

AGREEMENT NUMBER <b>AA-0910-08</b>
REGISTRATION NUMBER

1. This Agreement is entered into between the State Agency and the Contractor named below:

STATE AGENCY'S NAME

California Department of Aging

CONTRACTOR'S NAME

**COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, Aging and Adult Services**

2. The term of this Agreement is: April 1, 2010 (or, when approved by CDA, whichever is later.)  
 June 30, 2011

3. The maximum amount of this Agreement is: **\$ 87,307**  
 Eighty-seven thousand three hundred seven and 00/100 dollars

4. The parties agree to comply with the terms and conditions of the following exhibits which are by this reference made a part of the Agreement.

Exhibit A – Scope of Work 10 page(s)

Exhibit B – Budget Detail and Payment Provisions 7 page(s)

Exhibit C\* – General Terms and Conditions GTC 307

Check mark one item below as Exhibit D:

Exhibit - D Special Terms and Conditions (Attached hereto as part of this agreement) 25 page(s)

Exhibit - D\* Special Terms and Conditions

Exhibit E – Additional Provisions 5 page(s)

*Items shown with an Asterisk (\*), are hereby incorporated by reference and made part of this agreement as if attached hereto.  
 These documents can be viewed at [www.ols.dgs.ca.gov/Standard+Language](http://www.ols.dgs.ca.gov/Standard+Language)*

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

**CONTRACTOR**

CONTRACTOR'S NAME (if other than an individual, state whether a corporation, partnership, etc.)

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, Aging and Adult Services

BY (Authorized Signature)

DATE SIGNED(Do not type)

PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING

ADDRESS

225 37TH AVE SAN MATEO CA 94403

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

AGENCY NAME

California Department of Aging

BY (Authorized Signature)

DATE SIGNED(Do not type)

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ARTICLE I. DEFINITIONS

- A. **Department of Labor Appropriations Act, 2010 P.L. 111-117, Division D (Appropriations Act)** means the law enacted and signed into law by Congress on December 16, 2009. This Appropriation Act provides additional \$225 million in Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) funds to allow SCSEP contractors to immediately address unmet needs for employment and job training among low-income, older American Workers.
- B. **Title V Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP)** means a program that serves low-income persons who are 55 years of age and older and who have poor employment prospects by placing them in part-time community service assignments and by assisting them to transition to unsubsidized employment. [Older Americans Act (OAA), 20 CFR 641.110].
- C. **Participant** means an individual who is eligible for the Title V SCSEP, is enrolled, and is receiving services for up to 48 months, unless a request for a waiver is made by CDA and approved by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL). [OAA Section 518(a)(3)(B), 20 CFR 641.140].
- D. **Participant Position** means an authorized training slot whose unit cost includes administration; participant wage and fringe benefits; and other participant costs. The number of participant slots and the amount of funding available for a given Fiscal Year is based on an equitable distribution ratio determined by the U. S. Census and allocated by the Department of Labor (DOL). [OAA Section 506(g)(1), OAA Section 507].
- E. **Modified Positions** means the number of authorized training slots adjusted to account for states with a higher minimum wage paid to participants. [SCSEP Quarterly Progress Report-Employment Training Administration (ETA) 5140]
- F. **Unemployed** means an individual who is without a job and who wants and is available for work, including an individual who may have occasional employment that does not result in a constant source of income. [OAA Section 518(a)(8)].
- G. **Low Income** means family income not more than 125 percent of the federal poverty guidelines. [OAA Section 518(a)(3)(A)].
- H. **Eligible Service Population** means unemployed low-income California residents who are 55 years of age or older and who have poor employment prospects. Priority must be given to individuals who are 65 years of age and older or (a) have a disability; (b) have limited English proficiency or low literacy skills; (c) reside in a rural area; (d) are veterans or spouses of veterans as defined in 20 CFR 641.520(a)(2); (e) have low employment prospects; (f) have failed to find employment after utilizing services provided through the One-Stop

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Delivery System; or (g) are homeless or at risk for homelessness. [OAA Section 518(b)(1)(2)].

- I. **Host Agency** means a public agency or private non-profit 501(c)(3) organization that provides a training work site and supervision for a participant position. (20 CFR 641.140)
- J. **Program Income** means income earned by the contractor during the contract period that is directly generated by an allowable activity supported by contract funds or earned as a result of the award of contract funds.
- K. **Matching Contributions** mean local cash and/or in-kind contributions by the Contractor, subcontractor, or other local resources that qualify as match for the contract funding.
- L. **In-kind Contributions** mean the value of non-cash contributions donated to support the project or program (e.g., property, service, etc.).
- M. **Community-Service Employment Training** means placing participants at host agencies that have occupations which are similar to “in demand” private sector jobs. Assignments may be supplemented by general or specialized skills training and a participant must have an Individual Employment Plan (IEP) that details skills to be attained and timelines for achieving the goal. There is no hour limit for a participant’s community service training employment in a 12-month period. [20 CFR 641.140, OAA Section 518(a)(2)].
- N. **On-The-Job-Experience (OJE) Training** means developing a training assignment that provides the participant an opportunity to develop and practice specific skills and/or experience, which are not attainable through the regular community service assignment. (Older Worker Bulletin No. 04-04)
- O. **One-Stop Career Centers (OSCC)** means agencies that are funded by the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) to provide universal access to employment referrals, training, and other job-seeker/employer services. (20 CFR 641.140)
- P. **Core Indicators** means indicators that are subject to goal-setting and corrective action. [20 CFR 641.700(a)].
- Q. **Additional Indicators** means indicators that are not subject to goal-setting and corrective action. [20 CFR 641.700(a)].
- R. **Performance Measures** means core indicators and additional indicators of performance that measure the success and effectiveness of the SCSEP. (20 CFR 641.710)

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- S. **Entry into Unsubsidized Employment** (entered employment) means participants who are employed in the first quarter after the exit quarter. [20 CFR 641.710(a)(2)].
- T **Number of Eligible Individuals Served** (service level) means the total number of participants served divided by the contractor's authorized number of positions, after adjusting for minimum wage. [20 CFR 641.710(a)(5)].
- U. **Hours (in the aggregate) of Community Service Employment Training** (community service hours) means the number of hours of community service provided by SCSEP participants. [20 CFR 641.710(a)(1)].
- V. **Classroom Training Hours** means the number of hours spent in classroom training by SCSEP participants.
- W. **Participant Program Tenure** means participants can be enrolled in the program for up to 48 months. A request to extend this time may be submitted to CDA for participants that are hard to serve. [OAA Section 518(a)(3)(B)].
- X. **Retention In Unsubsidized Employment for Six Months** (employment retention) means full or part-time paid employment in the public or private sector of a participant for six months after the starting date of placement into unsubsidized employment without the use of funds under Title V or any other federal or State employment subsidy program. [20 CFR 641.710(a)(3)].
- Y. **Limited English Proficiency (LEP)** means individuals who do not speak English as their primary language and who have a limited ability to read, speak, write or understand English. (20 CFR 641.140)
- Z. **Number of Most-in-Need Individuals Served** (service to-most-in-need) means service to participants who meet any of the following characteristics: are age 75 or older; have a severe disability; are frail; meet the eligibility requirements related to age for, but do not receive benefits under Title II of the Social Security Act; live in an area with persistent unemployment and are individuals with severely limited employment prospects; have limited English proficiency; have low literacy skills; have a disability; reside in a rural area; are veterans; have low employment prospects; have failed to find employment after utilizing services provided under Title I of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998; are homeless or at risk for homelessness. [OAA Section 518(a)(3)(B)(ii), 20 CFR 641.710(a)(6)].
- AA. **Customer Satisfaction** means satisfaction of the participants, employers, and host agencies with their experience with SCSEP. [20 CFR 641.710(b)(2)].

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- BB. **Satisfaction Survey** means an instrument that gathers the satisfaction of participants, employers, and their host agencies with their experiences and the services provided. [20 CFR 641.710(b)(2)].
- CC. **Earnings** means the “average earnings” of those participants, who are employed. To calculate “earnings,” use the total earnings in the second and third quarters after the exit quarter, divided by the number of exiters during the period. [20 CFR 641.710(a)(4)].
- DD. **Supportive Services** means services, such as transportation, child care, dependent care, housing, and needs related payments that are necessary for an individual to participate in program activities and to retain unsubsidized employment. [OAA Section 518(a)(7)].
- EE. **State Plan** means the 4-year plan submitted to DOL describing SCSEP strategic focuses with an update not less than every 2 years. [OAA Section 503(a)].
- FF. **SCSEP Performance and Results Quarterly Progress Report System (SPARQ)** means the DOL system used to process and analyze SCSEP data and the system used to view, print, and save SCSEP quarterly progress reports, data quality reports, and management reports. [20 CFR 641.879(e)(f)(h)].
- GG. **Web Data Collection System (WDCS)** means the DOL web-based data collection system used to input all SCSEP program and participant information into SPARQ. [OAA Section 503(f)(3)(4)].
- HH. **Mathematica (MPR)** means the organization under contract to DOL to create the SCSEP SPARQ and the WDCS and who is responsible for providing on its website the SPARQ user’s guide and DOL policy guidance related to system upgrades. [20 CFR 641.879(e)-(i)].
- II. **Charter Oak Group (COG)** means the organization under contract to DOL to create the SCSEP WDCS handbook that provides direction on entering data into the WDCS and providing on its website DOL policy guidance; frequently asked questions, and revisions to the handbook. [20 CFR 641.879(e)-(i)].
- JJ. **Transfer/Change Utility** means the WDCS procedure used to transfer a participant into SPARQ from a CDA SCSEP to a national SCSEP contractor or vice versa. [20 CFR 641.879(e)-(i)]

ARTICLE II. SCOPE OF WORK

- A. The Contractor shall perform the following if operating as a direct Title V program; for a Title V contracted program the Contractor shall ensure that the subcontractor shall perform the following:

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1. Implement statutory provisions of the Title V SCSEP in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations [OAA, Public Law 109-365 Workforce Investment Act (WIA), Public Law 105-220 Section 121(b)(1)(B)(vi), 29 U.S.C. 2841 (b)(1)(B)(vi); 29 CFR 95.5 and 97.40; 20 CFR Part 641 Final Rule - April 9, 2004; CFR 641 Interim Rule Performance Accountability – June 29, 2007; 20 CFR 652 et al., 20 CFR 662.200-280, 38 USC 4215, The Jobs for Veterans Act (Public Law 107-288), the Title V SCSEP New Coordinators Handbook as issued by the Department, and any other subsequent memos, bulletins, or similar instructions issued during the term of this Agreement by DOL.
2. The Contractor shall review, approve, and monitor contractor or subcontractor budgets and expenditures and any subsequent amendments and revisions to budgets. Contractor shall, to the extent feasible, ensure that all budgeted funds are expended by the end of each fiscal year. [20 CFR 641.430(f), 29 CFR 95.5 and 29 CFR 97.40].
3. Develop methods of recruitment and selection that will assure the maximum number of eligible individuals the opportunity to participate in the program. [20 CFR 641.515(a)].
4. Provide an orientation to participants that include information on project goals and objectives; community service training assignments; training opportunities; available supportive services; the availability of a free physical examination; participant's rights and responsibilities; and permitted and prohibited political activities. [20 CFR 641.535(a)(1)].
5. Conduct individual assessments of the participants' work history; skills and interests; talents; physical capabilities; aptitudes; occupational preferences; need for supportive services; potential for performing proposed community service assignment duties; and potential for transition to unsubsidized employment. Assessments must be conducted no less frequently than two times during a 12-month period. [20 CFR 641.535(a)(2)].
6. Provide an Individual Employment Plan (IEP) for each participant based on an assessment. IEPs shall be developed in partnership with each participant and will reflect the needs as well as the expressed interests and desires of the participant. IEPs shall be updated as necessary to reflect information gathered during the participants' assessment. IEPs shall contain goals, action steps to achieve goals, and timelines to complete goals. (20 CFR 641.140)

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7. Provide or arrange for training for participants specific to their community service assignment or in support of their training needs identified in their IEP. [20 CFR 641.535(a)(5)(6)].
8. Submit all requests for an OJE to the Department for approval prior to exercising the OJE with any participants. (Older Worker Bulletin No. 04-04)
9. Obtain and record the personal information necessary for a proper determination of eligibility for all participants and maintain documentation supporting their eligibility. The income of each participant shall be recertified once every 12 months. Documentation records shall be maintained in a confidential manner. (20 CFR 641.505)
10. Cooperate with community, employment, and training agencies, including agencies under the WIA and provided through OSCC, to provide services to low-income older workers. (20 CFR 641.200)
11. Participate in the development of the SCSEP State Plan. Local activities must support the strategic focuses outlined in the SCSEP State Plan. [20 CFR 641.315(a)]
12. Follow-up with participants placed into unsubsidized employment to determine whether they are still employed and to make certain that participants receive any follow-up services they may need to ensure retention. [20 CFR 641.535(14)(15)].
13. As mandated partner under the WIA, the Title V SCSEP must have a signed Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Local Workforce Investment Board(s) and the OSCC(s) detailing how services will be provided [20 CFR 662.200-300].
14. The MOU must contain the following components: (1) a description of the functions/services to be performed for One-Stop clients; (2) an explanation of how the costs of these functions/services and One-Stop operations will be funded; (3) a description of the methods to be used for referring clients among the partners, and (4) the duration of the MOU and procedures for amending it. [20 CFR 652 et al.]
15. Maintain an up-to-date Charter Oak Group (COG) Data Collection Handbook, Mathematica Data Validation Handbook, and related departmental requirements so that all responsible persons have ready access to standards, policies, and procedures. [20 CFR 641.879(e)(f)(h)].

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16. Use the program data collection and reporting system as required in Exhibit E by the Department. [OAA Section 503(f)(3)(4)].
17. Submit all requests for a Transfer/Change utility transaction in SPARQ to the Department for prior approval. [20 CFR 641.879(h)].

- B. The Contractor shall or if subcontracted the subcontractor shall meet the annual negotiated performance measures established by the U. S. Department of Labor, which include the following:

Core Indicators (20 CFR 641.700)

1. Hours of community service employment
2. Entry into unsubsidized employment
3. Retention in unsubsidized employment for six months
4. Earnings
5. The number of eligible individuals served
6. The number of most-in-need individuals served

Additional Indicators include: [20 CFR 641.700(c)]

1. Employment Retention (1 year)
2. Customer Satisfaction (Employer, Host Agency, Participant)

- C. In addition to the conditions above, the Contractor shall perform the following if subcontracting for Title V program services: (29 CFR 97.40; 29 CFR 95.5)

1. Ensure all applicable provisions required within this Agreement are included in any subcontract entered into by the Contractor to carry out the terms of this Agreement.
2. Review and approve Program Narratives of the subcontractor.
3. Annually conduct onsite monitoring, evaluate, and document subcontractor performance and compliance with this Agreement.
4. Provide training, support, and technical assistance to the subcontractor as needed and respond in writing to all written requests from subcontractors for guidance, and interpretation of instructions.

- D. The Contractor shall perform the following bilingual and linguistic program services for all programs: (GC 11135 -11139.5; Title 22 CCR Sections 98211, 98310-98314, 98324- 98326, 98340, 98370)



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1. Needs Assessment

- a. Contractor shall conduct a cultural and linguistic group-needs assessment of the eligible client population in the Contractor's service area to assess the language needs of the population and determine what reasonable steps are necessary to ensure meaningful access to services and activities to eligible individuals. (22 CCR 98310, 98314)

The group-needs assessment shall take into account the following four factors:

- 1) Number or proportion of limited English speaking persons (LEP) eligible to be served or likely to be encountered by the program.
- 2) Frequency with which LEP individuals come in contact with the program.
- 3) Nature and importance of the services provided to people's lives.
- 4) Resources available to the Contractor.

This group-needs assessment will serve as the basis for Contractor's determination of "reasonable steps" and provide documentary evidence of compliance with GC Section 11135 et seq. and sections 98000-98382 of Title 22 of the CCR.

- b. Contractor shall prepare and make available a report of the findings of the group-needs assessment that summarizes the items listed below:
- 1) Methodologies used.
  - 2) Findings regarding linguistic and cultural needs of non-English or LEP groups.
  - 3) Services proposed to address the needs identified and a timeline for implementation. (Title 22 CCR 98310)
- c. Contractor shall maintain a record of the group-needs assessment on file at the Contractor's headquarters at all times during the term of this Agreement. (Title 22 CCR 98310, 98313)

2. Provision of Services

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- a. Contractor shall take reasonable steps, based upon the group-needs assessment identified in subdivision A of this section, to ensure that “alternative communication services” are available to non-English speaking or LEP beneficiaries of services under this Agreement. (Title 22 CCR 98211)
- b. “Alternative communication services” include, but are not limited to, the provision of services and programs by means of the following:
  - 1) Interpreters or bilingual providers and provider staff.
  - 2) Contracts with interpreter services.
  - 3) Use of telephone interpreter lines.
  - 4) Sharing of language assistance materials and services with other providers.
  - 5) Translated written information materials, including but not limited to, enrollment information and descriptions of available services and programs.
  - 6) Referral to culturally and linguistically appropriate community service programs.
- c. Based upon the findings of the group needs assessment, Contractor shall ensure that reasonable alternative communication services are available to meet the linguistic needs of identified eligible client population groups at key points of contact. Key points of contact include, but are not limited to, telephone contracts, office visits, and in-home visits. (Title 22 CCR 98211)
- d. Contractor shall self-certify to compliance with the requirements of this section and shall maintain the self-certification record on file at Contractor’s office at all times during the term of this Agreement. (Title 22 CCR 98310)
- e. Contractor shall notify its employees of clients’ rights regarding language access and Contractor’s obligation to ensure access to alternative communication services where determined appropriate based upon the needs assessment conducted by Contractor. (Title 22 CCR 98324)

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- f. Noncompliance with this section may result in suspension or termination of funds and/or termination of this Agreement. (Title 22 CCR 98370)
3. Compliance Monitoring
- a. Contractor shall develop and implement policies and procedures for assessing and monitoring the performance of individuals and entities that provide alternative communication services to non-English and LEP clients. (Title 22 CCR 98310)
  - b. Contractor shall monitor, evaluate, and take effective action to address any needed improvement in the delivery of culturally and linguistically appropriate services. (Title 22 CCR 98310)
  - c. Contractor shall permit timely access to all records of compliance with this section. Failure to provide access to such records may result in appropriate sanctions. (Title 22 CCR 98314)
4. Notice to Eligible Beneficiaries of Contracted Services
- a. Contractor shall designate an employee to whom initial complaints or inquiries regarding national origin can be directed. (Title 22 CCR 98325)
  - b. Contractor shall make available to ultimate beneficiaries of contracted services and programs information regarding the Department's procedure for filing a complaint and other information regarding the provisions of GC Section 11135 et seq. (Title 22 CCR 98326)
  - c. Contractor shall notify the Department immediately of a complaint alleging discrimination based upon a violation of State or federal law. (Title 22 CCR 98211, 98310, 98340)

ARTICLE I. FUNDS

A. Expenditure of Funds

1. The Contractor shall expend all funds received hereunder in accordance with this Agreement.
2. Any reimbursement for authorized travel and per diem shall be at rates not to exceed those amounts paid by the State in accordance with Department of Personnel Administration's rules and regulations.

- Mileage  
<http://www.dpa.ca.gov/personnel-policies/travel/personal-vehicle-mileage-reimbursement.htm>
- Per Diem (meals and incidentals) -  
<http://www.dpa.ca.gov/personnel-policies/travel/meals-and-incidentals.htm>
- Lodging –  
<http://www.dpa.ca.gov/personnel-policies/travel/short-term-travel.htm>

This is not to be construed as limiting the Contractor from paying any differences in costs, from funds other than those provided by this Department, between the Department of Personnel Administration rates and any rates the Contractor is obligated to pay under other contractual agreements. No travel outside the State of California shall be reimbursed unless prior written authorization is obtained from the State. (CCR, Title 2 Section 599.615 et seq.)

Contractor agrees to include these requirements in all contracts it enters into with subcontractors/vendors to provide services pursuant to this Agreement.

3. The Department reserves the right to refuse payment to the Contractor or later disallow costs for any expenditure, as determined by the Department not to be in compliance with this Agreement, unrelated or inappropriate to contract activities, or when inadequate supporting documentation is presented, or where prior approval was required but was either not requested or not granted.

B. Accountability for Funds

1. The Contractor shall maintain accounting records for funds received under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. These records shall be separate from those for any other funds administered by the Contractor, and shall be maintained in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and Procedures and the Office of Management and Budget's Cost Principles.

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2. The Contractor shall meet the following standards for its financial management systems, as stipulated in 29 CFR Section 97.20 (governmental) or 45 CFR, Section 74.21 (non-profits):

1. Financial Reporting
2. Accounting Records
3. Internal Control
4. Budgetary Control
5. Allowable Costs
6. Source Documentation
7. Cash Management

**C. Unexpended Funds**

Upon termination, cancellation, or expiration of this Agreement, or dissolution of the entity, the Contractor shall return to the State immediately upon written demand, any funds provided under this Agreement, which are not payable for goods or services delivered prior to the termination, cancellation, or expiration of this Agreement, or the dissolution of the entity.

**D. Availability of Funds**

1. It is understood between the parties that this Agreement may have been written before ascertaining the availability of appropriation of funds, for the mutual benefit of both parties, in order to avoid program and fiscal delays that would occur if this Agreement were executed after that determination was made.
2. This Agreement is valid and enforceable only if sufficient funds are made available to the State by the United States Government and the Budget Act of the appropriate fiscal years for the purpose of this program. In addition, this Agreement is subject to any additional restrictions, limitations, or conditions imposed by the Congress or the Legislature that may affect the provisions, terms, or funding of this Agreement in any manner.
3. **Limitation of State Liability**  

Payment for performance by the Contractor shall be dependent upon the availability of future appropriations by the Legislature or Congress for the purposes of this contract and approval of an itemized Senior Community Service Employment Program (Title V) Budget (CDA 35AA). No legal liability on the part of the State for any payment may arise under this contract until funds are made available, the itemized budget is received and approved by the State, and the Contractor has received an executed contract.
4. **Funding Reduction(s)**

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- a. If funding for any State fiscal year is reduced or deleted by the Department of Finance, Legislature or Congress, for the purposes of this program, the State shall have the option to either:
  - Terminate the contract pursuant to Exhibit D, Article XII, A.
  - Offer a contract amendment to the Contractor to reflect the reduced funding for this contract.
- b. In the event that funds for the program are reduced by Congress or the Legislature, it shall be mutually understood by both parties that (1) the State reserves the right to determine which contracts, if any, under this program shall be reduced and (2) some contracts may be reduced by a greater amount than others, and (3) that the State shall determine at its sole discretion the amount that any or all of the contracts shall be reduced for the fiscal year.

**E. Interest Earned**

1. Contractor or subcontractor may keep interest amounts up to \$100 per fiscal year for Local Government Agencies [45CFR 92.21(i)] and \$250 for Non-Profit Organizations [45CFR 74.22(l)], for administrative expenses. Interest earned on advanced contract funds shall be identified as non-match cash on Fiscal forms.
2. Interest earned over the above amount shall be remitted at least quarterly to the Department's Accounting Section.
3. Nonprofit entities shall maintain advances of federal funds in interest bearing accounts, unless (a), (b), or (c) apply.
  - a. The recipient receives less than \$120,000 in federal awards per year.
  - b. The best reasonably available interest bearing account would not be expected to earn interest in excess of \$250 per year on federal cash balances.
  - c. The depository would require an average or minimum balance so high that it would not be feasible within the expected federal and non-federal cash resources.

**F. Program Income**

1. Program income includes income earned from license fees and royalties for copyrighted material, patents, patent applications, trademarks, and inventions produced with contract funds.
2. Costs of generating program income may be deducted from gross income to determine program income earned provided these costs are not charged to contract funds.

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3. Program income must be added to contract funds and matching contributions, and used for allowable costs of the program.
4. Contractors that continue to receive contract funds may use unexpended program income in the subsequent contract period.
5. Contractors that do not continue to receive contract funds in the subsequent period must remit unexpended program income earned to the Department after the end of the contract period.

**G. Matching Contributions**

Matching Contributions mean local cash and/or in-kind contributions by the Contractor, subcontractor, or other local resources that qualify as match for the contract funding.

1. Cash and/or in-kind contributions may count as match, if such contributions are used to meet program requirements.
2. Any matching contributions (cash or in-kind) must be verifiable from the records of the Contractor or subcontractor.
3. Matching contributions must be used for allowable costs in accordance with the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) circulars.
4. On-the-Job Experience expenditures applied to wages and fringe benefits, other program costs, or administration shall be identifiable in the Contractor's records.

**ARTICLE II. BUDGET AND BUDGET REVISIONS**

- A. An Appropriations Act Application, Appropriations Act Budget (CDA 35AA), and Budget Narrative must be submitted, in accordance with the Application and Budget Instruction Package, as issued by the Department. The Budget and Budget Narrative must correlate with Title V SCSEP activities and functions, stipulated within the Appropriations Act Application.
- B. The Contractor shall be compensated for expenses only as itemized in the approved Appropriations Act Budget (CDA 35AA) with the exception of line item transfers as noted in C.1. below and shall not be entitled to payment for these expenses until the CDA 35AA is reviewed and approved by the Department. The approved Appropriations Act Budget is hereby incorporated by reference into this Agreement as a part of Exhibit B.

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- C. The Contractor may transfer contract funds between line items under the following terms and conditions:
  - 1. The Contractor shall submit a revised budget to the Department for any line item transfer of funds that is 10 percent or more of the total budget. Budget revisions may be submitted as necessary, but no later than April 30 of each fiscal year. The Department will not accept any budget revision after the contract period has expired.
  - 2. The Contractor shall maintain a written record of all budget changes and clearly document line item changes. The record shall include the date of the transfer, the amount, and the purpose. This record shall be available to the Department upon request and shall be maintained in the same manner as all other financial records.
- D. The Contractor is limited to 8 percent of the federal allocation for AAA Administration.
- E. Administrative costs for a Subcontractor are not limited to 8 percent of the federal allocation and should be reported as project administration in the Appropriations Act budget.
- F. The Contractor shall spend not less than 79 percent of the total federal allocation for Participant Wages and Fringe Benefits.
- G. The Contractor is not required to budget On-the-Job Experience (OJE) training costs separate from other costs; costs shall be tracked during the contract period in the Contractor's records.
- H. The Contractor may charge expenditures associated with participant assessment, training, job development, counseling functions, etc. to the Program Other category in the Appropriations Act budget.
- I. Any matching contributions generated as a result of this contract should be reported on the CDA 35AA as Matching Contributions.

**ARTICLE III. PAYMENT**

- A. The Contractor shall prepare and submit by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month to the AAA-Based Team, in electronic format, a Monthly Expenditure Report/Request for Funds (CDA 29AA), unless otherwise specified by the Department.
- B. During the contract period, the Department shall advance funds based on an analysis of current cash needs. The Department shall pay the Contractor a total



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not to exceed the amount shown on the Budget Display, which is hereby incorporated by reference.

**ARTICLE IV. CLOSEOUT**

The Financial Closeout Report (CDA 90AA) and the “Report of Property Purchased with Agreement Funds” (CDA 32) shall be submitted annually, to the AAA-Based Team, as identified in PM 04-17, within 30 days following the end of the fiscal year, or within 30 days following termination prior to the end of the contract period, unless otherwise specified by the Department.

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**SENIOR COMMUNITY SERVICE APPROPRIATIONS ACT**  
**Budget Display**  
**Fiscal Year 2009/10 and 2010/11**  
**County of San Mateo**

			TOTAL
<b>2009/10 FEDERAL FUNDS</b>			
Federal Title V *			19,358
502 (e) Funds			-
<b>Subtotal</b>			<b>19,358</b>
2008/09 Participant Slots	2		
<b>TOTAL 2009/10 FEDERAL TITLE V</b>			<b>19,358</b>
<b>2010/11 FEDERAL FUNDS</b>			
Federal Title V *			67,949
502 (e) Funds			67,949
<b>Subtotal</b>			<b>67,949</b>
2009/10 Participant Slots	7		
<b>TOTAL 2010/11 FEDERAL TITLE V</b>			<b>67,949</b>
<b>Grand Total Federal Funds</b>			<b>87,307</b>
<b>Total Participant Slots</b>			<b>9</b>
* Maximum of 8% allowed for Administration			
* Minimum of 79% for participant wages and fringe benefits			
**Funds for this contract are derived from the following U.S. Department of Labor grant:			
CFDA#	Project Title	Grant #	Effective Date
17.235	SCSEP Additional FY 2010 Funds	AD-19970-10-60-A-6	1/29/2010

ARTICLE I. DEFINITIONS AND RESOLUTIONS OF LANGUAGE CONFLICTS

A. Definitions

1. The term “Agreement” or “Contract” shall mean the Standard Agreement (Std. 213), exhibits A, B, C, D, and E, and an approved Budget and Budget Narrative, which is hereby incorporated by reference, amendments, and any other documents incorporated by reference, unless otherwise provided for in this Article.
2. “State” and “Department,” mean the State of California and the California Department of Aging (CDA) interchangeably.
3. “Contractor” means the Area Agency on Aging to which funds are awarded under this Agreement and which is accountable to the State and/or federal government for use of these funds and is responsible for executing its provisions and services.
4. “Subcontractor” or “vendor” means the legal entity that receives funds from the Contractor to provide direct services identified in the Agreement. Subcontract and/or vendor Agreement means a subcontract and/or vendor agreement supported by funds from this Agreement
5. “Reimbursable item” also means “allowable cost” and “compensable item.”
6. “CFR” means Code of Federal Regulations. “CCR” means California Code of Regulations. “GC” means Government Code. “W & I” means Welfare and Institutions Code. “USC” means United States Code. “PCC” means the Public Contract Code.
7. “Program income” means revenue generated by the Contractor or subcontractor from contract-supported activities. Program income is:
  1. Voluntary contributions received from a participant or responsible party as a result of the service.
  2. Income from usage or rental fees of real or personal property acquired with grant funds or funds provided under this Agreement.
  3. Royalties received on patents and copyrights from contract-supported activities.
  4. Proceeds from the sale of items fabricated under a contract agreement.

ARTICLE I. DEFINITIONS AND RESOLUTIONS OF LANGUAGE CONFLICTS (Continued)

B. Resolution of Language Conflicts

The terms and conditions of this federal Award and other requirements have the following order of precedence if there is any conflict in what they require:

1. The Older Americans Act Amendments of 2006 (OAA as amended);
2. Other applicable Federal statutes and their implementing regulations;
3. Older Californians Act;
4. Standard Agreement (Std. 213), all Exhibits and any amendments thereto;
5. Any other documents incorporated herein by reference;
6. Program memos and other guidance issued by the Department.

ARTICLE II. ASSURANCES

A. Law, Policy and Procedure, Licenses, and Certificates

The Contractor agrees to administer this Agreement and require any subcontractors to administer their subcontracts in accordance with this Agreement, and with all applicable local, State, and federal laws and regulations including, but not limited to, discrimination, wages and hours of employment, occupational safety, and to fire, safety, health, and sanitation regulations, directives, guidelines, and/or manuals related to this Agreement and resolve all issues using good administrative practices and sound judgment. The Contractor and its subcontractors shall keep in effect all licenses, permits, notices, and certificates that are required by law.

- B. The Contractor shall require language in all subcontracts to require all subcontractors to comply with all applicable State and federal laws.

C. Nondiscrimination

The Contractor shall comply with all federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination. These include those statutes and laws contained in the Contractor Certification Clauses (CCC 307) which is hereby incorporated by reference. In addition, Contractor shall comply with the following:

1. Equal Access to Federally-Funded Benefits, Programs and Activities (Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.)

Contractor shall ensure compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. Section 2000d; 45 C.F.R. Part 80), which prohibits recipients of federal financial assistance from discriminating against persons based on race, color, religion, or national origin.

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**2. Equal Access to State-Funded Benefits, Programs and Activities**

Contractor shall, unless exempted, ensure compliance with the requirements of Government Code sections 11135-11139.5, and Section 98000 et seq. of Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations, which prohibit recipients of state financial assistance from discriminating against persons based on race, national origin, ethnic group identification, religion, age, sex, sexual orientation, color, or disability. (Title 22 CCR 98323) (Chapter 182, Stats. 2006)

3. Contractor assures the State that it complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability, as well as all applicable regulations and guidelines issued pursuant to the ADA. (42 U.S.C. Sections 12101 et seq.).

4. Contractor agrees to include these requirements in all contracts it enters into with subcontractors to provide services pursuant to this Agreement.

**D. Standards of Work**

The Contractor agrees that the performance of work and services pursuant to the requirements of this Agreement shall conform to accepted professional standards.

**E. Conflict of Interest**

1. The Contractor shall prevent employees, consultants, or members of governing bodies from using their positions for purposes including, but not limited to, the selection of subcontractors, that are, or give the appearance of being, motivated by a desire for private gain for themselves or others, such as family, business, or other ties. In the event that the State determines that a conflict of interest exists, funds may be disallowed by the State and such conflict may constitute grounds for termination of the Agreement.

2. This provision shall not be construed to prohibit employment of persons with whom the Contractor's officers, agents, or employees have family, business, or other ties, so long as the employment of such persons does not result in a conflict of interest (real or apparent) or increased costs over those associated with the employment of any other equally qualified applicant, and such persons have successfully competed for employment with the other applicants on a merit basis.

**F. Covenant Against Contingent Fees**

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1. The Contractor warrants that no person or selling agency has been employed or retained to solicit this Agreement. There has been no agreement to make commission payments in order to obtain this Agreement.
2. For breach or violation of this warranty, the State shall have the right to terminate this Agreement without liability or at its discretion to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingency fee.

**G. Payroll Taxes and Deductions**

The Contractor shall promptly forward payroll taxes, insurances, and contributions, including State Disability Insurance, Unemployment Insurance, Old Age Survivors Disability Insurance, and federal and State income taxes withheld, to designated governmental agencies.

**H. Facility Construction or Repair**

Funds from this Agreement are not allowed to be used for facility construction or repair.

**I. Contracts in Excess of \$100,000**

If all funding provided herein exceeds \$100,000, the Contractor shall comply with all applicable orders or requirements issued under the following laws:

1. Clean Air Act, as amended (42 USC 1857).
2. Clean Water Act, as amended (33 USC 1368).
3. Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 USC 1251, et seq.).
4. Environmental Protection Agency Regulations (40 CFR, Part 15 and Executive Order 11738).
5. Public Contract Code Section 10295.3.

**J. Debarment, Suspension, and Other Responsibility Matters**

1. The Contractor certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its subcontractors: [45 CFR 92.35]

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- a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for disbarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency;
  - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Agreement been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
  - c. Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1)(b) of this certification; and
  - d. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Agreement had one or more public transactions (federal, State, or local) terminated for cause or default.
  - e. Contractor shall report immediately to the Department in writing any incidents of alleged fraud and/or abuse by either Contractor or Contractor's subcontractor. Contractor shall maintain any records, documents, or other evidence of fraud and abuse until otherwise notified by the Department.
2. The Contractor agrees to timely execute any and all amendments to this Agreement or other required documentation relating to their subcontractors debarment/suspension status.

K. Agreement Authorization

1. If a public entity, the Contractor shall submit to the Department a copy of the resolution, order, or motion referencing this Agreement number authorizing execution of this Agreement. If a private nonprofit entity, the Contractor shall submit to the Department an authorization by the board of directors to execute this Agreement, referencing this Agreement number.
2. These documents must also identify the action taken.
3. Documentation in the form of a resolution, order, or motion by the Governing Board of the Area Agency on Aging is required for the original

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and each subsequent amendment to this Agreement. This requirement may also be met by a single resolution from the Governing Board of the Contractor authorizing the Area Agency on Aging Director or designee to execute the original and all subsequent amendments to this Agreement.

L. Contractor's Staff

1. The Contractor shall maintain adequate staff to meet the contractor's obligations under this Agreement.
2. This staff shall be available to the State for training and meetings which the State may find necessary from time to time.

M. Corporate Status

1. The Contractor shall be a public or private nonprofit entity or Joint Powers Agreement (JPA). If a private nonprofit corporation or JPA, the Contractor shall be in good standing with the Secretary of State of California and shall maintain that status throughout the term of the Agreement.
2. The Contractor shall ensure that any subcontractors providing services under this Agreement shall be of sound financial status. Any private, subcontracting corporation or JPA shall be in good standing with the Secretary of State of California and shall maintain that status throughout the term of the Agreement
3. Failure to maintain good standing by the contracting corporation or JPA shall result in suspension or termination of this Agreement with the Department until satisfactory status is restored. Failure to maintain good standing by a subcontracting corporation or JPA shall result in suspension or termination of the subcontract by the Contractor until satisfactory status is restored.

N. Lobbying Certification

The Contractor, by signing this Agreement, hereby certifies to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

1. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation,



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renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

2. If any funds other than federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts at all tiers (including subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements which exceed \$100,000) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.
4. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. This certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by 31 USC 1352. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

**ARTICLE III. AGREEMENT**

A copy of this Agreement is on file and available for inspection at the California Department of Aging, 1300 National Drive, Suite 200, Sacramento, CA 95834.

**ARTICLE IV. COMMENCEMENT OF WORK**

Should the Contractor or subcontractor begin work in advance of receiving notice that this Agreement is approved, that work may be considered as having been performed at risk as a mere volunteer and may not be reimbursed or compensated.

**ARTICLE V. SUBCONTRACTS**

- A. The Contractor shall satisfy, settle, and resolve all administrative, programmatic, and fiscal aspects of the program(s), including issues that arise out of any subcontracts, and shall not delegate or contract these responsibilities to any other entity. This includes, but is not limited to, disputes, claims, protests of award, or other manners of a contractual nature.
- B. In the event any subcontractor is utilized by the Contractor for any portion of

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**ARTICLE V. SUBCONTRACTS (Continued)**

this Agreement, the Contractor shall retain the prime responsibility for all the terms and conditions set forth, including but not limited to, the responsibility for preserving the State's copyrights and rights in data in accordance with Article XIX, of this exhibit, for handling property in accordance with Article VII of this exhibit, and ensuring the keeping of, access to, availability, and retention of records of subcontractors in accordance with Article VI of this exhibit.

- C. Funds for this Agreement shall not be obligated in subcontracts for services beyond the ending date of this Agreement, unless all funding under this Agreement is appropriated without regard for fiscal year, and the Department has agreed in writing to permit the specific expenditure for a specified period of time.
- D. The Contractor shall have no authority to contract for, or on behalf of, or incur obligations on behalf of the State.
- E. Copies of subcontracts, Memorandums and/or Letters of Understanding shall be on file with the Contractor and shall be made available for review at the request of the Department.
- F. The Contractor shall monitor the insurance requirements of its subcontractors in accordance with Article XI, Section E of this exhibit.
- G. The Contractor shall require all its subcontractors to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the Contractor, its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses accruing to or resulting from any subcontractors, suppliers, laborers, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work services, materials, or supplies in connection with any activities performed for which funds from this Agreement were used and from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the subcontractor in the performance of this Agreement.
- H. The Contractor shall ensure that the subcontractor will complete all reporting and expenditure documents requested by the Department. These reporting and expenditure documents shall be sent to the Contractor in a timely manner and at intervals as determined by the Department.
- I. The Contractor shall require the subcontractor to maintain adequate staff to meet the subcontractor's Agreement with the Contractor. This staff shall be available to the State for training and meetings which the State may find necessary from time to time.
- J. If a private nonprofit corporation, the subcontractor shall be in good standing with the Secretary of State of California and shall maintain that status throughout the term of the Agreement.

ARTICLE VI. RECORDS

- A. The Contractor shall maintain complete records (which shall include, but not be limited to, accounting records, contracts, agreements, reconciliation of the “Financial Closeout Report” to the audited financial statements, a summary worksheet of results from the audit resolutions performed for all subcontractors with supporting documentation, letters of agreement, insurance documentation in accordance with this Article, Memorandums and/or Letters of Understanding, patient or client records, and electronic files) of its activities and expenditures hereunder in a form satisfactory to the State and shall make all records pertaining to this Agreement available for inspection and audit by the State or its duly authorized agents, at any time during normal business hours. All such records must be maintained and made available by the Contractor; (a) until an audit has occurred and an audit resolution has been issued or unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Department’s Audit Branch, (b) for such longer period, if any, as is required by applicable statute, by any other clause of this Agreement, or by Sections B, and C of this Article, and (c) for such longer period as the Department deems necessary.
- B. If this Agreement is completely or partially terminated, the records relating to the work terminated shall be preserved and made available for the same periods as specified in Section A above. The Contractor shall ensure that any resource directories and all client records remain the property of the Department upon termination of this Agreement, and are returned to the Department or transferred to another Contractor as instructed by the Department.
- C. In the event of any litigation, claim, negotiation, audit exception, or other action involving the records, all records relative to such action shall be maintained and made available until every action has been cleared to the satisfaction of the State and so stated in writing to the Contractor.
- D. Adequate source documentation of each transaction shall be maintained relative to the allowability of expenditures reimbursed by the State under this Agreement. If the allowability of expenditures cannot be determined because records or documentation of the Contractor are nonexistent or inadequate according to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and Procedures, the expenditures will be questioned in the audit and may be disallowed by the State during the audit resolution process.
- E. After the authorized period has expired, confidential records shall be destroyed by shredding and disposed of in a manner that will maintain confidentiality.

ARTICLE VII. PROPERTY

- A. Unless otherwise provided for in this Article, property refers to all assets, capitalized or noncapitalized, used in operation of this Agreement

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1. Property includes land, buildings, improvements, machinery, vehicles, furniture, tools, and intangibles, etc.
2. Property does not include consumable office supplies such as paper, pencils, typing ribbons, file folders, etc.

**B** Property meeting all of the following criteria are subject to the capitalization requirements. Such property must:

1. Have a normal useful life of at least 1 year;
2. Have a unit acquisition cost of at least \$5000 (e.g., four identical assets which cost \$3000 each, for a \$12,000 total would not meet this capitalization requirement); and
3. Be used to conduct business under this Agreement.

**C** Noncapitalized property are those items which do not meet all three requirements in this Article, Section B above.

**D.** Additions, improvements, and betterments to assets meeting all of the conditions in Section B above must be capitalized. Additions typically involve physical extensions of existing units. Improvements and betterments typically do not increase the physical size of the asset. Instead, improvements and betterments enhance the condition of an asset (e.g., extend life, increase service capacity, and lower operating costs). Examples of assets that might be improved and bettered include roads, bridges, curbs and gutters, tunnels, parking lots, streets and sidewalks, drainage, and lighting systems.

**E.** Intangibles are property which lack physical substance but give valuable rights to the owner and can be capitalized or noncapitalized. Examples of intangible property include patents, copyrights, leases, and computer software. By contrast, hardware consists of tangible equipment (e.g., computer printer, terminal, etc.).

Costs include all amounts incurred to acquire and to ready the intangible asset for its intended use. Typical intangible property costs include the purchase price, legal fees, and other costs incurred to obtain title to the asset.

**F.** The Contractor shall record the following information when property is acquired:

1. Date acquired;
2. Property description (include model number);
3. Property identification number;

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4. Serial number;
5. Cost or other basis of valuation;
6. Fund source; and
7. Rate of depreciation (or depreciation schedule), if applicable.

The Contractor shall keep track of property purchased with Contract funds, whether capitalized or not. The Contractor shall maintain and submit to the Department annually with the Closeout, a current inventory of property furnished or purchased by either the Contractor or the subcontractor with funds awarded under the terms of this Agreement or any predecessor agreement for the same purpose. The Contractor shall use the Report of Project Property Furnished/Purchased with Agreement Funds (CDA 32) unless otherwise directed by the Department.

- G. Prior to disposal of any property purchased by the Contractor or the subcontractor with funds from this Agreement, the Contractor must obtain approval from the Department regardless of the acquisition value. Disposition, which includes sale, trade-in, discarding, or transfer to another agency may not occur until approval is received from the Department. The Contractor shall use the Request to Dispose of Property (CDA 248) to dispose of property.
- H. The Contractor shall immediately investigate and within five (5) days fully document the loss, destruction, or theft of such property.
- I. The State reserves title to all State-purchased or financed property not fully consumed in the performance of this Agreement, unless otherwise required by federal law or regulations or as otherwise agreed by the parties.
- J. Contractor shall exercise due care in the use, maintenance, protection, and preservation of such property during the period of the project, and shall assume responsibility for replacement or repair of such property during the period of the project, until the Contractor has complied with all written instructions from the Department regarding the final disposition of the property.
- K. In the event of the Contractor's dissolution or upon termination of this Agreement, the Contractor shall provide a final property inventory to the State. The State reserves the right to require the Contractor to transfer such property to another entity, or to the State.
- L. To exercise the above right, no later than 120 days after termination of the Agreement or notification of the Contractor's dissolution the State will issue specific written disposition instructions to the Contractor.

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- M. The Contractor shall use the property for the purpose for which it was intended under the Agreement. When no longer needed for that use, the Contractor shall use it, if needed, and with written approval of the State for other purposes in this order:
  - 1. Another Department program providing the same or similar service; or
  - 2. Another Department-funded program.
- N. The Contractor may share use of the property and equipment or allow use by other programs, upon written approval of the Department. As a condition of the approval, the Department may require reimbursement under this Agreement for its use.
- O. The Contractor or subcontractor shall not use equipment or supplies acquired under this Agreement with federal and/or State monies for personal gain or to usurp the competitive advantage of a privately-owned business entity.
- P. If purchase of equipment is a reimbursable item, the equipment to be purchased will be specified in the budget.
- Q. The Contractor shall include the provisions contained in this Article in all its subcontracts awarded under this Agreement.

**ARTICLE VIII. ACCESS**

The Contractor shall provide access to the federal or State agency, Bureau of State Audits, the Controller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized federal or State representatives to any books, documents, papers, records, and electronic files of the Contractor or subcontractor which are directly pertinent to this specific Agreement for the purpose of audit, examination, excerpts, and transcriptions. The Contractor shall include this requirement in its subcontracts.

**ARTICLE IX. MONITORING AND EVALUATION**

- A. Authorized State representatives shall have the right to monitor and evaluate the Contractor's administrative, fiscal and program performance pursuant to this Agreement. Said monitoring and evaluation may include, but is not limited to, administrative processes, policies and procurement, audits, inspections of project premises, inspection of food preparation sites, and interviews of project staff and participants.
- B. The Contractor shall cooperate with the State in the monitoring and evaluation processes, which include making any Administrative program and fiscal staff available during any scheduled process.

ARTICLE IX. MONITORING AND EVALUATION (Continued)

- C. Contractor shall monitor contracts, subcontracts or grant agreements to ensure compliance with laws, regulations, and the provisions of contracts or grant agreements that may have a direct or material effect on each of its major programs.
- D. Contractor is responsible for maintaining supporting documentation including financial and statistical records, contracts, subcontracts, or grant agreements monitoring reports, and all other pertinent records for a period of three years from the ending date of the contract.

ARTICLE X. AUDITS

- A. The Contractor will arrange for an audit to be performed in accordance with requirements of the Single Audit Act of 1984, Public Law 98-502; the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996, Public Law 104-156; and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133. A copy shall be submitted to the:

California Department of Aging  
Attn: Audit Branch  
1300 National Drive, Suite 200  
Sacramento, California 95834

The copy shall be submitted within the earlier of 30 days after receipt of the auditor's report or nine months after the end of the audit period, unless a longer period is agreed to in advance by the cognizant or oversight agency. For purposes of reporting on the Schedule Expenditures of Federal Awards in the audit, the federal grantor is the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number is 17.235. The pass-through grantor is CDA.

Contractor will ensure that State-funded expenditures shall be separated out and specifically displayed along with the related federal expenditures in the single audit report's "Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards" under the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number 17.235.

- B. The Contractor shall perform a reconciliation of the "Financial Closeout Report" to the audited financial statements. The reconciliation shall be maintained and made available for CDA review.
- C. The Contractor shall have the responsibility of resolving its contract with the subcontractor to determine whether funds provided under this Agreement are expended in accordance with applicable laws, regulations, and provisions of contracts or agreements.

Contract resolution includes:

ARTICLE X AUDITS (Continued)

1. Ensuring that a subcontractor expending \$500,000 or more in Federal Awards during the subcontractor's fiscal year has met the audit requirements of OMB Circular A-133 as summarized in D;
  2. Issuing a management decision on audit findings within six months after receipt of the subcontractor's single audit report and ensuring that the subcontractor takes appropriate and timely corrective action;
  3. Reconciling expenditures reported to CDA to the amounts identified in the single audit or other type of audit if the subcontractor is not subject to the single audit requirements. For a subcontractor not required to have a single audit and did not obtain another type of audit, the reconciliation of expenditures reported to CDA must be accomplished through performing alternative procedures (e.g., expense verification reviews/monitoring assessments);
  4. When alternative procedures are used, the Contractor shall perform financial management system testing per existing federal requirements (45 CFR, Subpart C, Part 92.20 and 45 CFR, Part 74.21) which state in part that financial reporting must be accurate, current, and complete; and, accounting records must adequately identify the source and application of funds and must be supported by source documentation. The Contractor shall document system and expense testing to show an acceptable level of reliability, including a review of actual source documents; and
  5. Determining whether the results of the reconciliations performed necessitate adjustment of the Contractor's own records.
- D. The contractor shall ensure that subcontractor single audit reports meet OMB Circular A-133 requirements:
1. Performed timely – not less frequently than annually and a report submitted timely. The audit is required to be submitted within 30 days after receipt of the auditor's report or nine months after the end of the audit period, whichever occurs first.
  2. Properly procured – use procurement standards provided for in OMB Circular A-133 and provide maximum opportunities to small and minority audit firms.
  3. Performed in accordance with Generally Accepted Government Auditing Standards – shall be performed by an independent auditor and be organization-wide.



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4. All inclusive – includes an opinion (or disclaimer of opinion) of the financial statements; a report on internal control related to the financial statements and major program; an opinion (or disclaimer of opinion) on compliance with laws, regulations, and the provisions of contracts or grant agreements; and the schedule of findings and questioned costs.
  5. Performed in accordance with provisions applicable to this program as identified in OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement.
- E. Requirements identified in D shall be included in contracts/agreements with the subcontractor. Further, subcontractor shall be required to include in its contract with the independent auditor that the auditor will comply with all applicable audit requirements, the Department shall have access to all audit reports and supporting work papers, and the Department has the option to perform additional work, as needed.
- F. The Contractor shall prepare a summary worksheet of results from the contract resolutions performed of all subcontractors. The summary worksheet shall include, but not be limited to, contract amount; amount resolved; variances; whether an audit was relied upon or the Contractor performed an independent expense verification review of the subcontractor in making the determination; whether audit findings were issued; and, if applicable, issuance date of the management letter; and any communication or follow-up performed to resolve the findings.
- G. Unless prohibited by law, the cost of audits made in accordance with provisions of the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996, are allowable charges to Federal Awards. The costs may be considered a direct cost, or an allocated indirect cost, as determined in accordance with provisions of applicable OMB cost principle circulars.
- H. Contractor may not charge to Federal Awards the cost of any audit under the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 not conducted in accordance with the Act. Contractor may not charge to Federal Awards the cost of auditing a non-federal entity which has Federal Awards expended of less than \$500,000 per year, and is thereby exempted under OMB Circular A-133, Subsection \_\_.200(d). However, this does not prohibit the Contractor from charging Federal Awards for the cost of conducting a limited-scope audit to monitor its subcontractor to address compliance requirements provided the subcontractor is not required to obtain a single audit. These costs must be charged as an Administration expense.
- I. The Contractor shall cooperate with and participate in any further audits which may be required by the State.

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**ARTICLE XI. INSURANCE**

A. Prior to commencement of any work under this Agreement, the Contractor shall provide for the term of this Agreement, the following insurance:

1. General liability of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage combined. Higher limits may be required by the Department in cases of higher than usual risks.
2. Automobile liability including non-owned auto liability, of not less than \$1,000,000 for volunteers and paid employees providing services supported by this Agreement.
3. If applicable, contractors and subcontractors shall comply with the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) General Order No. 115-F which requires higher levels of insurance for charter-party carriers of passengers and is based on seating capacity as follows:

\$750,000 if seating capacity is under 8  
\$1,500,000 if seating capacity is 8 – 15  
\$5,000,000 if seating capacity is over 15

unless otherwise amended by future regulation.

B. The insurance will be obtained from an insurance company acceptable to the Department of General Services, Office of Risk and Insurance Management, or be provided through partial or total self-insurance acceptable to the Department of General Services.

C. Evidence of insurance shall be in a form and content acceptable to the Department of General Services, Office of Risk and Insurance Management. Insurance obtained through commercial carriers shall meet the following requirements:

1. The Certificate of Insurance shall provide that the insurer will not cancel the insured's coverage without 30 days prior written notice to the State, or ten (10) days written notice if the reason for cancellation is for non-payment of insurance premium.
2. The Certificate of Insurance shall provide the statement: "The Department of Aging, State of California, its officers, agents, employees, and servants are included as additional insureds, with respect to work performed for the State of California under this Agreement." Professional liability coverage is exempt from this requirement.
3. The Department shall be named the certificate holder and the address must be listed on the certificate.

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- D. The insurance provided herein shall be in effect at all times during the term of this Agreement. In the event the insurance coverage expires during the term of this Agreement, the Contractor agrees to provide the Department, at least 30 days prior to the expiration date, a new certificate of insurance evidencing insurance coverage as provided herein for a period not less than the remaining Agreement term or for a period not less than one (1) year. In the event the Contractor fails to keep in effect at all times said insurance coverage, the Department may, in addition to any other remedies it may have, terminate this Agreement.
  
- E. The Contractor shall require its subcontractors under this Agreement, other than units of local government which are similarly self-insured, to maintain adequate insurance coverage for general liability, worker's compensation liabilities, and if appropriate, auto liability including non-owned auto and professional liability, and further, the Contractor shall require all of its subcontractors to hold the Contractor harmless. The subcontractor's Certificate of Insurance shall also name the Contractor, not the State, as the certificate holder and additional insured. The Contractor shall maintain certificates of insurance for all its subcontractors.
  
- F. A copy of each appropriate Certificate of Insurance referencing this Agreement Number, or letter of self-insurance, shall be submitted to the Department with this Agreement.
  
- G. The Contractor shall be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of the Labor Code and Contractor affirms to comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement (Labor Code Section 3700).

**ARTICLE XII. TERMINATION**

**A. Termination Without Cause**

The Department may terminate performance of work under this Agreement without cause in whole or in part, if the Department determines that a termination is in the State's best interest. The Department may terminate the Agreement upon 90 days written notice to the Contractor. The Notice of Termination shall specify the extent of the termination and shall be effective 90 days from the delivery of the notice. The parties agree that if the termination of the contract is due to a reduction or deletion of funding by the Department of Finance, Legislature or Congress, the Notice of Termination shall be effective 30 days from the delivery of the notice. The parties agree that for the terminated portion of the Agreement, the remainder of Agreement shall be deemed to remain in effect and is not void. Upon termination of the Agreement, the Contractor shall submit to the Department a Transition Plan as specified in Exhibit E.

**B. Termination for Cause**

ARTICLE XII. TERMINATION (Continued)

The Department may terminate for cause the performance of work under this Agreement. The Department may terminate the Agreement upon 30 days written notice to the Contractor. The Notice of Termination shall be effective 30 days from the delivery of the Notice of Termination unless the ground for termination is due to threat to life, health or safety of the public and in that case the termination shall take effect immediately. The grounds for termination for cause shall include but not limited to the following:

1. In case of threat of life, health or safety of the public. (Termination of Agreement shall be effective immediately.)
2. A violation of the law or failure to comply with any condition of this Agreement.
3. Inadequate performance or failure to make progress so as to endanger performance of this Agreement.
4. Failure to comply with reporting requirements.
5. Evidence that the Contractor is in an unsatisfactory financial condition as determined by an audit of the Department or evidence of a financial condition that endangers performance of this Agreement and/or the loss of other funding sources.
6. Delinquency in payment of taxes or payment of costs for performance of this Agreement in the ordinary course of business.
7. Appointment of a trustee, receiver, or liquidator for all or a substantial part of the Contractor's property, or institution of bankruptcy, reorganization or the arrangement of liquidation proceedings by or against the Contractor.
8. Service of any writ of attachment, levy of execution, or commencement of garnishment proceedings against the Contractor's assets or income.
9. The commission of an act of bankruptcy.
10. Finding of debarment or suspension, Article II J.
11. The Contractor's organizational structure has materially changed.
12. The Department determines that a Contractor may be considered a "high risk" agency as described in 45 CFR 92.12 local government and 45 CFR 74.14 for non-profit organizations. If such a determination is made, the Contractor may be subject to special conditions or restrictions.

**ARTICLE XII. TERMINATION (Continued)**

**C. Contractor's Obligation After Notice of Termination**

After receipt of a Notice of Termination, and except as directed by the Department, the Contractor shall immediately proceed with the following obligations, as applicable, regardless of any delay in determining or adjusting any funds due under this clause.

The Contractor shall:

1. Stop work as specified in the Notice of Termination.
2. Place no further subcontracts for materials, or services, except as necessary to complete the continued portion of the contract.
3. Terminate all subcontracts to the extent they relate to the work terminated.
4. Settle all outstanding liabilities and termination settlement proposals arising from the termination of subcontracts (the approval or ratification of which will be final for purposes of this clause).

**D. Effective Date**

Termination of this Agreement, shall take effect immediately in the case of an emergency such as threat to life, health, or safety of the public. In all other cases, the termination shall take effect 30 days subsequent to written notice to the Contractor. The notice shall describe the action being taken by the Department, the reason for such action and, any conditions of the termination, including the date of termination. Said notice shall also inform the Contractor of its right to appeal such decision to the Department and the procedure for doing so.

**E. Notice of Intent to Terminate by Contractor**

Contractor may give the Department 30 days written Notice of Intent to Terminate. In such instance, Contractor shall allow the Department up to 180 days to transition services. Unless mutually agreed upon, the Contractor does not have the authority to terminate the Agreement. The notice of intent to terminate shall include the reason for such action and the anticipated last day of work. Upon receipt of such notice, the Department will work with the Contractor to terminate the Agreement.

- F.** In the event of a termination notice, the Department will present written notice to the Contractor of any condition, such as, but not limited to, transfer of clients, care of clients, return of unspent funds, and disposition of property, which must be met prior to termination.

**ARTICLE XIII. REMEDIES**

The Contractor agrees that any remedy provided in this Agreement is in addition to and not in derogation of any other legal or equitable remedy available to the Department as a result of breach of this Agreement by the Contractor, whether such breach occurs before or after completion of the project.

**ARTICLE XIV. DISSOLUTION OF ENTITY**

The Contractor shall notify the Department immediately of any intention to discontinue existence of the entity or to bring an action for dissolution.

**ARTICLE XV. REVISIONS OR MODIFICATIONS**

- A. No amendment or variation of the terms of this Agreement shall be valid unless made in writing, and approved as required. No oral understanding or agreement not incorporated in this Agreement is binding on any of the parties.
- B. The State reserves the right to revise, waive, or modify the Agreement to reflect any restrictions, limitations, or conditions enacted by Congress or the Legislature or as directed by the Executive Branch of State Government.

**ARTICLE XVI. NOTICES**

- A. Any notice to be given hereunder by either party to the other may be effected by personal delivery in writing or by registered or certified mail, overnight mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, or overnight mail, provided Contractor retains receipt, and shall be communicated as of actual receipt.
- B. Any notice given to the CDA for a contractor's change of legal name, main address, or name of Director shall be addressed to the Director of the Department.
- C. All other notices with the exception of those identified in Article VII. B. shall be addressed to the California Department of Aging, AAA Based Teams, 1300 National Drive, Suite 200, Sacramento, California 95834. Notices mailed to the Contractor shall be to the address indicated on the coversheet of this Agreement.
- D. Either party may change its address by written notice to the other party in accordance with this Article.

**ARTICLE XVII. DEPARTMENT CONTACT**

- A. The name of the Department's contact to request revisions, waivers, or modifications affecting this Agreement, will be provided by the State to the Contractor upon full execution of this Agreement.

ARTICLE XVII. DEPARTMENT CONTACT

- B. The contractor shall submit the name of its Agency Contract Representative (ACR), for this Agreement by submitting an Agency Contract Representative form to the CDA's Contracts and Business Services Section. This form requires the ACR's address, phone number, e-mail address, and FAX number to be included on this form. For any change in this information, the Contractor shall submit an amended Agency Contract Representative form to the same address. This form may be requested from the Contracts and Business Services Section.

ARTICLE XVIII. INFORMATION INTEGRITY AND SECURITY

A. Information Assets

The Contractor shall have in place operational policies, procedures, and practices to protect State information assets, i.e., public, confidential, sensitive and/or personal information as specified in State Administrative Manual, Section 4841.2., GC Section 11019, Department of Finance (DOF) Management Memo 06-12, and DOF Budget Letter 06-34)

Information assets include (but are not limited to):

- Information collected and/or accessed in the administration of the State programs and services.
- Information stored in any media form, paper or electronic.

B. Encryption on Portable Computing Devices

The Contractor is required to encrypt (or use an equally effective measure), any data collected under this Agreement that is confidential, sensitive, and/or personal including data stored on portable computing devices (including but not limited to, laptops, personal digital assistants, and notebook computers) and/or portable electronic storage media (including but not limited to, discs and thumb/flash drives, portable hard drives).

C. Disclosure

1. The Contractor shall ensure that personal, sensitive and confidential information is protected from inappropriate or unauthorized access or disclosure in accordance with applicable laws, regulations and State policies. The requirement to protect information shall remain in force until superseded by laws, regulations or policies.
2. The Contractor shall protect from unauthorized disclosure names and other identifying information, concerning persons receiving services pursuant to this Agreement, except for statistical information not identifying any participant.

ARTICLE XVIII. -INFORMATION INTEGRITY AND SECURITY (Continued)

3. "Identifying information" shall include, but not be limited to, name, identifying number, social security number, state driver's license or state identification number, financial account numbers, symbol or other identifying characteristic assigned to the individual, such as finger or voice print or a photograph.
4. The Contractor shall not use such identifying information for any purpose other than carrying out the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement.
5. The Contractor shall not, except as otherwise specifically authorized or required by this Agreement or court order, disclose any identifying information obtained under the terms of this Agreement to anyone other than CDA without prior written authorization from CDA. The Contractor may be authorized, in writing, by a participant to disclose identifying information specific to the authorizing participant.
6. The Contractor may allow a participant to authorize the release of information to specific entities, but shall not request or encourage any participant to give a blanket authorization or sign a blank release, nor shall the Contractor accept such blanket authorization from any participant.

D. Training/Education

1. The Contractor must provide ongoing education and training, at least annually, to all employees and subcontractors who handle personal, sensitive or confidential information. Contractor employees, subcontractors, and volunteers must complete the required Security Awareness Training module located at [www.aging.ca.gov](http://www.aging.ca.gov) within 30 days of the start date of the Contract/Agreement or within 30 days of the start date of any new employee, subcontractor or volunteer. The Contractor must maintain certificates of completion on file and provide them to CDA upon request. Training may be provided on an individual basis or in groups. A sign-in sheet is acceptable documentation for group training in lieu of individual certificates. If internet access is not available, a hardcopy of the training module may be provided to employees and/or volunteers for their completion.
2. Contractor may substitute CDA's Security Awareness Training program with its own Security Training provided such training meets or exceeds CDA's training requirement. Contractors/Vendors shall maintain documentation of training and education provided to their staff, volunteers, and/or subcontractors.



ARTICLE XVIII. -INFORMATION INTEGRITY AND SECURITY (Continued)

3. All employees and volunteers who handle personal, sensitive or confidential information relating to CDA's programs must participate in Security Awareness Training.

E. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)

The Contractor agrees to comply with the privacy and security requirements of the HIPAA to the extent applicable and to take all reasonable efforts to implement HIPAA requirements. Contractor will make reasonable efforts to ensure that subcontractors comply with the privacy and security requirements of HIPAA.

F. Contractor Confidentiality Statement

The Contractor shall sign and return a Contractor/Vendor Confidentiality Statement CDA 1024 form with this Agreement. This is to ensure that Contractor/Vendors are aware of, and agree to comply with, their obligations to protect CDA information assets from unauthorized access and disclosure.

G. Security Incident Reporting

A security incident occurs when CDA information assets are accessed, modified, destroyed, or disclosed without proper authorization, or are lost, or stolen. The Contractor must report all security incidents to the appropriate CDA Program Manager immediately upon detection. A Security Incident Report form (CDA 1025) must be submitted to the CDA Information Security Officer within five (5) business days of the date the incident was detected.

H. Notification of Security Breach to Data Subjects

1. Notice must be given by the contractor or subcontractor to any data subject whose personal information could have been breached.
2. Notice must be given in the most expedient time possible and without unreasonable delay except when notification would impede a criminal investigation, or when necessary measures to restore system integrity are required.
3. Notice may be provided in writing, electronically, or by substitute notice in accordance with State law, regulation, or policy.

I. Software Maintenance

The Contractor shall apply security patches and upgrades and keep virus software up-to-date on all systems on which State data may be used.

ARTICLE XVIII. -INFORMATION INTEGRITY AND SECURITY (Continued)

J. Provisions of this Article

The provisions contained in this Article shall be included in all contracts of both the contractor and its subcontractors.

ARTICLE XIX. COPYRIGHTS AND RIGHTS IN DATA

A. Copyrights

1. If any material funded by this Agreement is subject to copyright, the State reserves the right to copyright such material and the Contractor agrees not to copyright such material, except as set forth in subdivisions (b) and (c) of this section.
2. The Contractor may request permission to copyright material by writing to the Director of the Department. The Director shall consent to or give the reason for denial to the Contractor in writing within 60 days of receipt of the request.
3. If the material is copyrighted with the consent of the Department, the State reserves a royalty-free, non-exclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, prepare derivative works, publish, distribute and use such materials, in whole or in part, and to authorize others to do so, provided written credit is given the author.
4. The Contractor certifies that it has appropriate systems and controls in place to ensure that State funds will not be used in the performance of this contract for the acquisition, operation, or maintenance of computer software in violation of copyright laws.

B. Rights in Data

1. The Contractor shall not publish or transfer any materials, as defined in item 2 below, produced or resulting from activities supported by this Agreement without the express written consent of the Director of the Department. That consent shall be given or the reasons for denial shall be given and any conditions under which it is given or denied within 30 days after the written request is received by the Department. The Department may request a copy of the material for review prior to approval of the request. This subsection is not intended to prohibit contractors from sharing identifying client information authorized by the participant or summary program information which is not client-specific.
2. As used in this Agreement, the term "subject data" means writings, sound recordings, pictorial reproductions, drawings, designs or graphic

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representations, procedural manuals, forms, diagrams, workflow charts, equipment descriptions, data files and data processing or computer programs, and works of any similar nature (whether or not copyrighted or copyrightable) which are first produced or developed under this Agreement. The term does not include financial reports, cost analyses, and similar information incidental to contract administration, or the exchange of that information between Area Agencies on Aging to facilitate uniformity of contract and program administration on a statewide basis.

3. Subject only to the provisions of Article XVIII and Article XIX of this Exhibit, the State may use, duplicate, or disclose in any manner, and have or permit others to do so subject to State and federal law all subject data delivered under this Agreement.
4. Materials published or transferred by Contractor shall: (a) state "The materials or product were a result of a project funded by a contract with the California Department of Aging"; (b) give the name of the entity, the address, and telephone number at which the supporting data is available; and (c) include a statement that "The conclusions and opinions expressed may not be those of the California Department of Aging and that the publication may not be based upon or inclusive of all raw data."

**ARTICLE I. ASSURANCES SPECIFIC TO THE TITLE V SENIOR COMMUNITY SERVICE  
EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM (SCSEP)**

- A. The Contractor shall assure the following:**
- 1. Services are provided only to the defined Eligible Service Population. (20 CFR 641.500)**
  - 2. Participants, while enrolled in the Title V SCSEP, shall receive at least the current minimum wage plus fringe benefits required by law including compensation for federal holidays. Fringe benefits, including annual physical examinations, must be provided uniformly to all participants within a project or subproject. Participants must be paid for hours spent in orientation, training, other required activities, and time spent working in the assigned community service employment activity. [OAA Section 502(c)(6)(A)(i), 20 CFR 641.565(a),(b)(i)].**
  - 3. Participants shall be provided skill enhancement opportunities, personal and employment-related counseling, assistance in transition to unsubsidized employment, and other benefits. (20 CFR 641.535)**
- B. The Contractor shall assure that the Title V SCSEP will serve the eligible service population and give priority to individuals who are 65 years of age and older or (a) have a disability; (b) have limited English proficiency or low literacy skills; (c) reside in a rural area; (d) are veterans or spouses of veterans as defined in 20 CFR 641.520(a)(2); (e) have low employment prospects; (f) have failed to find employment after utilizing services provided through the One-Stop Delivery System; or (g) are homeless or at risk for homelessness. [OAA Section 518(b)].**
- C. The Contractor will comply with an average participation cap for eligible individuals of no more than 27 months in the aggregate, unless requested and approved by the DOL. [OAA Section 502(b)(1)(C)].**
- D. When monitoring local projects (sub-sub grantees) the Contractor will use a tool that mirrors the CDA's simplified monitoring tool. [OAA Section 503(f)(1)].**
- E. The Contractor will provide a written policy to the Department regarding terminations (including IEP terminations), leave of absences from the program and grievance procedures. (20 CFR 641.580) (20 CFR 641.910)**
- F. The Contractor is required to provide a 30-day notice for all terminations except in the case of the participant providing false information or for cause. Terminations must not discriminate against persons based on race, national origin, ethnic group identification, religion, age, sex sexual orientation, color or disability (refer to the CDA Title V Contract Exhibit D Article II., C. Nondiscrimination).**

ARTICLE I. ASSURANCES SPECIFIC TO THE TITLE V SENIOR COMMUNITY SERVICE  
EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM (SCSEP) (Continued)

Criteria for termination of participants must be objective, non-arbitrary, and nondiscriminatory and be based on priorities for service per the Older Americans Act Amendments of 2006, Section 518(b). Participants must be treated uniformly and all program policies and procedures must be followed. (20 CFR 641.580).

G. Political Activities. The Contractor shall assure the following:

1. The contractor will post a notice at each training site and make available to each participant a written explanation of allowable and unallowable political activities in accordance to the OAA Section 502 (b)(1)(P), 20 CFR 641.836(d).
2. Notices shall state that Title V SCSEP participants may engage freely in the political process with the following exceptions:
  - a. Participants may not engage in partisan or nonpartisan political activities on the job;
  - b. Participants may not present themselves as a spokesperson for Title V SCSEP while engaged in political activity; and
  - c. Participants may not be assigned to the office of a Member of Congress, a state or local legislator, or on any staff of a legislative committee.

H. The Contractor shall have appropriate office space for conducting private participant interviews to enable participants to freely discuss their backgrounds and experiences in a confidential manner.

ARTICLE II. REPORTING PROVISIONS [OAA Section 503(f)(3)(4)] [20 CFR 641.430(f)]

A. The Contractor shall:

1. Input program and participant data into SPARQ using the Web-Based Data Collection System (WDCS) on a routine basis. The Contractor must review and continually seek to clear errors in the WDCS. The data must be timely, complete, accurate, and verifiable.
2. Create a plan to ensure accuracy of data from all levels which includes a method for the Contractor or subcontractors to verify the accuracy of the data prior to submission to the Department.

ARTICLE II. REPORTING PROVISIONS (Continued)

3. Separately track Appropriations Act funds from the SCSEP regular contract and the ARRA contract.
  4. Submit all required financial reports timely in accordance with Appropriations Act requirements.
  5. Train and orient staff and subcontractor's staff on data collection and reporting requirements.
- B. The Contractor shall review Management Reports in accordance with DOL requirements to ensure accuracy of data inputted into the WDCS. Management Reports must be reviewed by the Contractor according to the frequency listed:
- Management Reports, Monthly
- C. The Contractor shall review Data Quality Reports (DQRs) in accordance with DOL requirements to ensure accuracy of data inputted into the WDCS. DQRs must be reviewed by the Contractor according to the frequency listed:
- Data Quality-Reports, Monthly
- D. The Contractor shall submit a Corrective Action describing the actions to be taken to achieve the performance goals if the project did not achieve the established performance goals in the previous fiscal year. [20 CFR 641.740(b)].

ARTICLE III. APPEAL PROCESS

In relation to an appeal conducted as a result of a determination of ineligibility or termination for cause against a Title V SCSEP participant, the decision of the Contractor is final. In accordance with 20 CFR Part 641.910, no appeal shall be elevated to the DOL unless a federal law has been violated. In the event an appeal is elevated to DOL, a copy must be provided to the Department. Complaints alleging discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, or age may be filed with the Director, Civil Rights Center (CRC), U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room N-4123, Washington, D.C. 20210.

- A. In the event of a Contract dispute or grievance regarding the terms and conditions of this Contract both parties shall abide by the following procedures:
1. The Contractor shall first discuss the problem informally with the designated coach of the AAA based team within the Department. If the problem is not resolved, the Contractor must, within 15 working days of the failed attempt to resolve the dispute with the designated coach of the AAA based team within the Department, submit a written complaint together with any evidence to the Long-Term Care and Aging Services

ARTICLE III. APPEAL PROCESS (Continued)

Division Deputy Director. The complaint must include the disputed issues, the legal authority/basis for each issue which supports the Contractor's position and the remedy sought. The Deputy Director shall, within 15 working days after receipt of the Contractor's written complaint, make a determination on the dispute and issue a written decision and reasons therefore. All written communication shall be pursuant to Exhibit D, Article XVI, of this Contract. Should the Contractor disagree with the decision of the Deputy Director, the Contractor may appeal the decision to the Chief Deputy Director of the Department.

2. The Contractor's appeal must be submitted within ten (10) working days from the date of the decision of the Division Deputy Director; be in writing; state the reasons why the decision is unacceptable; and include the original complaint, the decision that is the subject of appeal, and all supporting documents. Within 20 working days from the date of the Contractor's appeal, the Chief Deputy Director or designee shall meet with the Contractor for review of the issues raised on appeal and issue a final written decision.
3. The Contractor may appeal the final decision of the Chief Deputy Director in accordance with the procedures set forth in Title 1 of the California Code of Regulations, Section 1200.
4. Costs incurred by the Contractor or subcontractor for administrative or court review is not reimbursable.

ARTICLE IV. APPROPRIATIONS ACT SPECIFIC TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- A. This Agreement is issued under the authority of the Department of Labor Appropriations Act, 2010 P.L. 111-117, Division D. By receiving funds under this Agreement, the Contractor assures that it will carry out the project/program as authorized and will comply with the terms and conditions and other requirements of this Agreement.

ARTICLE V. SCSEP TRANSITION PLAN

- A. The Contractor shall submit a transition plan to the Department within three business days of delivery of a written Notice of Termination to the contract. The transition plan must be approved by the Department and shall at a minimum include the following:
  1. A process on how participants will be notified of program closure, reduction of slots, or change in service provider.

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**ARTICLE IV. SCSEP TRANSITION PLAN (Continued)**

2. A process on how confidential records of participants and database files will be relinquished to the Contractor or new service provider.
  3. A process to communicate with National SCSEP grantees to transfer current participants into other employment/training opportunities.
  4. A process on how supportive services will be identified and provided to participants to ease in the transition.
  5. A process to conduct a property inventory and plan to dispose or transfer, or return to the Department all equipment purchased during the entire operation of the contract.
- B. Contractor shall implement the Transition Plan as approved by the Department. The Department will monitor the Contractor's progress in carrying out all elements of the transition plan.
- C. If the Contractor fails to provide and implement a transition plan as required by Exhibit D, Article XII, of this Agreement, the Contractor agrees to implement a transition plan submitted by the Department to the Contractor following the Notice of Termination.