CITY OF SANTA FE

The Purchasing Memo

Date: August 10, 2026

To: Governing Body, Finance Committee, and Quality of Life Committee

From: Margaret M. Neill, Library Division Director MARGARET NEILL

Via: Sandra Emory, Community Services Director Sandra Emory

Marcella Apodaca, Business Operations Manager Marcella Apodaca

Subject: 2024 GO Bond for Libraries

ITEM AND ISSUE:

Request for Approval of the New Mexico State Library Appropriation General Obligation Bond for the Support of Library Services in the total amount of $347,026.21 Through June 30, 2029.
(Margaret M. Neill, Library Division Director, mmneil@santafenm.gov)

BACKGROUND AND SUMMARY:

The 2024 General Obligation Bond was passed by New Mexico citizens to benefit New Mexico libraries. The purpose of this award is to supplement local funding for library materials (books, periodicals, videos, audio, etc.), or for equipment and supplies that provide or enhance access to information for library patrons. No application was required to receive this award. The library receives this funding because it meets State Library criteria for a public library in the State of New Mexico. The award period ends June 30, 2029.

PRIOR APPROVALS AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION:

FUNDING SOURCE:

Fund Name/Number: Library Fund/251

Munis Org Name/Number: Library Programs/2510101

Munis Object Name/Number: Books, Subscrpts, Periodicals/530700; Data Processing Equip InvExempt/572800; Furniture & Fixtures InvExempt/572000; Software Subscriptions/530710

Budget Officer / Designee: Andrew J. Hopkins **Date:** 08/12/2026

Budget Officer Comment/Exceptions: ______

ASSOCIATED APPROVALS:

IT Components included? ☐ Yes | ☒ No

Approval: ______ **Title:** ______ **Date:** ______

Comment/Exceptions: ______

Treasury/Point of Sale Components included? ☐ Yes | ☒ No

Approval: ______________ **Title:** ______________ **Date:** ______________

Comment/Exceptions: ______________

Vehicles included? ☐ Yes | ☒ No

Approval: ______________ **Title:** ______________ **Date:** ______________

Comment/Exceptions: ______________

Construction to City Facilities, Furniture, and/or Fixtures included? ☐ Yes | ☒ No

Approval: ______________ **Title:** ______________ **Date:** ______________

Comment/Exceptions: ______________

Is this an externally funded purchase? ☐ Yes | ☒ No

If yes, what is the issuing agency: ______________

Approval: ______________ **Title:** ______________ **Date:** ______________

Comment/Exceptions: ______________

Is this a Capital Asset or Project? ☐ Yes | ☒ No

Project Ledger Number: LIB2425103

Approval: ERIKA LUJAN
ERIKA LUJAN (Aug 12, 2026 16:27:54 MDT) **Title:** Grants Manager **Date:** 08/12/2026

Comment/Exceptions: ______________

ATTACHMENTS:

Grant Agreement
Project Ledger
BAR

City of Santa Fe New Mexico

Finance Department

Project Ledger Request Form

Date of Request: 08/05/2026	Project ID: LIB2425103
Project Title: GO Bond for Libraries	Grant ID: S2708
Project Type: ☐ CIP ☑ Grant ☐ Internal Tracking	Approved By: BSGL 08.12.26/ ERIKA LUJAN
	(Finance Use Only)

Department: Community Services/Library Project Manager: Margaret M. Neill Ext: 6788

Project Date Range: 07/01/2026 to 06/30/2029 ☐ Create Fixed Asset

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☐ Multi-Funding (complete all funding sources, should equal 100%)

Funding Source: Revenue: GO Bond for Libraries % of Funding: 100%

MUNIS ORG: 2510101 MUNIS OBJ: 490230 Awarded Amount: $347,026.21

Funding Source: ______ % of Funding: ______

MUNIS ORG: ______ MUNIS OBJ: ______ Awarded Amount: ______

Expense String Phase:

A project must have at least one phase identified, this can be used as an additional level of tracking, for example, CIP - Design, Construction, etc. For Grants can be used as reimbursable types, such as transportation, salaries.

(You can create more than one phase and you can default MUNIS ORGs and OBJs, optional)

Phase: Expenditure MUNIS ORG: 2510101 MUNIS OBJ: 530700, 572800, 572000, 530710

Grants Only (list all grants if applicable):

Grantor Name: NMDCA-NMSL Grant Agreement Awarded Amount: $347,026.21

AR Charge Code: 2510101.490230 ☑ Grant funds multiple projects (Complete a form for each project)

Grantor Id: Project No. A24-I5398 Federal CFDA (if applicable): ______

Grantor Name: ______ Awarded Amount: ______

AR Charge Code: ______ ☐ Grant funds multiple projects (Complete a form for each project)

Grantor Id: ______ Federal CFDA (if applicable): ______

(If grants please provide all grant award documents with form) ☐ Attached Grant Documentation

Log # {Finance use only}:	
Journal # {Finance use only}:	

City of Santa Fe, New Mexico
BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUEST (BAR)

DEPARTMENT / DIVISION NAME	DATE
Community Services / Library Division	8/5/2026

ITEM DESCRIPTION	ORG	OBJECT	PROJECT	INCREASE	DECREASE
EXPENDITURES				{enter as positive #}	{enter as negative #}
Books/Subscrpts/Periodicals	2510101	530700	LIB2425103	245,000	
Data Processing Equip InvExempt	2510101	572800	LIB2425103	75,000	
Furniture & Fixtures InvExempt	2510101	572000	LIB2425103	25,000	
Software Subscriptions	2510101	530710	LIB2425103	2,026	
REVENUES				{enter as negative #}	{enter as positive #}
2024 General Obligation Bond for Libraries Revenue	2510101	490230	LIB2425103	(347,026)	
				$ -	$ -

JUSTIFICATION: *(use additional page if needed)*
--Attach supporting documentation/memo

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{Complete section below if BAR results in a net change to ANY Fund}	
Fund(s) Affected	Fund Balance Increase/(Decrease)
TOTAL:	0

Margaret M. Neill — 8/5/2026
Prepared By {print name} — Date

MARGARET NEILL
Division Director Signature {optional} — Date

Sandra Emory
Department Director Signature — Date

{Use this form for Finance Committee/ City Council agenda items ONLY}

CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL

City Council Approval Date:

Agenda Item #:

Andrew J. Hopkins — 08/12/2026
Budget Officer — Date

Finance Director {≤ $5,000} — Date

City Manager {≤ $60,000} — Date

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS
FUND 89200 APPROPRIATION PROJECT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the **State of New Mexico, Department of Cultural Affairs, New Mexico State Library Division**, ("**Department**") or abbreviation such as "**NMSL**", 1209 Camino Carlos Rey, Santa Fe, NM 87507, and **Santa Fe, City of** ("**Grantee**") on behalf of the **Santa Fe Public Library**, (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 2024, Chapter 64, Section 10, Paragraph B(1)(a), 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, NMSA 1978, Section 18-2-4 directs the state librarian to make rules and regulations necessary to administer the division and as provided by law, and NMSA 1978, Section 18-2-4(B) directs the state librarian to administer grants-in-aid and encourage local library services and generally promote an effective statewide library system;

WHEREAS, the state librarian promulgated administrative rules to govern the distribution of general obligation bonds, which are compiled as section 4.5.8 NMAC;

WHEREAS, the Grantee on behalf of a library, that is eligible for receipt of such funds because it is a local public library, as defined under section 4.5.8 NMAC that has filed an approved annual report with the Department;

WHEREAS, the Department determined the amount of the Allocation based on the criteria described in Rule 4.5.8.8 NMAC ("Distribution of Funds"); 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 DATE

A. Project No. A24-I5398 ("**Project**"), 30-JUN-2029 ("**Reversion Date**"). Laws of 2024, Chapter 64, Section 10, Paragraph B(1)(a), Six Million Dollars and Zero Cents ($6,000,000.00), for equipment, library furniture, fixtures and supplemental library resource acquisitions, including print, non-print and electronic resources, collaborative library resources and information technology projects, and for the purchase and installation of broadband internet equipment and infrastructure at non-tribal public libraries statewide.

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.

B. Grantee's total reimbursements shall not exceed **Three Hundred Forty Seven Thousand Twenty Six Dollars and Twenty One C** **$347,026.21** ("**Appropriation Amount**") minus the allocation for Art in Public Places ("**AIPP amount**"), if applicable, Zero Dollars ($0.00), which equals insert the appropriation amount minus the AIPP amount in words and dollars ("**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 issuing 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 Library Director and Fiscal Officer identified in the most recent grant application or other documentation provided to the NMSL as the Points of Contact for all matters related to this Agreement. The Grantee shall notify the NMSL in writing within ten (10) business days of any changes to these representatives or their contact information during the term of this Agreement.

B. The Department designates the person(s) listed below, or their successors, as the Points of Contact for matters related to this Agreement.

a. Department: New Mexico State Library
   i. Name: Carmelita Aragon
   ii. Title: Library Development Services Bureau Chief
   iii. Address: 1209 Camino Carlos Rey, Santa Fe, NM 87507
   iv. Email: Carmelita.Aragon@dca.nm.gov
   v. Telephone: 505-476-9740

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. Quarterly reports shall be in the form required by Exhibit C, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

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.

b. Obligated but unpaid invoices received by Grantee from third-party contractors or vendors may be reimbursed if the invoices comply with the provisions of this Agreement.

i. 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.

ii. The Department reserves the right to make such payments directly to the contractors or vendors as a special condition under this Agreement.

iii. 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; or

c. **Ninety (90) days from the 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 Départemement'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 restrictions, 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 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, **Santa Fe, City of** and **Santa Fe Public Library** may immediately terminate this Agreement by giving Contractor written notice of such termination.
c. **Santa Fe, City of** and **Santa Fe Public Library** 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 **Santa Fe, City of** and **Santa Fe Public Library** or the State of New Mexico in the event of immediate or Early Termination of this Agreement by the **Santa Fe, City of** and **Santa Fe Public Library** 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 **Santa Fe, City of** and **Santa Fe Public Library**, **Santa Fe, City of** and **Santa Fe Public Library** may terminate this contract immediately by providing Contractor written notice of such termination.
b. In the event of termination pursuant to this paragraph, **Santa Fe, City of** and **Santa Fe Public Library** 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.
   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, policymaking, 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.

GRANTEE

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Signature of Official with Authority to Bind Grantee

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Print Name and Title of Official with Authority to Bind Grantee

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Date

DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS

Debra Garcia y Griego, Cabinet Secretary	Date
Greg Geisler, Division Director, CFO, Administration Services Division	Date
Max DeAzevedo, General Counsel	Date
Eli Guinnee, State Librarian	Date

ATTEST:

GERALYN CARDENAS, CITY CLERK

CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE:

Sarah Piltch
Sarah Piltch (Aug 10, 2026 20:53:42 MDT)

SARAH PILTCH, ASSISTANT CITY ATTORNEY

APPROVED FOR FINANCES:

Monica Maestas

MONICA MAESTAS, FINANCE DIRECTOR

NOTICE OF OBLIGATION TO REIMBURSE GRANTEE
EXHIBIT A

Notice of Obligation to Reimburse Grantee # __________

DATE: ____________________

TO: Department Representative: ____________________, ____________________

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: ____________________

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.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
GRANT APPROPRIATION
Request for Payment Form
Exhibit B

I. Grantee Information (Must match your DFA Substitute W-9 Form)

A. Grantee: ______________________

B. Address: ______________________
(Complete Mailing, including Suite, if applicable)
____
City, State, Zip

C. Contact Name/Phone #: ______________________

D. Grant No: ______________________

E. Project Title: ______________________

F. Grant Expiration Date: ______________________

II. Payment Computation

A. Payment Request No. ______________________

B. Grant Amount: $ 0.00

C. AIPP Amount *(If Applicable)*: $ 0.00

D. Funds Requested to Date: $ 0.00

E. Amount Requested this Payment: ______________________

F. Reversion Amount (*if applicable*): $ 0.00

G. Grant Balance: $ 0.00

H. ☐ Final Request for Payment (*if applicable*)

III. Fiscal Year : 2026 (July 1, 2025-June 30, 2026)

(The State of NM Fiscal Year is July 1, 20XX through June 30, 20XX of the following year)

IV. Certifications

☐ 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 Procurement Code and 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.

☐ 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.

☐ 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.

______________________ **Grantee Fiscal Officer** or **Fiscal Agent** (*if applicable*)

______________________ Printed Name

Date: ______________________

______________________ **Grantee Representative**

______________________ Printed Name

Date: ______________________

(State Agency Use Only)

Vendor Code: _ **Fund No.:** ____________ PO # __ **Loc No.:** ______________________

I certify that the State Agency financial and vendor file information agree with the above submitted information.

______________________ ASD Officer Date

______________________ Division Grant Manager Date

Revised 7/2025

EXHIBIT C

Quarterly Reports Form and Certification

OPTIONAL EXHIBIT D
SPECIAL CONDITIONS

The capital outlay oversight requires grantees' accounting methods and procedures, including their internal control framework, to be scrutinized, so as to safeguard State capital outlay appropriations and assets acquired with such appropriations.

This Capital Outlay Special Grant Condition(s) **Exhibit D** is necessary pursuant to Executive Order 2013-006 (2.A.2.a-c, if applicable), due to the Grantees' material weaknesses, significant deficiencies, or findings that raised concerns as to the ability to expend grant funds in accordance with applicable law in the organization's FY[20XX] audit. The Special Conditions identified below apply to the authorized agent, [insert the Grantee or Fiscal Agent name].

Procurement - All purchases or contracts the Grantee enters that shall use funding from the Department capital appropriations grant must be approved by the Department prior to the initiation of implementing purchasing documents. The Grantee shall receive such prior approval via official correspondence from the Department, which may be through letter or email. The Grantee shall submit the following to the Department in pursuit of prior approval: purchasing policies and procedures, CFO certification, documentation of management and program approval, policies and procedures governing purchasing and contracting, a copy of the current procurement and contracting policies, and documentation regarding informing staff responsible for purchasing and contracting on such policies and procedures.

Budget - Provide documentation of approval of your current budget from DFA Local Government or other authoritative agency. Provide policies and procedures on who is responsible for and how annual budgets (expenditures and revenue) are established, monitored and adjusted. Provide a corrective action plan on how budget issues identified in your audit will be/have been addressed. Also include documentation on how staff responsible for budgeting is informed on budget policies and procedures.

Capital Assets - Provide a complete list of inventory including inventory control numbers and current location. Provide policies and procedures on capital assets and inventory and specify how the proposed purchased items will be included, tagged, and tracked in capital asset inventory. Also include documentation on how staff responsible for capital assets is informed on capital asset policies and procedures.

Travel and Per Diem - Provide policies and procedures on travel and per diem. Also include how staff who travel and those responsible for travel reimbursement are informed on travel and per diem policies and procedures.

Timely Audits – Provide policies and procedures on annual audits. Provide documentation on how and who is responsible for ensuring that annual audits are completed timely. Also include documentation on how staff responsible for the annual audit is informed on audit policies and procedures.

Cash Management – policies and procedures on cash management of federal funds. Provide procedures used to draw and disburse federal funds. Provide procedures to reconcile draw amounts, deposits and disbursements; and to prepare federal cash reporting documents to ensure compliance with federal regulations.

The <Grantee> was required to, and has provided sufficient documentation regarding [insert specific names of the Special Condition(s)], as referenced in the <Grantee>'s [20XX] Audit file. Therefore, the criteria to enter into this agreement have been met.

Exhibit E

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.

Administrative code is subject to change. Please always check for the most up-to-date version online.

GO BONDS

TITLE 4 CULTURAL RESOURCES
CHAPTER 5 STATE LIBRARY
PART 8 DISTRIBUTION OF GENERAL OBLIGATION STATE OF NEW MEXICO BOND FUNDS TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES

4.5.8.1 ISSUING AGENCY: Cultural Affairs Department - State Library Division.
[4.5.8.1 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.2 SCOPE: Local public libraries.
[4.5.8.2 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.3 STATUTORY AUTHORITY: Section 18-2-4 I NMSA 1978 directs the state librarian to make rules and regulations necessary to administer the division and as provided by law. Section 18-2-4 B NMSA 1978 directs the state librarian to administer grants-in-aid and encourage local library services and generally promote an effective statewide library system.
[4.5.8.3 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.4 DURATION: Permanent.
[4.5.8.4 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.5 EFFECTIVE DATE: February 14, 2008 unless a later date is cited at the end of a section.
[4.5.8.5 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.6 OBJECTIVE: The objective of this rule is to describe the state of New Mexico general obligation bond funds distribution to public libraries program (hereinafter "the library bond program") and to establish criteria and procedures for distribution of the funds. The purpose of the library bond program is to provide supplemental funds for library resources when such funds are approved by the legislature and the voters in statewide elections. The library bond program funds library resources and equipment for public libraries statewide, including the rural library services of the state library.
[4.5.8.6 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.7 DEFINITIONS:

A. "Annual report" means the report required annually by the state library from a public library.

B. "Authorized expenditure period" means the period from when a purchase order is approved by the cultural affairs department until ninety (90) days prior to the ending date specified in the authorizing legislation.

C. "Basic public library services" means services provided by a local public library that include circulating library collections, basic reference service, and educational programs.

D. "Equipment" means computers, software and related peripherals; servers; thin client terminals; networks, including wireless networks; telecommunications; automation systems; and other equipment used to assist in meeting the information needs of a library's clients.

E. "Fiscal year" means July 1 through June 30.

F. "Legal service area" means the geographic area for which a public library has been established to offer services and from which the library derives income. This includes the entire service area of the local public library or library system and does not include merely the general service area of any one branch. The most recent U.S. census determines the population of the legal service area if the population figures are given separately for that area. If the census does not have a discreet population figure for the legal service area, then the state library and the library whose population is at issue shall work together to arrive at a mutually acceptable population figure. If this is not possible, the state library in its sole discretion shall determine the population for the library's legal service area.

G. **"Library resources"** means library holdings intended for public use and the tools required to make the resources usable by the public. Library resources can include books, videos, DVDs, sound recordings, electronic and digital media, and information materials accessed via the internet.

H. **"Library system"** means the agency that is legally established to provide public library service to the legal service area population. A library system may have a single outlet or more than one outlet.

I. **"Local funding authority"** means local or sovereign governments recognized by the department of finance and administration.

J. **"Local public library"** means a New Mexico organization that offers basic public library services within its legal service area and is open to the public at least fifteen (15) hours per week and a minimum of two (2) days each week.

K. **"Rural library services"** means those services provided by the state library to persons in the state who do not have access to a local public library. These services include bookmobiles and the books-by-mail service.

L. **"Supplemental funds"** means funds that are provided from sources other than the regular library budget derived from the local funding authority. Supplemental funds are not intended to replace any part, or all, of the library's regular budget.

[4.5.8.7 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.8 **DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS:** Money from the library bond program shall be distributed in the following manner:

A. **Notification:** When the library bond program funds are approved by the voters, the state library shall send a letter of notification and acceptance agreement to all public libraries informing them of their eligibility to receive the funds and the amount of funds they are eligible to receive. The agreement must be signed and returned to the state library one-hundred twenty (120) days before the start of the authorized expenditure period. Libraries that do not return the signed agreement within the required time period shall not be eligible to receive funds. Upon receipt of the agreements, the state library shall calculate the final allocation and the libraries shall be notified of any changes within ninety (90) days before the authorized expenditure period.

B. **Allocation:** The amount allocated to eligible public libraries is dependent upon the amount of bond funds approved by the state legislature and approved by the voters in a bond election. The state library may publish and make publicly available a list showing the bond fund allocations for each eligible library.

C. **Criteria for allocation of funds:** The state librarian shall establish the amount of funds to be allocated to each eligible library system using the following criteria.

(1) Library shall be a local public library.

(2) Library shall have filed an approved annual report with the state library.

(3) Library shall return a signed agreement accepting the funds and agreeing to abide by the terms and conditions of this rule.

(4) Non-profit libraries shall have an agreement with a local funding authority to act as their fiscal agent for these funds.

(5) The library's and the local funding authority's accounting records shall be sufficient to document expenditures of library bond program money. At the sole discretion of the state library, such records may be audited annually or as needed by the state library or its designated representative.

(6) County population and the library's legal service area shall be used to determine the amount of library bond program funds that shall be allocated to each eligible library.

D. **Distribution of funds:** Money from the library bond program funds shall be distributed in the following order:

(1) library system allocation: each eligible local public library system, including rural library services facilities, shall receive a fixed allocation dependent upon the total library bond funds available;

(2) per capita allocation: remaining library bond funds shall be distributed to each county on a per capita basis using the latest U.S. census bureau estimates, as follows: (a) each library shall receive funds based upon the legal service area population and proportional credit for the unassigned population in each county; and,

(b) local public libraries that are the only local public library in their county shall receive the entire per capita allocation for the county.

E. Maintenance of effort:

(1) Library's book or materials budget shall not be reduced by the local funding authority as a result of eligibility for library bond program funds.

(2) Upon demonstrated evidence that such a reduction has occurred, the library shall be ineligible to receive funds in the next library bond program.

[4.5.8.8 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.9 SOURCE OF FUNDS: The state legislature is the sole authority for authorizing bond funding to support acquisition of library resources and equipment, including authorizing the placement of general obligation bonds on an election ballot. These library bond program funds must be approved by the voters before they are made available to libraries.

[4.5.8.9 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.10 LIMITATION ON FUNDS:

A. Library bond program funds may be approved by the state legislature only during legislative sessions convened in even numbered years. The amount of bond funds received for distribution by the state library may vary depending on the amounts approved by the state legislature and subsequently approved by the voters.

B. Notwithstanding language elsewhere in this rule, the state library may, in its sole discretion, alter the distribution amounts to reflect the actual amount of approved bond funds.

C. Funds shall be expended in the fiscal year in which they are made available, unless otherwise stated in the authorizing legislation.

[4.5.8.10 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.11 ADMINISTRATION OF FUNDS:

A. The state library shall administer the library bond program.

B. Allocated funds shall be sent on a reimbursement basis from the state library by check or electronic fund transfers to the library or local funding authority. Libraries must submit a reimbursement request form and expenditure documentation receipts for eligible expenditures prior to being reimbursed. Upon verification of the expenditure documentation receipts, the state library shall approve reimbursement.

C. Reimbursements shall be submitted in the fiscal year in which the funds were expended.

D. All requests for reimbursement shall be submitted within the authorized expenditure period.

[4.5.8.11 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

4.5.8.12 APPEALS:

A. In the event that library bond program funds are denied to a local library under the provisions of Subsection E of 4.5.8.8 NMAC, an appeal may be made by the local library or the local funding authority.

B. Such appeal shall be made in writing to the state librarian within ten (10) days of notification of denial of funds. The appeal should state all facts and conditions relating to the appeal.

C. The appeal shall be considered and ruled upon by the state library commission at its next regularly scheduled meeting.

[4.5.8.12 NMAC - N, 2/14/2008]

HISTORY OF 4.5.8 NMAC: [RESERVED]

State General Obligation (GO) Bond Expenditures Guidance Sheet

The 4.5.8 New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC) governs the GO Bond distribution to Public Libraries program. GO Bond funds are intended to supplement library collections and resources and are not intended to replace any part, or all, of a library's regular operating budget or local financial support.

Under the maintenance of effort requirements in 4.5.8 NMAC, a library's book or materials budget may not be reduced by the local funding authority because the library receives GO Bond funds. If this occurs, the library will be ineligible to receive funding in the next GO Bond cycle. Receipt of GO Bond funds does not relieve the local funding authority of its responsibility to maintain financial support for the library.

Because GO Bonds are state monies, purchases made with GO Bond funds may not be counted toward the library's required local matching funds under 4.5.2 NMAC for State Grants-in-Aid eligibility.

This is not an exhaustive list of allowable and non-allowable expenditures. The New Mexico State Library (NMSL) cannot guarantee that an expenditure will be reimbursed unless the library follows the Notice of Obligation (NOO) process prior to making a purchase. If you have questions about a proposed expenditure, contact the Library Development Bureau prior to making the purchase, SL.Development@dca.nm.gov

Allowable Expenditures – State GO Bond funds ***can*** be used for:

- Library Collections
  - Items traditionally available at the library and intended for public use, such as books, e-books, audiobooks, DVDs, CDs, electronic and digital media, licensed databases (e.g., ancestry.com, mango languages), etc.
  - Processing materials, e.g., spine labels, barcodes, and other such items.
  - Non-traditional circulating/educational items may also be allowable, e.g., board games, sewing machines, cake pans, cookie cutters, etc. Such items must be in the library's catalog and accessible to patrons for checkout.
- Library Equipment
  - Technological and mechanical items that are used to deliver library services, including computers, software and related peripherals (e.g., printers, scanners, wireless routers), as well as security equipment, servers, thin client terminals, and network infrastructure (including wireless and telecommunications), automation systems, broadband internet equipment and installation, and other technology used to support patron access to information.
- Furniture
  - Movable items that support the use and functionality of the library space *for patrons*, including desks, chairs, tables, shelving, and similar furnishings.
- Fixtures
  - Items permanently attached to the library that become part of the building and support or improve the use and functionality of the space, including wall or ceiling mounted lighting, window coverings, security gates or theft detection systems, fixed study carrels attached to walls or floors, and similar fixtures.

See page 2 for Non-Allowable Expenditures

<u>Non-Allowable Expenditures</u> – State GO Bond funds ***<u>cannot</u>*** be used for:

- Library staff salaries or professional development.
- Administrative expenses or indirect costs such as budgeting, accounting, financial management, data processing, legal services, product warranties, service contracts, or maintenance contracts.
- Library programming supplies, e.g., craft materials, office supplies such as copy paper, folders, glue, etc.
- Food, giveaways, incentives, or prizes, library decorations, library staff furniture, recreational rentals/purchases (e.g., bouncy houses, party supplies), or similar items.
- Any expenditures that do not directly support the information needs of library patrons or aren't associated with the delivery of basic library services. This includes, but is not limited to, the cost of parties, receptions, fund-raising events, other social functions, library building maintenance, library building insurance, cleaning supplies and equipment (e.g., vacuums, mops, brooms, trash cans, etc.), toilet paper, paper towels, interior/exterior paint, or similar expenditures.
- Capital improvements and construction.

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