("**SBOF**"), an entity separate and distinct from the Department.

- a. Grantee acknowledges and agrees:
 - i. It is Grantee's responsibility to determine through SBOF what (if any) conditions are currently imposed on the Project;
 - ii. Department's failure to inform Grantee of an SBOF-imposed condition does not affect the validity or enforceability of the condition;
 - iii. The SBOF may in the future impose further or different conditions upon the Project;
 - iv. All SBOF conditions are attached to the Project and Appropriation Amount without the need for formal amendment of this Agreement;
 - v. All applicable SBOF conditions must be satisfied before the SBOF will release to the Department funds subject to the condition(s) and
 - vi. The Department's obligation to reimburse Grantee from the Project is expressly contingent upon the satisfaction of the then-current SBOF conditions.

- B. Grantee acknowledges and agrees SBOF may, at its sole and absolute discretion, require reimbursement or remove eligibility for bond proceeds for the Project if the Project doesn't proceed sufficiently.
 - a. Grantee must comply with the requirement to encumber five percent (5%) of Project funds within six months of bond issuance as certified by Grantee in the Bond Questionnaire and Certification documents submitted to the SBOF.
 - b. Failure to comply may result in the reassignment of the bond proceeds. Upon reassignment of bond proceeds, this Agreement will be suspended until the entity has demonstrated readiness as determined by the SBOF and the Department.
- C. Grantee acknowledges and agrees that this Agreement is subject to the SBOF's Bond Project Disbursements rule, § 2.61.6, NMAC, as may be amended from time to time or re-codified.

XX. GENERAL PROVISIONS

- A. Assignment: Grantee's rights and obligations under this Agreement are personal and may not be transferred or assigned without the prior written consent of the State. Any attempt at assignment or transfer without such consent shall be void. Any assignment or transfer of Grantee's rights and obligations approved by the State shall be subject to the provisions of this Agreement.
- B. Subcontractors: Grantee shall not enter any subgrant or subcontract in connection with its obligations under this Agreement without the prior written approval of the State. Upon request, Grantee shall submit to the Department a copy of each such subgrant or subcontract.
- C. Binding Effect: Except as otherwise provided, all provisions of this Agreement, including the benefits and burdens, shall extend to and be binding upon the Parties' respective successors and assigns.
- D. Authority: Each Party represents and warrants to the other that the execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of such Party's obligations have been duly authorized.
- E. Captions and References: The captions and headings in this Agreement are for the convenience of reference only and shall not be used to interpret, define, or limit its provisions. All references in this Agreement to sections (whether spelled out or using the § symbol), subsections, exhibits, or other attachments are references to sections, subsections, exhibits, or other attachments contained herein or incorporated as a part hereof, unless otherwise noted.
- F. Counterparts: This Agreement may be executed in multiple, identical, original counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all of which, taken together, shall constitute the same agreement.
- G. Digital Signatures: If any signatory signs this agreement using a digital signature in accordance with the State Policies regarding the use of digital signatures, then any agreement or consent to use digital signatures within the electronic system through which that signatory signed shall be incorporated into this Agreement by reference.
- H. Modification: Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, any modification to this Agreement shall only be effective if agreed to in a formal amendment, properly executed and approved in accordance with applicable New Mexico law and State fiscal policies and rules. Modifications permitted under this Agreement, other than Agreement amendments, shall conform to the policies issued by the State.
- I. Statutes, Regulations, Fiscal Rules, and Other Authority: Any reference in this Agreement to a statute, regulation, policy, or other authority shall be interpreted to refer to such authority then current, as may have been changed or amended after the Effective Date of this Agreement.

- J. External Terms and Conditions: Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the State shall not be subject to any provision included in any terms, conditions, or agreements appearing on Grantee's or a subcontractor's website or any provision incorporated into any click-through or online agreements related to the Work unless that provision is specifically referenced in this Agreement.
- K. Severability: The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Agreement, which shall remain in full force and effect, provided that the Parties can continue to perform their obligations under this Agreement in accordance with its intent.
- L. Survival of Certain Agreement Terms: Any provision of this Agreement that imposes an obligation on a Party after the termination or expiration of this Agreement shall survive the termination or expiration of this Agreement and shall be enforceable by the other Party.
- M. Third Party Beneficiaries: Except for the Parties' respective successors and assigns described in this Agreement, it does not and is not intended to confer any rights or remedies upon any person or entity other than the Parties. Enforcement of this Agreement and all rights and obligations hereunder are reserved solely to the Parties. Any services or benefits that third parties receive as a result of this Agreement are incidental to this Agreement and do not create any rights for such third parties.
- N. Waiver: A Party's failure or delay in exercising any right, power, or privilege under this Agreement, whether explicit or by lack of enforcement, shall not operate as a waiver, nor shall any single or partial exercise of any right, power, or privilege preclude any other or further exercise of such right, power, or privilege.
- O. Standard and Manner of Performance: Grantee shall perform its obligations under this Agreement in accordance with the highest standards of care, skill, and diligence in Grantee's industry, trade, or profession.
- P. Licenses, Permits, and Other Authorizations: Grantee shall secure, prior to the Effective Date, and maintain at all times during the term of this Agreement, at its sole expense, all licenses, certifications, permits, and other authorizations required to perform its obligations under this Agreement and shall ensure that all employees, agents, and subcontractors secure and maintain at all times during the term of their employment, agency or subcontractor, all license, certifications, permits and other authorizations required to perform their obligations in relation to this Agreement.
- Q. Publicity: Any Publicity regarding the subject matter of this Agreement may not be released without prior written approval from the Department. For purposes of this agreement, "**Publicity**" means notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, email responses, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Grantee or jointly with others.
- a. Grantee shall obtain written approval prior to issuing any press release or making any public announcement regarding this agreement. Grantee agrees to obtain approval of the Department in advance with respect to all Public Relations, all communications with media, or all communications with any other member of the public with respect to this agreement, except to acknowledge that an agreement does exist.
 - b. For purposes of this agreement, "Public Relations" includes community relations and means those activities dedicated to maintaining the Department's image or maintaining or promoting understanding and favorable relations with the community or public at large or any segment of the public.

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- c. Violations of either Article XX (Q)(a) or (b) shall constitute a material Breach of Agreement.
- R. Data Sharing: The State intends to secure and collate specific data generated by Grantee under this Agreement to use in support of the State's organizational, policy-making, and management of public resource functions. State, in accordance with **Exhibit E**, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, reserves the right to require Grantee and/or its subcontractors to provide specific data relevant to the above-listed functions. Data provided by Grantee may be incorporated into existing or future developed State integrated analysis tools or databases, including but not limited to geographic information system (GIS) networks and databases accessible by the public. Dissemination of data collected may include historical data and projections based on such historical data.
- a. To the extent any data transferred as part of this Agreement is legally determined to be the property of Subrecipient or its subcontractors, Subrecipient and/or its subcontractors grants State a nonexclusive, fully paid-up right and license to reproduce, use, distribute, do derivative works based on, and archive data transferred as part of this Agreement.
- S. Venue and Choice of Law: This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New Mexico, without regard to any conflict of law provisions. Any legal suit, action, or proceeding arising out of or related to this Agreement shall be instituted exclusively in the district courts located in Santa Fe, New Mexico. The Parties hereby irrevocably submit to the exclusive jurisdiction and venue of such courts in any such suit, action, or proceeding. The Parties waive any objection to the laying of the venue of any such suit, action, or proceeding in the district courts of Santa Fe, New Mexico, and irrevocably waive and agree not to plead or claim in any such court that any such suit, action, or proceeding brought in any such court has been brought in an inconvenient forum.

[SIGNATURE PAGE AND EXHIBITS FOLLOW]
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have duly executed this Agreement as of the Department's date of execution.

APPROVED BY GRANTEE:

SANTA FE COUNTY

Entity Name

Official with Authority to Bind Grantee:

Approved as to form by Roberta D. Joe, Assistant County Attorney
for w.B., Santa Fe County Attorney 5/18/2026

Signature

Gregory S. Shaffer

(Print Name)

County Manager

(Title)

5/28/2026

Date

Fiscal Officer or Chief Financial Officer: (OPTIONAL)

Signature

Yvonne S. Herrera

(Print Name)

Finance Division Director

(Title)

Date

Legal Counsel: (OPTIONAL)

Signature

(Print Name)

(Title)

Date

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APPROVED BY DEPARTMENT:

New Mexico Environment Department

Dennis Romero, P.E., Bureau Chief, NMED Construction Programs Bureau

Signed pursuant to the Nov 19, 2025, Secretary of Environment Delegation Order

**NMED DISBURSEMENT REQUEST
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS PROGRAM (SAP)**

C. DISBURSEMENT REQUEST NUMBER

D. GRANT AMOUNT

Request for Payment Form and Certification

	PROJECT BUDGET		PREVIOUS EXPENDITURES		CURRENT EXPENDITURES		CUMULATIVE		FUNDS REMAINING	
	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS
Engineer Fees										
<i>Other Professional</i>										
Service Fees										
Inspection Fees										
Property Acquisition										
Construction Cost										
Planning Cost										
Equipment										
Other Costs (specify)										
Contingencies										
TOTAL										
Article IX.A. (ii). By checking this box you are stating that payment has NOT been paid to the vendors associated with this request. Upon receipt of payment from NMED, certification of payment will be sent within 10 days from the date of receiving reimbursement.										
Certification: I hereby certify that all conditions and requirements for Payments outlined in the Agreement have been met, including but not limited to: (a) Submission and approval of a Project Budget as per Article IV, Section A of the Agreement (b) Compliance with the Project Budget and expenditure of funds in accordance with the State's Model Accounting Practices (c) Submission of supporting documentation as required by the Agreement (d) Maintenance of all necessary records and documentation as stipulated in the Agreement.										
Certification: I attest that the information provided is correct; expenditures are properly documented and valid or actual receipts, and that the activity fully complies with Article IX, Sec. 14 of the New Mexico Constitution, known as the "anti-donation" clause.										
Certification: I hereby certify that all representations and warranties made in the Agreement remain true, accurate, and complete as of the date of this request, and will continue to be so throughout the term of the Agreement. I acknowledge that these representations and warranties are a material inducement for the Department to approve this pay request.										
Reporting Certification: I hereby certify to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the database reporting is up to date; to include the accuracy of the expenditures and grant balance, project status, project phase, achievements and milestones, and in compliance with Article VIII of the Capital Outlay Grant Agreement.										
Signature of Official Representative: _____									Phone: _____	
Typed or Printed Name: _____									Date: _____	

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EXHIBIT B

NOTICE OF OBLIGATION TO REIMBURSE GRANTEE
EXHIBIT B

Notice of Obligation to Reimburse Grantee # _____

DATE: _____

TO: Department Representative: _____, Grant Manager

FROM: Grantee Entity: _____
Grantee Official Representative: _____

SUBJECT: Notice of Obligation to Reimburse Grantee
Grant Number: _____
Grant Termination Date: _____

As the designated representative of the Department for Grant Agreement number _____ entered into between Grantee and the Department, I certify that the Grantee has submitted to the Department the following third party obligation executed, in writing, by the third party's authorized representative:

Vendor or Contractor: _____

Third Party Obligation Amount: _____

Vendor or Contractor: _____

Third Party Obligation Amount: _____

I certify that the State is issuing this Notice of Obligation to Reimburse Grantee for permissible purposes within the scope of the project description, subject to all the terms and conditions of the above referenced Grant Agreement.

Grant Amount (Minus AIPP if applicable): _____

The Amount of this Notice of Obligation: _____

The Total Amount of all Previously Issued Notices of Obligation: _____

The Total Amount of all Notices of Obligation to Date: \$ 0.00

Note: Contract amounts may exceed the total grant amount, but the invoices paid by the grant will not exceed the grant amount.

Department Rep. Approver: _____

Title: Grant Manager

Signature: _____

Date: _____

1 Administrative and/or Indirect Cost – generally, the legislation authorizing the issuance of bonds prohibits the use of its proceeds for indirect expenses (e.g. penalty fees or damages other than pay for work performed, attorney fees, and administrative fees). Such use of bond proceeds shall not be allowed unless specifically authorized by statute.

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EXHIBIT E

Data Sharing Provisions

Data Sharing Provisions for New Mexico Capital Outlay Agreements

I. Introduction:

This Data Sharing Provisions Exhibit ("Exhibit") is incorporated into the New Mexico Capital Outlay Agreements ("Agreements") between the State of New Mexico ("State") and [Insert Partner Name] ("Partner"). This Exhibit outlines the terms and conditions under which data will be shared between the Parties to ensure compliance with New Mexico state laws and regulations, focusing on data privacy, security, and compliance.

II. Definitions:

- a. **Authorized User:** An employee, agent, assign, representative, independent contractor, or other person or entity authorized by Partner or State to access, use, or disclose information through this exhibit.
- b. **Confidential Information:** All data or information shared in confidence, with the expectation that it will not be disclosed in an identifiable form. This includes data that is exempt from public disclosure under the New Mexico Inspection of Public Records Act (§ 14-2-1 et seq. NMSA 1978) or other relevant laws.
- c. **Data Storage:** Electronic media that hold recorded information.
- d. **Data Transmission:** The process of moving information over a network from its source to one or more destinations.
- e. **Direct Identifier:** Records or data containing personal identifiers such as names, addresses, and social security numbers.
- f. **Disclosure:** Permission to access, release, transfer, or otherwise communicate confidential information by any means to any third party, except as authorized by the Party that controls the record.
- g. **Encryption** involves using algorithms to encode data, rendering it unreadable without a specific key. It may be necessary during data transmission and/or storage.
- h. **Information:** Any data, figures, statistics, or other facts provided or learned about someone or something, including Confidential Information, that may be legally transmitted under this Exhibit.
- i. **Limited Dataset:** A data file that omits Direct Identifiers.
- j. **Protected Personally Identifiable Information:** Sensitive personal details such as social security numbers and financial account numbers, with specific exclusions as outlined in the Agreements.

III. Purpose:

The purpose of this exhibit is to promote transparency, facilitate information sharing between the parties, support better policy and decision-making, and enhance public services through collaborative data analysis from various sources.

IV. Use of Information:

- a. Use of Information obtained or created under this exhibit shall be strictly limited to the purposes stated herein and in the agreements. The parties agree not to sell Information to third parties or use it for commercial, solicitation, or political purposes.
- b. Each Party shall serve as the custodian of the Information and comply with all conditions for its use, including security measures to prevent unauthorized access.
- c. The Parties shall follow all relevant federal and state laws and regulations governing the use of such Information.

V. Safeguarding Information:

- a. Confidentiality: Access to Confidential Information shall be limited to the minimum necessary to accomplish the purposes of this Exhibit. Authorized Users must adhere to the confidentiality requirements.
- b. Security: Security practices shall comply with the requirements of the New Mexico Department of Information Technology Act and related regulations. The Parties agree to notify each other within three business days of any suspected or actual security breach.
- c. Information Storage and Transmission: Data Storage and Transmission shall take place on an encrypted server with appropriate security controls.

VI. Re-Disclosure of Information:

The Parties agree not to disclose Information except as required by law or with prior written approval of the other Party. If there is a public records request, the Party receiving it shall notify the other Party within three business days.

VII. Ownership of Information:

Legal title to Information shall remain with the provider. The Partner grants the State a royalty-free, non-exclusive, non-transferable license to use the Information in furtherance of the purposes outlined in this Exhibit.

Capital Appropriations Certification Document

Article IX. A. (ii) and (iii)

(Santa Fe County SAP 25-J4344-STBR)

Payment Request No _____

I certify that payment to all vendors on the above referenced payment request were paid no more than ten (10) days after receiving reimbursement from NMED.

Official Representative, Signed Name, Printed Name, Date

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ATTACHMENT A
NEW MEXICO ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT
CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS BUREAU

PROJECT BUDGET

GRANTEE: Santa Fe County

PROJECT NO: SAP 25-J4344-STBR

Please provide a comprehensive procurement plan and expenditure plan, detailing a Project timeline with milestones, required procurements, and identifying expected expenditures per milestone, referred to collectively as the "Project Budget." While it can be difficult to estimate costs and timelines, setting a plan for these can help keep realistic expectations and goals to keep a project moving forward to achieve the project scope and objectives. Contact your NMED-CPB Project Manager with questions.

- 1) **Expenditure Plan.** Indicate what expenses funding will be used.

Detailed Expenditure Plan		
USES OF FUNDS	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS
Engineer Fees		
Other Professional		
Service Fees		
Inspection Fees		
Property Acquisition		
Construction Cost		
Planning Cost		
Equipment		
Other Costs (specify)		
Contingencies		
TOTAL	\$ -	\$ -

- 2) **Procurement Plan.** Describe how engineering or professional services, construction contractors, equipment, or other goods or services will be procured.

Chief Procurement Officer

All Public Bodies are required by 13-1-95.2 NMSA 1978 to have a Chief Procurement Officer to conduct all procurement activities.

Who is your Chief Procurement Officer (CPO)? _____

Describe how you will secure CPO services, if you currently do not have a CPO. _____

Professional Services

Have engineering or professional services already been procured and contracted? _____

If not, describe how you will procure engineering or professional services _____

Reminders:

- COSTS ABOVE \$60,000, require solicitation of services via a Request for Proposal (RFP).
- COSTS BELOW \$60,000 must adhere to 13-1-125 NMSA 1978 and procurements cannot be artificially divided into smaller units to circumvent legal requirements, such as formal solicitation.
- MULTI-TERM CONTRACTS can be renewed for up to four years 13-1-150 NMSA 1978. Monitor the remaining time on your contracts and plan for renewal in advance.

Construction

Contractors must be hired using a public bidding process for any project over \$60,000 (13-1-125 NMSA 1978) and procurements cannot be artificially divided into smaller units to circumvent legal requirements, such as formal solicitation.

Equipment Purchase

Equipment purchase must follow proper procurement code. Please see Chapter 13 Public Purchase and Property NMSA 1978.

- 3) **Project Timeline.** Setting a timeline can help keep a project on track to meet required expenditure deadlines. *(An example schedule is provided below.)*

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Project Timeline:

OVERALL – MILESTONES		EXPECTED EXPENDITURE PER MILESTONE
ESTIMATED START DATE		
5% FUNDS OBLIGATED*		
ESTIMATED END DATE		
DETAILED – PHASES		
TOTAL		\$

***Disclaimer:** You have accepted grant funds on the condition that 5% of these funds are to be obligated in a Notice of Obligation within 6 months of bond issuance in accordance with XIX.B.(STB's only) and at least 10% within one (1) year in accordance with IX.B (all projects).

You can obligate funds by entering into a contract with an engineer or contractor. State Procurement Code must be followed for the purchase of all goods and services.

Your NMED-CPB project manager will be happy to help you navigate these requirements, so that your grant money can be spent, and your project successfully completed.

Example Timeline:

OVERALL – MILESTONES		EXPECTED EXPENDITURE PER MILESTONE
ESTIMATED START DATE	Month 0	
5% FUNDS OBLIGATED*	+ 6 months from start date = Month 6	\$100,000
ESTIMATED END DATE	Use detailed schedule below. 2.5- 3 years	
DETAILED – PHASES		
HIRE AN ENGINEER	4 months	
PLANNING DOCUMENT	6 months	\$25,000
DESIGN, PERMIT	9 months	\$60,000
ADVERTISE FOR BID, AWARD PROJECT	6 months (allow for rebid)	
CONSTRUCTION AND ENGINEERING CONSTRUCTION PHASE SERVICES (START TO FINISH)	Varies widely. 6 months to a year, or more.	\$750,000 and \$15,000
CLOSEOUT CONSTRUCTION/ FUNDS	1 month at end of construction schedule.	
TOTAL		\$850,000

- 4) **Additional Information.** Please use this space below to provide any additional details about your project you would like to share to show your project plan and readiness.

Grantee Signatory Authority

Print Name

ATTACHMENT B
TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS
NEW MEXICO ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT
CAPITAL OUTLAY

ARTICLE 1 REVIEW

Upon execution of the grant agreement, the Grantee will follow the procedures listed below unless waived in writing by the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) (payment may be withheld if any of these procedures are not followed by the Grantee).

- A. The Grantee must submit copies to NMED of all unexecuted contracts or quotes the Grantee intends to enter in that are related to the project for the creation of a notice of obligation. Only approved eligible expenditures incurred after the effective date of the Grant Agreement shall be reimbursed or paid from these funds.
- B. If grant funds are used for construction, a site certificate must be submitted prior to project bid advertisement that certifies all necessary easements, rights-of-way, and/or property upon or through which the project is being constructed have been obtained. The Site Certificate must be signed by an attorney, engineer, surveyor, or title abstractor.
- C. If grant funds are used for meter installation, the Grantee must follow the NMED Guidelines for Meter Upgrade Projects. Meters must be installed before payment can be made. Request a copy of the Guidelines from your NMED Project Manager.
- D. If grant funds are used for construction, the Grantee will submit notice of the award and a copy of the executed construction contract documents.
- E. The Grantee will provide a full-time construction inspector during construction of the project unless NMED determines that part time inspection is adequate for the project. This must be requested and approved by NMED prior to the start of construction.
- F. All daily construction inspection reports shall be made available to the NMED upon request.
- G. Notwithstanding the inspections performed by the Grantee and its engineer, NMED will have the right to examine all installations comprising the project, including materials delivered and stored on-site for use on the project. Such examinations will not be considered an inspection for compliance with contract plans but will be a general NMED review as described in Article 2 below.

ARTICLE 2 NMED OVERSIGHT

NMED oversight is only for purposes of compliance with applicable state grant requirements, procedures, statutes, and regulations. NMED approval will not be interpreted as a warranty or guarantee of any kind. Responsibility for the design of the project will lie solely with the engineer of record. All defects and their correction will be the responsibility of the Grantee and its contractors and engineers or consultants. Any questions raised by NMED during its inspections and reviews shall be resolved exclusively by the Grantee. The Grantee and its contractors and engineers or consultants will remain responsible for the completion and success of the project. No action by NMED shall relieve the owner, engineer, or contractor of legal responsibilities for the overall integrity of the project, adequacy of the design, safety, or compliance with all applicable regulations.

ARTICLE 3 CLOSEOUT

- A. The project will not be considered complete until the work as defined in this agreement has been fully performed, and finally and unconditionally accepted by the Grantee and the engineer of record.

- B. If the grant funds are used for purchase of equipment, final payment will be made after receipt of the equipment and equipment title, if applicable. Appraisal reports are required for the purchase of used equipment.
- C. If the grant funds are used for construction, final payment will be made after the following items, unless waived by NMED, have been provided to NMED, and have been reviewed and approved by NMED:
- i. A certificate of substantial completion including punch list items.
 - ii. A final certified construction pay request prepared by the Grantee's project engineer and approved by the Grantee.
 - iii. A written consent of the surety, if any, to final payment.
 - iv. Complete and legally effective releases or waivers (satisfactory to the Grantee) of all liens arising out of the contract documents and the labor services performed and the materials and equipment furnished there under. In lieu thereof and as approved by the Grantee, contractor(s) may furnish receipts or releases in full; an affidavit of contractor that the releases and receipts include labor, services, materials, and equipment for which a lien could be filed and that all payrolls, material and equipment bills, and other indebtedness connected with the work for which the Grantee or its property might in any way be responsible, have been paid or otherwise satisfied.
 - v. Certification letter by the Grantee and contractor that the Labor Standards Contract Provisions have been met.
 - vi. Certification letter of project acceptance by the Grantee and the Grantee's project engineer stating that work has been satisfactorily completed and the construction contractor has fulfilled all of the obligations required under the contract documents with the Grantee, or if payment and materials performance bonds are "called", an acceptance close-out settlement to the Grantee and contractors will be submitted to NMED.
 - vii. Certification letter from the Grantee confirming receipt and acceptance of the record drawings and operation and maintenance manuals.

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A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PROJECT SAP 25-J4344-STBR AS DESCRIBED IN ATTACHMENT A, AND THE
ASSIGNMENT OF AUTHORIZED OFFICER(S) AND AGENT(S)

Resolution Number

Whereas, the **Board of Directors / Council / Commission** of **Community / Utility** of **County Name** County of the State of New Mexico shall enter into a Grant Agreement with the State of New Mexico Environment Department, and

Whereas, the Agreement is identified as **Project Number SAP** SAP 25-J4344-STBR

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the named applicant that:

(Name), Mayor/ Chairperson / Director / Officer, or successor is authorized to sign the Grant Agreement for this project, and

(Authorized Office Name), (Authorized Officer Title), (may have more than one) or successor is the OFFICAL REPRESENTATIVE(S) who is authorized to sign all other documents necessary to fulfill the Grant Agreement and the requirements (Project Description, Disbursements and to act as the project contact, and

(Designated Agent or Employee Name), (Title), or successor is the DFA Database contact who is designated to update the database quarterly per Article VIII. A. of the Intergovernmental Grant Agreement.

(Designated Agen or Employee Name, (Title), (may have more than one) or successors is the CONTACT who is designated to receive Notice of Obligations (NOO'S).

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED: ____.

Name, Mayor / Chairperson / Director / Officer, Title, Community / Utility

(Signature)

Date

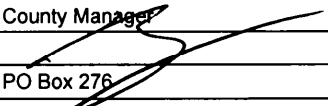
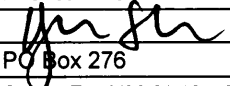
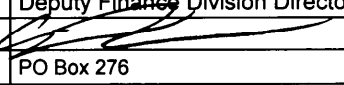
(SEAL)

ATTEST:

(Municipal Clerk)

Name of Grantee: Santa Fe County Project Number: SAP 25-J4344-STBR

Current Authorized Signatures (submit with Signature Resolution, update when necessary)

Authorized to Sign Agreement			
Name	Gregory S. Shaffer	Name	
Title	County Manager	Title	
Signature		Signature	
Address	PO Box 276	Address	
	Santa Fe, NM 87504-0276		
Email	gshaffer@santafecountynm.gov	Email	
Phone	505-986-6200	Phone	
Official Representatives authorized to sign Disbursement Requests and all other documents.			
Name	Yvonne S. Herrera	Name	
Title	Finance Division Director	Title	
Signature		Signature	
Address	PO Box 276	Address	
	Santa Fe, NM 87504-0276		
Email	ysherrera@santafecountynm.gov	Email	
Phone	505-995-2781	Phone	
Alternate Official Representative, to sign Disbursement Requests and all other documents and act as the Point of Contact.			
Name		Name	
Title		Title	
Signature		Signature	
Address		Address	
Email		Email	
Phone		Phone	
Designated Agent or Employee that will make DFA database updates			
Name	Elena Tercero	Name	
Title	Deputy Finance Division Director	Title	
Signature		Signature	
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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT
CAPITAL APPROPRIATION PROJECT
SANTA FE CO LA CIENEGA WATER MASTER PLAN
SAP 21-F2379-STB**

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of this [16] day of [November], 20[21], by and between the New Mexico Environment Department hereinafter called the "Department" or "NMED", and Santa Fe County hereinafter called the "Grantee". This Agreement shall be effective as of the date it is executed by the Department.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, in the Laws of 2021, Chapter 138, Section 21, Paragraph 83, the Legislature made an appropriation to the Department, funds from which the Department is making available to the Grantee pursuant to this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Department is granting to Grantee, and the Grantee is accepting the grant of, funds from this appropriation, in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, NMED is empowered pursuant to Section 74-1-6 B, NMSA 1978 to contract in its own name.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and obligations contained herein, the parties hereby mutually agree as follows:

ARTICLE I. PROJECT DESCRIPTION, AMOUNT OF GRANT AND REVERSION DATE

A. The project that is the subject of this Agreement is described as follows:

**SAP 21-F2379-STB (\$150,000.00) APPROPRIATION REVERSION DATE: June 30, 2025
Laws of 2021 Chapter 138, Section 21, Paragraph 83, One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00):**

to plan, for a master plan and a preliminary engineering report to evaluate existing water infrastructure, to examine uses and impacts and to identify the best methods for increasing flows in La Cienega springs and traditional water sources for La Cienega in Santa Fe county;

The Grantee's total reimbursements shall not exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) minus the allocation for Art in Public Places¹, if applicable, No Dollars (\$0.00) which equals One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) (the "Adjusted Appropriation Amount").

¹ The AIPP amount is "an amount of money equal to one percent or two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), whichever is less, of the amount of money appropriated for new construction or any major renovation exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000)." Section 13-4A-4 NMSA 1978.

In the event of a conflict among the Appropriation Amount, the Reversion Date, as defined herein and/or the purpose of the Project, as set forth in this Agreement, and the corresponding appropriation language in the laws cited above in this Article I(A), the language of the laws cited herein shall control.

This project is referred to throughout the remainder of this Agreement as the "Project"; the information contained in Article I(A) is referred to collectively throughout the remainder of this Agreement as the "Project Description." Optional Attachment A sets forth additional or more stringent requirements and conditions, which are incorporated by this reference as if set forth fully herein. If Optional Attachment A imposes more stringent requirements than any requirement set forth in this Agreement, the more stringent requirements of Attachment A shall prevail, in the event of irreconcilable conflict. The Grantee shall reference the Project's number in all correspondence with and submissions to the Department concerning the Project, including, but not limited to, Requests for Payment and reports.

ARTICLE II. LIMITATION ON DEPARTMENT'S OBLIGATION TO MAKE GRANT DISBURSEMENT TO GRANTEE

A. Upon the Effective Date of this Agreement, for permissible purposes within the scope of the Project Description, the Grantee shall only be reimbursed monies for which the Department has issued and the Grantee has received a Notice of Department's Obligation to Reimburse² Grantee (hereinafter referred to as "Notice of Obligation"). This Grant Agreement and the disbursement of any and all amounts of the above referenced Adjusted Appropriation Amount are expressly conditioned upon the following:

- (i) Irrespective of any Notice of Obligation, the Grantee's expenditures shall be made on or before the Reversion Date and, if applicable, an Early Termination Date (i.e., the goods have been delivered and accepted or the title to the goods has been transferred to the Grantee and/or the services have been rendered for the Grantee); and
- (ii) The total amount received by the Grantee shall not exceed the lesser of: (a) the Adjusted Appropriation Amount identified in Article I(A) herein or (b) the total of all amounts stated in the Notice(s) of Obligation evidencing that the Department has received and accepted the Grantee's Third-Party Obligation(s), as defined in subparagraph iii of this Article II(A); and
- (iii) The Grantee's expenditures were made pursuant to the State Procurement Code and execution of binding written obligations or purchase orders with Third-Party contractors or vendors for the provision of services, including professional services, or the purchase of tangible personal property and real property for the Project, hereinafter referred to as "Third-Party Obligations"; and
- (iv) The Grantee's submittal of timely Requests for Payment in accordance with the procedures set forth in Article IX of this Agreement; and
- (v) In the event that capital assets acquired with Project funds are to be sold, leased, or licensed to or operated by a private entity, the sale, lease, license, or operating agreement:
 - a. must be approved by the applicable oversight entity (if any) in accordance with law; or
 - b. if no oversight entity is required to approve the transaction, the Department must approve the transaction as complying with law.

Prior to the sale, lease, license, or operating agreement being approved pursuant to Articles II(A)(v)(a) and II(A)(v)(b) herein, the Department may, in its sole and absolute discretion and unless inconsistent

² "Reimburse" as used throughout this Agreement includes Department payments to the Grantee for invoices received, but not yet paid, by the Grantee from a Third-Party contractor or vendor, if the invoices comply with the provisions of this Agreement and are a valid liability of the Grantee.

with State Board of Finance imposed conditions, reimburse the Grantee for necessary expenditures incurred to develop the Project sufficiently to make the sale, lease, license, or operating agreement commercially feasible, such as plan and design expenditures; and

(vi) The Grantee's submission of documentation of all Third-Party Obligations and amendments thereto (including terminations) to the Department and the Department's issuance and the Grantee's receiving of a Notice of Obligation for a particular amount in accordance with the terms of this Agreement shall be governed by the following:

- a. The Grantee shall submit to the Department one copy of all Third-Party Obligations and amendments thereto (including terminations) as soon as possible after execution by the Third-Party **but prior to execution by the Grantee.**
- b. Grantee acknowledges and agrees that if it chooses to enter into a Third-Party Obligation prior to receiving a Notice of Obligation that covers the expenditure, it is solely responsible for such obligations.
- c. The Department may, in its sole and absolute discretion, issue to Grantee a Notice of Obligation for the particular amount of that Third-Party Obligation that only obligates the Department to reimburse Grantee's expenditures made on or before the Reversion Date or an Early Termination Date. The current Notice of Obligation form is attached to this Agreement as Exhibit 2.
- d. The date the Department signs the Notice of Obligation is the date that the Department's Notice of Obligation is effective. After that date, the Grantee is authorized to budget the particular amount set forth in the Notice of Obligation, execute the Third-Party Obligation and request the Third-Party to begin work. Payment for any work performed or goods received prior to the effective date of the Notice of Obligation is wholly and solely the obligation of the Grantee.

B. The Grantee shall implement, in all respects, the Project. The Grantee shall provide all necessary qualified personnel, material, and facilities to implement the Project. The Grantee shall finance its share (if any) of the costs of the Project, including all Project overruns.

C. Project funds shall not be used for purposes other than those specified in the Project Description.

D. Unless specifically allowed by law, Project funds cannot be used to reimburse Grantee for indirect Project costs.

ARTICLE III. NOTICE PROVISIONS AND GRANTEE AND DEPARTMENT DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVES

Whenever written notices, including written decisions, are to be given or received, related to this Agreement, the following provisions shall apply.

The Grantee designates the person(s) listed below, or their successor, as their official representative(s) concerning all matters related to this Agreement:

Grantee: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____
Telephone: _____

Please provide this information in the Resolution and Signature page; this page does NOT need to be completed.

The Grantee designates the person(s) listed below, or their successor, as their Fiscal Officer or Fiscal Agent concerning all matters related to this Agreement:

Grantee: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____
Telephone: _____

The Department designates the persons listed below, or their successors, as the Points of Contact for matters related to this Agreement.

Department: New Mexico Environment Department
Name: Paulette Ortiz
Title: Project Administrator
Address: Construction Program Bureau
NMED, Harold Runnels Building
P.O. Box 5469
Santa Fe, NM 87502

Email: paulette.ortiz@state.nm.us
Telephone: 505-670-3583

The Grantee and the Department agree that either party shall send all notices, including written decisions, related to this Agreement to the above-named persons by email or regular mail. In the case of mailings, notices shall be deemed to have been given and received upon the date of the receiving party's actual receipt or five calendar days after mailing, whichever shall first occur. In the case of email transmissions, the notice shall be deemed to have been given and received on the date reflected on the delivery receipt of email.

ARTICLE IV. REVERSION DATE, TERM, DEADLINE TO EXPEND FUNDS

A. As referenced in Article I(A), the applicable law establishes a date by which Project funds must be expended by Grantee, which is referred to throughout the remainder of this Agreement as the "Reversion Date." Upon being duly executed by both parties, this Agreement shall be effective as of the date of execution by the

Department. It shall terminate on June 30, 2025 the Reversion Date unless Terminated Before Reversion Date ("Early Termination") pursuant to Article V herein.

B. The Project's funds must be expended on or before the Reversion Date and, if applicable, Early Termination Date of this Agreement. For purposes of this Agreement, it is not sufficient for the Grantee to encumber the Project funds on its books on or before the Project's Reversion Date or Early Termination Date. Funds are expended and an expenditure has occurred as of the date that a particular quantity of goods are delivered to and received by the Grantee or title to the goods is transferred to the Grantee and/or as of the date particular services are rendered for the Grantee. Funds are *not* expended and an expenditure has *not* occurred as of the date they are encumbered by the Grantee pursuant to a contract or purchase order with a Third-Party.

ARTICLE V. EARLY TERMINATION

A. Early Termination Before Reversion Date Due to Completion of the Project or Complete Expenditure of the Adjusted Appropriation or Violation of this Agreement

Early Termination includes:

- (i) Termination due to completion of the Project before the Reversion Date; or
- (ii) Termination due to complete expenditure of the Adjusted Appropriation Amount before the Reversion Date; or
- (iii) Termination for violation of the terms of this Agreement; or
- (iv) Termination for suspected mishandling of public funds, including but not limited to, fraud, waste, abuse, and conflicts of interest.

Either the Department or the Grantee may early terminate this Agreement prior to the Reversion Date by providing the other party with a minimum of fifteen (15) days' advance, written notice of early termination. Grantee hereby waives any rights to assert an impairment of contract claim against the Department or the State of New Mexico in the event of Early Termination of this Agreement by the Department pursuant to Article V(A).

B. Early Termination Before Reversion Date Due to Non-appropriation

The terms of this Agreement are expressly made contingent upon sufficient appropriations and authorization being made by the Legislature of New Mexico for the performance of this Agreement. Throughout this Agreement the term "non-appropriate" or "non-appropriation" includes the following actions by the New Mexico Legislature: deauthorization, reauthorization or revocation of a prior authorization. The Legislature may choose to non-appropriate the Appropriation referred to in Article I and, if that occurs, the Department shall early terminate this Agreement for non-appropriation by giving the Grantee written notice of such termination, and such termination shall be effective as of the effective date of the law making the non-appropriation. The Department's decision as to whether sufficient appropriations or authorizations are available shall be accepted by the Grantee and shall be final. Grantee hereby waives any rights to assert an impairment of contract claim against the Department or the State of New Mexico in the event of Early Termination of this Agreement by the Department pursuant to Article V(B).

C. Limitation on Department's Obligation to Make Grant Disbursements to Grantee in the Event of Early Termination

In the event of Early Termination of this Agreement by either party, the Department's sole and absolute obligation to reimburse the Grantee is expressly conditioned upon the limitations set forth Article II.

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ARTICLE VI. SUSPENSION OF NEW OR FURTHER OBLIGATIONS

A. The Department may choose, in its sole and absolute discretion, to provide written notice to the Grantee to suspend entering into new and further obligations. Upon the receipt of such written notice by the Grantee:

- (i) The Grantee shall immediately suspend entering into new or further written obligations with third parties; and
- (ii) The Department will suspend the issuance of any new or further Notice of Obligation under this Agreement; and
- (iii) The Department may direct the Grantee to implement a corrective action plan in accordance with Article VI(D) herein.

B. In the event of Suspension of this Agreement, the Department's sole and absolute obligation to reimburse the Grantee is expressly conditioned upon the limitations set forth in Article II herein.

C. A suspension of new or further obligations under this Agreement shall remain in effect unless or until the date the Grantee receives written notice given by the Department informing the Grantee that the Suspension has been lifted or that the Agreement has been Early Terminated in accordance with Article V herein. If the Suspension is lifted, the Department will consider further requests for Notice of Obligation.

D. Corrective Action Plan in the Event of Suspension

In the event that the Department chooses, in its sole and absolute discretion to direct the Grantee to suspend entering into new or further written obligations with third parties pursuant to Article VI(A), the Department may, but is not obligated to, require the Grantee to develop and implement a written corrective action plan to remedy the grounds for the Suspension. Such corrective action plan must be approved by the Department and be signed by the Grantee. Failure to sign a corrective action plan or meet the terms and deadlines set forth in the signed corrective action plan, is hereby deemed a violation of the terms of this Agreement for purposes of Early Termination, Article V(A)(iii). The corrective action plan is in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other equitable or legal remedy, including but not limited to Early Termination.

ARTICLE VII. AMENDMENT

This Agreement shall not be altered, changed, or amended except by instrument in writing duly executed by both the parties hereto.

ARTICLE VIII. REPORTS

A. Database Reporting

The Grantee shall report monthly Project activity by entering such Project information as the Department and the Department of Finance and Administration may require, such information entered directly into a database maintained by the Department of Finance and Administration (<http://cpms.dfa.state.nm.us>). Additionally, the Grantee shall certify on the Request for Payment form (Exhibit 1) that updates have been maintained and are current in the database. The Grantee hereby acknowledges that failure to perform and/or certify updates into the database will delay or potentially jeopardize the reimbursement of funds. The Department shall give Grantee a minimum of thirty (30) days' advance written notice of any changes to the information the Grantee is required to report.

Monthly reports shall be due on the last day of each month, beginning with the first full month following execution of this Agreement by the Department and ending upon the submission of the final request for reimbursement for the Project.

B. Requests for Additional Information/Project Inspection

During the term of this Agreement and during the period of time during which the Grantee must maintain records pursuant to Article VIII, the Department may:

- (i) request such additional information regarding the Project as it deems necessary; and
- (ii) conduct, at reasonable times and upon reasonable notice, onsite inspections of the Project.

Grantee shall respond to such requests for additional information within a reasonable period of time, as established by the Department.

ARTICLE IX. REQUEST FOR PAYMENT PROCEDURES AND DEADLINES

A. The Grantee shall request payment by submitting a Request for Payment, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit 1. Payment requests are subject to the following procedures:

- (i) The Grantee must submit a Request for Payment; and
- (ii) Each Request for Payment must contain proof of payment by the Grantee or liabilities incurred by the Grantee showing that the expenditures are valid or are liabilities incurred by the Grantee in the form of actual unpaid invoices received by the Grantee for services rendered by a Third-Party or items of tangible personal property received by the Grantee for the implementation of the Project; provided, however, that the Grantee may be reimbursed for unpaid liabilities only if the Department, in its sole and absolute discretion, agrees to do so and in accordance with any special conditions imposed by the Department.
- (iii) In cases where the Grantee is submitting a Request for Payment to the Department based upon invoices received, but not yet paid, by the Grantee from a Third-Party contractor or vendor, if the invoices comply with the provisions of this Agreement and are a valid liability of the Grantee, the Grantee shall make payment to those contractors or vendors within five (5) business days from the date of receiving reimbursement from the Department or such shorter period of time as the Department may prescribe in writing. The Grantee is required to certify to the Department proof of payment to the Third-Party contractor or vendor within ten (10) business days from the date of receiving reimbursement from the Department.

B. The Grantee must obligate 5% of the Adjusted Appropriation Amount within six months of acceptance of the grant agreement and must have expended no less than 85% of the Adjusted Appropriation Amount six months prior to the reversion date.

C. Deadlines

Requests for Payments shall be submitted by Grantee to the Department on the earlier of:

- (i) Immediately as they are received by the Grantee but at a minimum thirty (30) days from when the expenditure was incurred or liability of the Grantee was approved as evidenced by an unpaid invoice received by the Grantee from a Third-Party contractor or vendor; or
- (ii) July 15 of each year for all unreimbursed expenditures incurred during the previous fiscal year; or
- (iii) Twenty (20) days from date of Early Termination; or
- (iv) Twenty (20) days from the Reversion Date.

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D. The Grantee's failure to abide by the requirements set forth in Article II and Article IX herein will result in the denial of its Request for Payment or will delay the processing of Requests for Payment. The Department has the right to reject a payment request for the Project unless and until it is satisfied that the expenditures in the Request for Payment are for permissible purposes within the meaning of the Project Description and that the expenditures and the Grantee are otherwise in compliance with this Agreement, including but not limited to, compliance with the reporting requirements and the requirements set forth in Article II herein to provide Third-Party Obligations and the Deadlines set forth in Article IX herein. The Department's ability to reject any Request for Payment is in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other legal or equitable remedy available to the Department due to Grantee's violation of this Agreement.

ARTICLE X. PROJECT CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS; REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- A. The following general conditions and restrictions are applicable to the Project:
- (i) The Project's funds must be spent in accordance with all applicable state laws, regulations, policies, and guidelines, including, but not limited to, the State Procurement Code (or local procurement ordinance, where applicable).
 - (ii) The Project must be implemented in accordance with the New Mexico Public Works Minimum Works Act, Section 13-4-10 through 13-4-17 NMSA 1978, as applicable. Every contract or project in excess of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) that the Grantee is a party to for construction, alteration, demolition or repair or any combination of these, including painting and decorating, of public buildings, public works or public roads and that requires or involves the employment of mechanics, laborers or both shall contain a provision stating the minimum wages and fringe benefits to be paid to various classes of laborers and mechanics, shall be based upon the wages and benefits that will be determined by the New Mexico Department of Workforce Solutions to be prevailing for the corresponding classes of laborers and mechanics employed on contract work of a similar nature in the locality. Further, every contract or project shall contain a stipulation that the contractor, subcontractor, employer or a person acting as a contractor shall pay all mechanics and laborers employed on the site of the project, unconditionally and not less often than once a week and without subsequent unlawful deduction or rebate on any account, the full amounts accrued at time of payment computed at wage rates and fringe benefit rates not less than those determined pursuant to Section 13-4-11 (B) NMSA 1978 to be the prevailing wage rates and prevailing fringe benefit rates issued for the project.
 - (iii) The Project may only benefit private entities in accordance with applicable law, including, but not limited to, Article IX, Section 14 of the Constitution of the State of New Mexico, the "Anti-Donation Clause."
 - (iv) The Grantee shall not for a period of 10 years from the date of this agreement convert any property acquired, built, renovated, repaired, designed or developed with the Project's funds to uses other than those specified in the Project Description without the Department's and the Board of Finance's express, advance, written approval, which may include a requirement to reimburse the State for the cost of the project, transfer proceeds from the disposition of property to the State, or otherwise provide consideration to the State.
 - (v) The Grantee shall comply with all federal and state laws, rules and regulations pertaining to equal employment opportunity. In accordance with all such laws, rules and regulations the Grantee agrees to assure that no person shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex,

sexual preference, age or handicap, be excluded from employment with Grantee, be excluded from participation in the Project, be denied benefits or otherwise be subject to discrimination under, any activity performed under this Agreement. If Grantee is found to be not in compliance with these requirements during the life of this Agreement, Grantee agrees to take appropriate steps to correct any deficiencies. The Grantee's failure to implement such appropriate steps within a reasonable time constitutes grounds for terminating this Agreement.

- B. The Grantee hereby represents and warrants the following:
- (i) The Grantee has the legal authority to receive and expend the Project's funds.
 - (ii) This Agreement has been duly authorized by the Grantee, the person executing this Agreement has authority to do so, and, once executed by the Grantee, this Agreement shall constitute a binding obligation of the Grantee, enforceable according to its terms.
 - (iii) This Agreement and the Grantee's obligations hereunder do not conflict with any law or ordinance or resolution applicable to the Grantee, the Grantee's charter (if applicable), or any judgment or decree to which the Grantee is subject.
 - (iv) The Grantee has independently confirmed that the Project Description, including, but not limited to, the amount and Reversion Date, is consistent with the underlying appropriation in law.
 - (v) The Grantee's governing body has duly adopted or passed as an official act a resolution, motion, or similar action authorizing the person identified as the official representative of the Grantee to sign the Agreement and to sign Requests for Payment.
 - (vi) The Grantee shall abide by New Mexico laws regarding conflicts of interest, governmental conduct and whistleblower protection. The Grantee specifically agrees that no officer or employee of the local jurisdiction or its designees or agents, no member of the governing body, and no other public official of the locality who exercises any function or responsibility with respect to this Grant, during their tenure or for one year thereafter, shall have any interest, direct or indirect, in any contract or subcontract, or the proceeds thereof, for work to be performed or goods to be received, pursuant to this Grant. Further, Grantee shall require all of its contractors to incorporate in all subcontracts the language set forth in this paragraph prohibiting conflicts of interest.
 - (vii) No funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Grantee, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of this or any agency or body in connection with the awarding of any Third-Party Obligation and that the Grantee shall require certifying language prohibiting lobbying to be included in the award documents for all sub awards, including subcontracts, loans and cooperative agreements. All subrecipients shall be required to certify accordingly.

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ARTICLE XI. STRICT ACCOUNTABILITY OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS; PROJECT RECORDS

A. The Grantee shall be strictly accountable for receipts and disbursements relating to the Project's funds. The Grantee shall follow generally accepted accounting principles, and, if feasible, maintain a separate bank account or fund with a separate organizational code, for the funds to assure separate budgeting and accounting of the funds.

B. For a period of six (6) years following the Project's completion, the Grantee shall maintain all Project related records, including, but not limited to, all financial records, requests for proposals, invitations to bid,

selection and award criteria, contracts and subcontracts, advertisements, minutes of pertinent meetings, as well as records sufficient to fully account for the amount and disposition of the total funds from all sources budgeted for the Project, the purpose for which such funds were used, and such other records as the Department shall prescribe.

C. The Grantee shall make all Project records available to the Department, the Department of Finance and Administration, and the New Mexico State Auditor upon request. With respect to the funds that are the subject of this Agreement, if the State Auditor or the Department of Finance and Administration finds that any or all of these funds were improperly expended, the Grantee may be required to reimburse to the State of New Mexico, to the originating fund, any and all amounts found to be improperly expended.

ARTICLE XII. IMPROPERLY REIMBURSED FUNDS

If the Department determines that part or all of the Appropriation Amount was improperly reimbursed to Grantee, including but not limited to, Project funds reimbursed to Grantee based upon fraud, mismanagement, misrepresentation, misuse, violation of law by the Grantee, or violation of this Agreement, the Grantee shall return such funds to the Department for disposition in accordance with law.

ARTICLE XIII. LIABILITY

Neither party shall be responsible for liability incurred as a result of the other party's acts or omissions in connection with this Agreement. Any liability incurred in connection with this Agreement is subject to immunities and limitations of the New Mexico Tort Claims Act.

ARTICLE XIV. SCOPE OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement constitutes the entire and exclusive agreement between the Grantee and Department concerning the subject matter hereof. The Agreement supersedes any and all prior or contemporaneous agreements, understandings, discussions, communications, and representations, written or verbal.

ARTICLE XV. REQUIRED NON-APPROPRIATIONS CLAUSE IN CONTRACTS FUNDED IN WHOLE OR PART BY FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER THIS AGREEMENT

The Grantee acknowledges, warrants, and agrees that Grantee shall include a "non-appropriations" clause in all contracts between it and other parties that are (i) funded in whole or part by funds made available under this Agreement and (ii) entered into after the effective date of this Agreement that states:

"The terms of this Agreement are contingent upon sufficient appropriations and authorization being made by the Legislature of New Mexico for the performance of this Agreement. If sufficient appropriations and authorization are not made by the Legislature, the Santa Fe County may immediately terminate this Agreement by giving Contractor written notice of such termination. The Santa Fe County's decision as to whether sufficient appropriations are available shall be accepted by the Contractor and shall be final. Contractor hereby waives any rights to assert an impairment of contract claim against the Santa Fe County or the New Mexico Environment Department or the State of New Mexico in the event of immediate or Early Termination of this Agreement by the Santa Fe County or the Department"

ARTICLE XVI. REQUIRED TERMINATION CLAUSE IN CONTRACTS FUNDED IN WHOLE OR PART BY FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER THIS AGREEMENT

Grantee acknowledges, warrants, and agrees that Grantee shall include the following termination clause in all contracts that are (i) funded in whole or part by funds made available under this Agreement and (ii) entered into after the effective date of this Agreement:

“This contract is funded in whole or in part by funds made available under a New Mexico Environment Department Grant Agreement. Should the New Mexico Environment Department early terminate the grant agreement, the Santa Fe County may early terminate this contract by providing Contractor written notice of such termination. In the event of termination pursuant to this paragraph, the Santa Fe County’s only liability shall be to pay Contractor for acceptable goods delivered and services rendered before the termination date.”

Grantee hereby waives any rights to assert an impairment of contract claim against the Department or the State of New Mexico in the event of Early Termination of this Agreement by the Department.

ARTICLE XVII. COMPLIANCE WITH UNIFORM FUNDING CRITERIA.

A. Throughout the term of this Agreement, Grantee shall:

1. submit all reports of annual audits and agreed upon procedures required by Section 12-6-3(A)-(B) NMSA 1978 by the due dates established in 2.2.2 NMAC, reports of which must be a public record pursuant to Section 12-6-5(A) NMSA 1978 within forty-five days of delivery to the State Auditor;
2. have a duly adopted budget for the current fiscal year approved by its budgetary oversight agency (if any);
3. timely submit all required financial reports to its budgetary oversight agency (if any); and
4. have adequate accounting methods and procedures to expend grant funds in accordance with applicable law and account for and safeguard grant funds and assets acquired by grant funds.

B. In the event Grantee fails to comply with the requirements of Paragraph A of this Article XVII, the Department may take one or more of the following actions:

1. suspend new or further obligations pursuant to Article VI(A) of this Agreement;
2. require the Grantee to develop and implement a written corrective action plan pursuant to Article VI(D) of this Agreement to remedy the non-compliance;
3. impose special grant conditions to address the non-compliance by giving the Grantee notice of such special conditions in accordance with Article III of this Agreement; the special conditions shall be binding and effective on the date that notice is deemed to have been given pursuant to Article III; or
4. terminate this Agreement pursuant to Article V(A) of this Agreement.

ARTICLE XVIII. SEVERANCE TAX BOND AND GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND PROJECT CLAUSES (Applicable only if the appropriation is funded by Severance Tax Bonds or General Obligations Bonds).

A. Grantee acknowledges and agrees that the underlying appropriation for the Project is a severance tax bond or general obligation bond appropriation, and that the associated bond proceeds are administered by the New Mexico State Board of Finance (SBOF), an entity separate and distinct from the Department. Grantee acknowledges and agrees that (i) it is Grantee’s sole and absolute responsibility to determine through SBOF staff what (if any) conditions are currently imposed on the Project; (ii) the Department’s failure to inform

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Grantee of a SBOF imposed condition does not affect the validity or enforceability of the condition; (iii) the SBOF may in the future impose further or different conditions upon the Project; (iv) all SBOF conditions are effective without amendment of this Agreement; (v) all applicable SBOF conditions must be satisfied before the SBOF will release to the Department funds subject to the condition(s); and (vi) the Department's obligation to reimburse Grantee from the Project is contingent upon the then current SBOF conditions being satisfied.

B. Grantee acknowledges and agrees that the SBOF may in its sole and absolute discretion remove a project's assigned bond proceeds if the project doesn't proceed sufficiently. Entities must comply with the requirement to encumber five percent (5%) of Project funds within six months of bond issuance as certified by the grantee in the Bond Questionnaire and Certification documents submitted to the SBOF. Failure to comply may result in the bond proceeds reassignment to a new ready project. If this should occur this grant agreement will be suspended until the entity has demonstrated readiness as determined by the SBOF and the Department.

C. Grantee acknowledges and agrees that this Agreement is subject to the SBOF's Bond Project Disbursements rule, NMAC 2.61.6, as may be amended or re-codified. The rule provides definitions and interpretations of grant language for the purpose of determining whether a particular activity is allowable under the authorizing language of the agreement.

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SANTA FE CO LA CIENEGA WATER MASTER PLAN SAP 21-F2379-STB

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have duly executed this Agreement as of the date of execution by the Department.

GRANTEE

Katherine Miller
Signature of Official with Authority to Bind Grantee

Santa Fe County
Entity Name

By: Katherine Miller
(Type or Print Name)

Its: County Manager
(Type or Print Title)

11.9.2021
Date

Approved as to form by Roberta D. Joe, Assistant County Attorney
for G.S.S., Santa Fe County Attorney Date: October 7, 2021

Yvonne S. Huen
Santa Fe County Finance Director 10/12/2021

NEW MEXICO ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT

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Kahl
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Judith L, Kahl, P.E., Bureau Chief, NMED Construction Programs Bureau
Signed pursuant to May 24, 2021 Secretary of Environment Delegation Order

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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
CAPITAL GRANT PROJECT
Request for Payment Form
Exhibit 1**

I. Grantee Information		II. Payment Computation	
A. Grantee: Santa Fe County		A. Payment Request No.	
B. Address:		B. Grant Amount: \$150,000.00	
		C. AIPP Amount (if Applicable): \$0.00	
		D. Funds Requested to Date:	
C. Phone No:		E. Amount Requested this Payment:	
D. Grant No: SAP 21-F2379-STB		F. Reversion Amount (if Applicable):	
E. Project Title: SANTA FE CO LA CIENEGA WATER MASTER PLAN		G. Grant Balance:	
F. Grant Expiration Date: 6/30/2025		H. ☐ GF ☐ GOB ☐ STB (attach wire if first draw)	
		I. ☐ Final Request for Payment (if Applicable)	
III. Fiscal Year:			
(The State of NM Fiscal Year is July 1, 20XX through June 30 20XX of the following year)			
IV. ☐		Reporting Certification: I hereby certify to the best of my knowledge and belief, that database reporting is up to date; to include the accuracy of expenditures and grant balance, project status, project phase, achievements and milestones; and in compliance with Article VIII of the Capital Outlay Grant Agreement.	
V. ☐		Compliance Certification: Under penalty of law, I hereby certify to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above information is correct; expenditures are properly documented, and are valid expenditures or actual receipts; and that the grant activity is in full compliance with Article IX, Sec. 14 of the New Mexico Constitution known as the "anti donation" clause.	
Grantee Fiscal Officer or Fiscal Agent (if Applicable):		Grantee Representative:	
Printed Name:		Printed Name:	
Date:		Date:	
(State Agency Use Only)			
Vendor Code			
I certify that the State Agency financial and vendor file information agree with the above submitted information.			
Division (SAP PA) Fiscal Officer/ Date:		Division (CPB) Project Manager/Date:	

SAMPLE NOTICE OF OBLIGATION TO REIMBURSE GRANTEE
EXHIBIT 2

Notice of Obligation to Reimburse Grantee [# 1]

DATE: [_____]

TO: Department Representative: Andrea Telmo

FROM: Grantee: Santa Fe County

Grantee Official Representative: [_____]

SUBJECT: Notice of Obligation to Reimburse Grantee

Grant Number: SAP 21-F2379-STB

Grant Termination Date: June 30, 2025

As the designated representative of the Department for Grant Agreement number SAP 21-F2379-STB entered into between Grantee and the Department, I certify that the Grantee has submitted to the Department the following Third-Party obligation executed, in writing, by the Third-Party's authorized representative:

Vendor or Contractor: [_____]

Third-Party Obligation Amount: [_____]

Vendor or Contractor: [_____]

Third-Party Obligation Amount: [_____]

Vendor or Contractor: [_____]

Third-Party Obligation Amount: [_____]

I certify that the State is issuing this Notice of Obligation to Reimburse Grantee for permissible purposes within the scope of the project description, subject to all the terms and conditions of the above referenced Grant Agreement.

Grant Amount (Minus AIPP if applicable): [_____]

The Amount of this Notice of Obligation: [_____]

The Total Amount of all Previously Issued Notices of Obligation: [_____]

The Total Amount of all Notices of Obligation to Date: [_____]

Note: Contract amounts may exceed the total grant amount, but the invoices paid by the grant will not exceed the grant amount.

Department Rep. Approver: [_____]

Title: [_____]

Signature: [_____]

Date: [_____]

¹ Administrative and/or Indirect Cost – generally, the legislation authorizing the issuance of bonds prohibits the use of its proceeds for indirect expenses (e.g. penalty fees or damages other than pay for work performed, attorney fees, and administrative fees). Such use of bond proceeds shall not be allowed unless specifically authorized by statute.

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ATTACHMENT A-PROJECT DESCRIPTION & DELIVERY PLAN

NEW MEXICO ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS BUREAU

Name of Grantee: Santa Fe County
 Capital Outlay Grant No.: SAP 21-F2379-STB
 Project Name: SANTA FE CO LA CIENEGA WATER MASTER PLAN
 Grant Text: _____
 Project Description: to plan, for a master plan and a preliminary engineering report to evaluate existing water infrastructure, to examine uses and impacts and to identify the best methods for increasing flows in La Cienega springs and traditional water sources for La Cienega in Santa Fe County.

INSTRUCTIONS: Please answer the questions below. If needed, please contact the NMED Project Manager with questions or to discuss Attachment A before returning the Grant Agreement.

Capital outlay grant funds will be used to pay for (check all that apply):	The estimated cost for each is:	The project schedule for each is (started by MM/YYYY, completed by MM/YYYY):
A. ENGINEERING SERVICES ☒ PLANNING ☒ DESIGN ☐ BIDDING & CONSTRUCTION PHASE SERVICES ☐ B. CONSTRUCTION ☐ C. EQUIPMENT PURCHASE ☐ D. OTHER _____	A _____ <u>\$100,000.00</u> <u>\$50,000.00</u> B _____ C _____ D _____	A _____ <u>Start: 03/2022 Complete: 09/2023</u> <u>Start: 03/2022 Complete: 09/2023</u> B _____ C _____ D _____

Will engineering services for the entire project exceed \$60,000 (Y/N)? No Yes, engineering services will exceed \$60,000

Has an engineer been hired (Y/N)? No Please circle the procurement method: RFP, CES or direct hire less than \$60k.

Have any engineering studies, planning documents, or inspection reports been completed that define the project need and provide cost estimates (Y/N) No If yes, please provide copies to NMED.

Are there other funds for the project (Y/N)? NO If yes, what funds will be used? _____

x [Signature] 10/13/2021 x
 Official Representative/Date

Andrea Telmo
 Digitally signed by Andrea Telmo
 Date: 2021.11.16 10:01:34 -07'00'
 NMED Project Manager Approval/Date

Reminder: The Grantee must obligate 5% of the total grant funds within 6 months of the bond sale if funds come from severance tax bonds (STB) toward an NMED-approved contract for engineering/construction/equipment/other project expense.

**NMED ATTACHMENT B – NMENV TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS
TO
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
CAPITAL APPROPRIATION FUND AGREEMENT**

ARTICLE 1 REVIEW

Upon execution of the agreement, the Grantee will follow the procedures listed below unless waived in writing by the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) (payment may be withheld if any of these procedures are not followed by the Grantee).

- A. The Grantee must submit a detailed project description to NMED Construction Programs Bureau prior to committing to expenditures from these funds. The detailed description will be provided on the Attachment A form. The Grantee must submit copies to NMED of all executed contracts entered into by the Grantee prior to this agreement, that are related to the project, for review and, if appropriate, approval.
- B. If these grant funds are to be used for engineering and/or other professional services, the hiring process for engineering services and/or other professional services must be performed in compliance with the New Mexico Procurement Code [Sections 13-1-21 et seq. NMSA 1978]. If, for any one circumstance, engineering fees will exceed \$60,000, excluding gross receipt taxes, the Grantee is also required to contact the Professional Technical Advisory Board (PTAB) for assistance in the preparation of the RFP package. (PTAB: phone (505) 888-6161 and e-mail ptab@acecnm.org.)
- C. If these grant funds are to be used for engineering and/or other professional services, the Grantee must submit a copy of any engineering agreement and/or other professional services contract, or a letter certifying that the Grantee's staff will be used for design, to NMED for review prior to executing the agreement/contract or using Grantee's staff. The required engineering agreement format is the "Publicly Funded Project" form prepared by NMED and posted on the website at www.nmenv.state.nm.us/cpb/cpbtop.html.
- D. A preliminary engineering report (PER) or study by a registered New Mexico Professional Engineer may be required. The Grantee must submit the final PER and/or study to NMED for review and approval before preparation of plans and specifications. The purpose of the PER and/or study is to analyze and choose the most technically feasible and cost effective solution for the project. The PER must follow USDA RUS Bulletin 1780-2.
- E. Grantee agrees not to start the preparation of plans and specifications until NMED approval of the PER, study, or waiver of the report requirement has been received.
- F. If the grant funds are to be used for engineering design or for construction, the Grantee must submit all plans, specifications, and any addenda for this project (prepared by a registered New Mexico Professional Engineer) to NMED for review and approval before the project is advertised for construction bids.
- G. The Grantee must submit all work related to easements, rights-of-ways, other property rights, and financing provisions associated with the project to NMED for review prior to advertising for construction. A site certificate certifying that all necessary easements and/or property upon or through which the project is being constructed have been obtained must be submitted prior to the advertisement

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for bid of the project. The Site Certificate must be signed by an attorney, engineer, surveyor, or title abstractor.

- H. The Grantee must submit the recommendation of award, certified bid tabulation, a copy of bid bond for the selected contractor and evidence of full project financing to NMED for review and approval **prior to** awarding the contract. Grantee shall not award the contract until NMED has concurred in writing with the award. Competitive bidding, in accordance with applicable state laws (including local wage determinations as provided for in Section 13-4-11 NMSA 1978), will be used for awarding construction contracts. Contracts will be awarded to the responsive, responsible bidder who submits the lowest acceptable bid, or as provided for by State Law.
- I. Following NMED approval of the proposed award, the Grantee will submit the notice of the award and the minutes of the meeting in which the award was made, the notice of a pre-construction conference, a copy of the executed construction contract documents (including payment and performance bonds), and the notice to contractor to proceed to NMED for review. The selected contractor will be required to post a performance and payment bond in accordance with requirements of Section 13-4-18 NMSA 1978.
- J. The selected contractor will submit a construction schedule to the Grantee and NMED if requested at the pre-construction conference with a copy to NMED. The Grantee will submit all modifications to plans and contract by change orders to the NMED project manager promptly for review and approval **prior to** implementation of such modification or change. The decision by NMED will be rendered promptly in writing to the Grantee. In cases necessitating immediate action, a verbal decision will be rendered by NMED and followed by a written confirmation to the Grantee.
- K. The Grantee will provide a full-time construction inspector during construction of the project unless NMED determines that part time inspection is adequate for the project. This must be requested and approved by NMED prior to the start of construction. The Grantee will be required to submit the inspector's résumé to NMED for review and approval. All daily inspection reports shall be made available to the NMED Project Manager upon request.
- L. All daily inspection reports shall be made available to the NMED Project Manager upon request.
- M. Notwithstanding the inspections performed by the Grantee and its engineer, NMED will have the right to examine all installations comprising the project, including materials delivered and stored on-site for use on the project. Such examinations will not be considered an inspection for compliance with contract plans, but will be a general NMED review as described in Article 2 below.
- N. If applicable, the Grantee (or the system owner) will employ qualified utility operators and will comply with all provisions of the New Mexico Utility Operators Certification Act, Section 61-33-1 et seq. NMSA 1978.
- O. NMED will reimburse the grantee its actual costs when NMED determines, in its sole discretion, that expenditures were appropriate under the terms of the Agreement and that the expenditures were properly documented.

ARTICLE 2 NMED OVERSIGHT

NMED inspection, review and approval are only for purposes of compliance with applicable state grant requirements, procedures, statutes and regulations. NMED approval will not be interpreted as any warranty or

guarantee of any kind. Approval of plans and design of the project means only that plans are in compliance with applicable state grant requirements, procedures and regulations. NMED will bring to the Grantee's attention, any obvious defects in the project's design, materials or workmanship, but all such defects and their correction will be the responsibility of the Grantee and its contractors and consultants. Any questions raised by NMED during its inspections and reviews shall be resolved exclusively by the Grantee. The Grantee and its contractors and consultants will remain responsible for the completion and success of the project. Approval does not relieve the owner or engineer of legal responsibilities for the overall integrity of the project, adequacy of the design, safety, or compliance with all applicable regulations.

ARTICLE 3 CLOSEOUT

- A. The project will not be considered complete until the work as defined in this agreement has been fully performed, and finally and unconditionally accepted by the Grantee and NMED.
- B. If the grant funds are to be used for preparation of a PER, a study, or plans and specifications, final payment will be made after approval by NMED of the PER, study, or plans and specifications. Payments do not constitute approval of any of these documents.
- C. If the grant funds are to be used for purchase of equipment, final payment will be made after approval by NMED of receipt of equipment title and appraisal reports for used equipment.
- D. If the grant funds are to be used for construction, final payment will be made after the final inspection has been conducted by NMED and the following items, unless waived by NMED, have been provided to NMED, and have been reviewed and approved by NMED:
- i. Operation and maintenance manuals or a letter from the owner certifying receipt and acceptance of the operation and maintenance manuals;
 - ii. A final reimbursement request including the final certified construction pay request prepared by the Grantee's project engineer and approved by the Grantee;
 - iii. A certificate of substantial completion including punch list items;
 - iv. A letter certifying project acceptance by the Grantee and the Grantee's project engineer stating that work has been satisfactorily completed and the construction contractor has fulfilled all of the obligations required under the contract documents with the Grantee, or if payment and materials performance bonds are "called", an acceptance close-out settlement to the Grantee and contractors will be submitted to NMED for final review and approval;
 - v. Certification letter by the Grantee that the Labor Standards Contract Provisions have been met;
 - vi. Record drawings prepared by the Grantee's project engineer or a letter from the owner certifying receipt and acceptance of the record drawings;
 - vii. Complete and legally effective releases or waivers (satisfactory to the Grantee) of all liens arising out of the contract documents and the labor services performed and the materials and equipment furnished there under. In lieu thereof and as approved by the Grantee, contractor(s) may furnish receipts or releases in full; an affidavit of contractor that the releases and receipts include labor, services, materials, and equipment for which a lien could be filed and that all payrolls, material and

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equipment bills, and other indebtedness connected with the work for which the Grantee or its property might in any way be responsible, have been paid or otherwise satisfied;

- viii. A written consent of the surety, if any, to final payment; and
- ix. Grantee's ledger sheets including all payments made by the Grantee may be requested with the final reimbursement request and before the final reimbursement request can be processed by NMED.

With the exception of easements (See Article 1.G above), when real property is acquired by the Grantee, either through purchase or donation as a part of this project and within the project period, the Grantee will submit documentation of the acquisition to NMED, including a legal description of the property, the date the property will be acquired, evidence of clear title, and an appraisal report prepared by a qualified appraiser who was selected through applicable procurement procedures. These documents must be reviewed and approved by NMED prior to the acquisition of any real property. After real property acquisition, the Grantee will make available to NMED all documents of title pertaining to the acquired property and all easements or rights-of-way necessary for the completion of work under this grant agreement.

NMED Attachment C
NMED Contact Information Sheet
Project Number SAP 21-F2379-STB
Grantee Santa Fe County

Project Manager: Andrea Telmo
Project Manager Address: 121 Tijeras Ave NE, Ste 1000
Albuquerque, NM 87102
Phone: 505-469-2687
Email: andrea.telmo@state.nm.us

Project Administration: Paulette Ortiz
Project Admin Address: 1190 St. Francis Drive S-2072
Santa Fe, NM 87502
Phone: 505-670-3583
Email: paulette.ortiz@state.nm.us

For General Assistance, please call 505-827-2806 and ask for "Special Appropriations" or email:
NMENV-cpbsap@state.nm.us

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NMED ATTACHMENT D DISBURSEMENT REQUEST **SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS PROGRAM(SAP)**

A. NAME OF ENTITY

B. PROJECT NUMBER

C. DISBURSEMENT REQUEST NUMBER

D. GRANT AMOUNT

	PREVIOUS EXPENDITURES		CURRENT EXPENDITURES		CUMULATIVE		FUNDS REMAINING	
	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS	NMED PROGRAM	OTHER FUNDS
Engineer Fees							\$ -	\$ -
Other Professional							\$ -	\$ -
Service Fees							\$ -	\$ -
Inspection Fees							\$ -	\$ -
Property Acquisition							\$ -	\$ -
Construction Cost							\$ -	\$ -
Planning Cost							\$ -	\$ -
Equipment							\$ -	\$ -
Other Costs (specify)							\$ -	\$ -
Contingencies							\$ -	\$ -
TOTAL	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

Article IX.A. (g). By checking this box you are stating that payment has NOT been paid to the vendors associated with this request. Upon receipt of payment from NMED, certification of payment will be sent within 10 days from the date of receiving reimbursement.

Article IX.A. (h). By checking this box you are certifying that the vendors associated with this request have been paid.

Certification: Under penalty of law, I certify that all the above expenditures are true and correct and are for appropriate purposes in accordance with the terms and conditions of the pertinent Loan/Grant Agreement; that all of the above expenses are properly documented, and are actual invoices; that payment has not been received; and that the grant activity is in full compliance with Article IX, Sec. 14 of the New Mexico Constitution known as the "anti-donation" clause.

Signature of Authorized Official

Typed or Printed Name:

Phone:

Date:

X

NMED Attachment E
New Mexico Environment Department (NMED)
Capital Appropriations Certification Document
Article IX. A. (ii) and (iii)
Project SAP 21-F2379-STB
Grantee Santa Fe County
Payment Request No _____

I certify that payment to all vendors on the above referenced payment request were paid no more than five (5) days after receiving reimbursement from NMED.

Official Representative, Signed Name, Printed Name, Date

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A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ASSIGNMENT OF AUTHORIZED OFFICER(S) AND AGENT(S)

Resolution Number

Whereas, the Board of Directors / Council / Commission of Community / Utility of County Name County of the State of New Mexico shall enter into a Grant Agreement with the State of New Mexico Environment Department, and

Whereas, the Agreement is identified as Project Number SAP

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the named applicant that:

Name, Mayor/ Chairperson / Director / Officer, or successor is authorized to sign the Grant Agreement for this project, and

Authorized Officer Name, Authorized Officer Title, or successor is the OFFICAL REPRESENTATIVES or ALTERNATE OFFICAL REPRESENTATIVE who is authorized to sign all other documents necessary to fulfill the Grant Agreement and the requirements (Project Description, Disbursements and Notice of Obligations (NOO)) and to act as the project contact (*may have more than one*), and

Name of Authorized Agent or Employee, Title, or successor is the Capital Projects Monitoring System (CPMS) contact who is authorized to update the CPMS database on a monthly basis. (*optional*)

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED: _____.

Name, Mayor / Chairperson / Director / Officer, Title, Community / Utility

(Signature)

Date

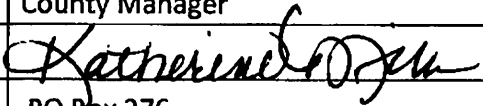
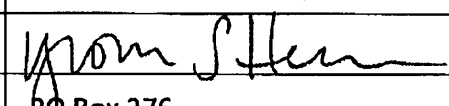
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ATTEST:

(Municipal Clerk)

Name of Grantee: Santa Fe County Project Number: 21-F2379-STB

Current Authorized Signatures (submit with Signature Resolution; update when necessary)

Authorized to Sign Grant Agreement	
Name	Katherine Miller
Title	County Manager
Signature	
Address	PO Box 276
	Santa Fe, NM 87504-0276
Email	kmiller@santafecountynm.gov
Phone	(505) 986-6200
Authorized Officer/Official Representative; To sign Disbursement Requests and All Other Documents	
Name	Yvonne S. Herrera
Title	Finance Division Director
Signature	
Address	PO Box 276
	Santa Fe, NM 87504-0276
Email	ysherrera@santafecountynm.gov
Phone	(505) 995-2781
Agent or Employee that will make Monthly CPMS Updates	
Name	Samuel L. Montoya
Title	Capital and Grants Manager
Signature	Signature Not Required
Address	PO Box 276
	Santa Fe, NM 87504-0276
Email	slmontoya@santafecountynm.gov
Phone	(505) 986-6323

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THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SANTA FE COUNTY

Resolution No. 2021- 081

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING AND RATIFYING THE COUNTY MANAGER'S SIGNATURE APPROVING GRANT SAP 21-F2379-STB ON BEHALF OF SANTA FE COUNTY FOR THE LA CIENEGA WATER MASTER PLAN, AND DESIGNATING AN OFFICIAL REPRESENTATIVE AND FISCAL OFFICER FOR SUCH GRANT

WHEREAS, in 2021, the State of New Mexico passed House Bill 285 for Capital Outlay; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 285 is now Chapter 138 of the Laws of 2021; and

WHEREAS, Section 21, Paragraph 83 of Chapter 138 of the Laws of 2021 authorized the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) to issue grant funding in the amount of \$150,000.00 to plan for a master plan and a preliminary engineering report to evaluate existing water infrastructure, to examine uses and impacts and to identify the best methods for increasing flows in La Cienega springs and traditional water sources for La Cienega in Santa Fe County; and

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County wishes to enter into Grant SAP 21-F2379-STB with the NMED; and

WHEREAS, Santa Fe County wishes to accept and approve Grant SAP 21-F2379-STB and designate an official representative who is authorized to sign the grant agreement and designate a fiscal officer who is authorized to sign reimbursement requests and other documents relating to Grant SAP 21-F2379-STB.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board:

1. Grant SAP 21-F2379-STB in the amount of \$150,000.00 is accepted by Santa Fe County. Pursuant to Santa Fe County Resolution No. 2018-99 the Board confirms and ratifies the Santa Fe County Manager's signature and approval of Grant SAP 21-F2379-STB on behalf of Santa Fe County.

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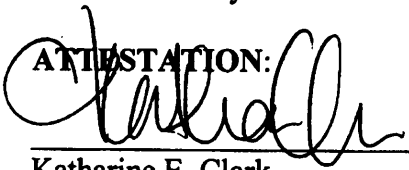
2. Katherine Miller, Santa Fe County Manager, is the official representative who is authorized to sign all other documents related to and necessary to fulfill the purposes of Grant SAP 21-F2379-STB, including any amendments.

3. Yvonne S. Herrera, Santa Fe County Finance Director, is designated as the Fiscal Officer for Grant SAP 21-F2379-STB who is authorized to sign any reimbursement requests relating to Grant SAP 21-F2379-STB.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this 26th day of October, 2021.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SANTA FE COUNTY


Henry P. Roybal, Chair
Santa Fe County Board of County Commissioners

ATTESTATION:

Katharine E. Clark
Santa Fe County Clerk

10/27/21
Date

Approved as to form:


Gregory S. Shaffer
Santa Fe County Attorney

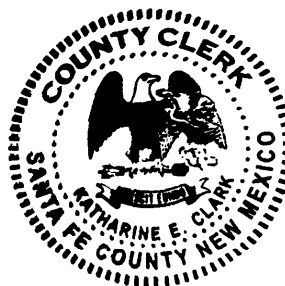
10-7-2021
Date

COUNTY OF SANTA FE)
STATE OF NEW MEXICO) ss

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I Hereby Certify That This Instrument Was Filed for
Record On The 28TH Day Of October, 2021 at 08:37:16 AM
And Was Duly Recorded as Instrument # 1969950
Of The Records Of Santa Fe County

Witness My Hand And Seal Of Office
Katharine E. Clark
Deputy  County Clerk, Santa Fe, NM



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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT
FUND 89200 CAPITAL APPROPRIATION PROJECT
AMENDMENT NO. 1**

Grant Agreement #:21-F2379-STB SANTA FE CO LA CIENEGA WATER MASTER PLAN

CAPITAL APPROPRIATION PROJECT AGREEMENT, ARTICLE VIII:

**ARTICLE VIII. REPORTS
(CURRENT)**

A. Database Reporting

The Grantee shall report monthly Project activity by entering such Project information as the Department and the Department of Finance and Administration may require, such information entered directly into a database maintained by the Department of Finance and Administration (<http://cpms.dfa.state.nm.us>). Additionally, the Grantee shall certify on the Request for Payment form (Exhibit 1) that updates have been maintained and are current in the database. The Grantee hereby acknowledges that failure to perform and/or certify updates into the database will delay or potentially jeopardize the reimbursement of funds. The Department shall give Grantee a minimum of thirty (30) days' advance written notice of any changes to the information the Grantee is required to report.

Monthly reports shall be due on the last day of each month, beginning with the first full month following execution of this Agreement by the Department and ending upon the submission of the final request for reimbursement for the Project.

CAPITAL APPROPRIATION PROJECT AGREEMENT, ARTICLE VIII IS AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

**ARTICLE VIII. REPORTS
(AMENDED)**

A. Database Reporting

The Grantee shall report quarterly Project activity by entering such Project information as the Department and the Department of Finance and Administration may require, such information entered directly into a database maintained by the Department of Finance and Administration (Budget & Formulation Management System). Additionally, the Grantee shall certify on the Request for Payment form (Exhibit 1) that updates have been maintained and are current in the database. The Grantee hereby acknowledges that failure to perform and/or certify updates into the database will delay or potentially jeopardize the reimbursement of funds. The Department shall give Grantee a minimum of thirty (30) days' advance written notice of any changes to the information the Grantee is required to report.

Quarterly reports shall be due on the last day of the month that is 30 days prior to the end of the quarter following execution of this Agreement by the Department and ending during the quarter of the submission of the final request for reimbursement for the Project, or the following quarter.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties do hereby execute this Amendment.

THIS AMENDMENT has been approved by:

GRANTEE

Gregory S. Shaffer
Signature of Official with Authority to Bind Grantee
Date

(Type or Print Name)

Gregory S. Shaffer, County Manager

11/17/2023

Yvonne S. Hen
Santa Fe County Finance 11/14/2023

Approved as to form by Roberta D. Joe, Assistant County Attorney
for J.Y., Santa Fe County Attorney 11/7/2023

New Mexico Environment Department

Judith L. Kahl, P.E., Bureau Chief, NMED Construction Programs Bureau
Signed pursuant to the March 24, 2023 Secretary of Environment Delegation Order

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