General Conditions

1. Award period

Approved by the Governor’s Office of Crime Control and Prevention (GOCCP) of the submitted application, and the subaward that it has generated, is for the time period stated in this Subaward Package and constitutes no commitment for the continuation of funding beyond that time period.

2. Statutes and requirements of State and Federal funds

This subaward is subject to all State of Maryland and Federal statutes and requirements that apply to the relative funding source.

3. General and Special Conditions (post-award instructions)

This sub-award is subject to the Special Conditions contained in your award packet and General Conditions (Post Award Instructions) referenced on the GOCCP website, as accepted by the Authorized Official on the official Award Acceptance document. GOCCP retains the right to add Special Conditions, if and when needed, during the life of the award period. General Conditions are the post-award policies, procedures, guidelines, and business rules from GOCCP for grant funds, irrelevant of the funding source.

4. Subaward acceptance document

The original Award Acceptance document containing the original signature of the Executive Director of GOCCP must be signed, preferably in BLUE INK, by the Authorized Official noted on the submitted application. This document must be uploaded in the Grants Management System (GMS) WITHIN 21 CALENDAR DAYS of receipt of the award package. Acceptance of this subaward constitutes a commitment. Failure to comply will prevent program/project activity and result in the delay of reimbursement.

The Authorized Official on the submitted application is the County Executive, Duly Authorized Official of the local unit of Government, Mayor, Commissioner, Town Administrator (if confirmed), President (if confirmed), or if agencies are permitted to apply directly, the head of the agency receiving the subaward.
5. Project Commencement Form Notification and/or Delay

The Notice of Project Commencement/Delay form must be signed (initialed in Section II, AND signed at the bottom) by the Project Director and must be uploaded in the Grants Management System (GMS) WITHIN 30 CALENDAR DAYS of the receipt of the award package. Please be advised online reporting is not accessible until the signed Award Acceptance and Project Commencement documents have been received by GOCCP.

NOTE: If the project will not commence within 30 calendar days of the Starting Date of the Period of Award, an explanation of the steps taken to initiate the project, the reason for delay, and the expected commencement date must be explained and justified on the Notice of Project Commencement/Delay Form in Section III. Failure to comply will result in delay of reimbursement.

ANY delay of your project AFTER submission of the Project Commencement/Delay Form will require the submission of a Grant Modification Form and approval by GOCCP. One blank Modification form is sent with every award package. For potential future modifications of any kind you may access the form through the GOCCP GMS.

Any delay to the start date of this project does not warrant, or necessarily allow, an extension to the end date.

6. Civil Rights Questionnaire

The Federal Civil Rights Questionnaire (FCRQ) and Certification Form are a post award process that occurs bi-annually (2011, 2013, etc), and are for federal funds only. Submission of certification is completed through online registration. These documents must be completed and returned, with any additional attachments (posters, complaint forms), to GOCCP within 90 CALENDAR DAYS of the receipt of the Award and may be uploaded electronically to GMS. For internal assistance please contact your Department of Human Resources, Personnel Department, Fair Practices, or internal Human Resource/Personnel contact. The FIRST PAGE of the actual questionnaire MUST reference only ONE sub-award number. This must always be the second page of your response packet, with a copy of the federal Certification Form being the first. The certification process must be completed online as the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) no longer accepts paper forms. The Certification Form
7. Start Date of the Period of Award / Termination of Award

The Start Date of the Period of Award is the earliest date that can be used as the project commencement date. No obligation or expenditure of funds is allowed prior to this date.

The subaward may be terminated by one or both parties with written notice. If the subaward is terminated before the end of the funding period, an accounting of the current quarterly and year to date expenses MUST be provided within 60 calendar days. Also see General Condition #35.

8. Goals, Objectives and Plans of project

The subrecipient must implement this project according to the goals, objectives, and plans as proposed, accepted, and set-forth in this subaward.

9. Subaward Budget Notice and New Personnel

The attached Budget Notice is made part of the final grant proposal and subaward. Where this Budget Notice may have been modified from the project budget submitted in the original application, it represents final approved expenses for the project and governs expenditures accordingly.

All NEW project personnel supported with grant funding MUST BE HIRED WITHIN 45 CALENDAR DAYS of receipt of the subaward package. Any delays in hiring must be reported in writing within 30 calendar days of receipt of the subaward package. If project personnel are not hired within 45 calendar days, project personnel ALLOCATIONS MAY BE DE-OBLIGATED at the discretion of GOCCP. Also see General Condition #14.

10. Supplanting

SUPPLANTING is the use of GOCCP grant funds to replace state or local funds which were previously appropriated/budgeted for, or otherwise would have been spent on, the specific purpose(s) for which this subaward has been awarded. Any salaries, positions, personnel
expenses, contractual expenses, equipment, travel, and other expenses paid for with GOCCP grant funds must be used to supplement your organization’s existing budget, and may not replace any funds that were already included in your entity’s existing or projected budget.

11. Budgeted Match Above Standard Requirements

The subrecipient’s acceptance of this subaward constitutes a commitment that the budgeted match (if applicable), as stated on the Award Acceptance Form, may be above the standard requirements and will remain so throughout the life of the award.

The subrecipient agrees that the required match (if applicable) will be allotted and relative expenditures reported, for each quarterly reporting period in which they are expended. It is further agreed that the full amount of the budgeted match (if applicable and over match if submitted) will be reported regardless of any subsequent adjustments to the grant funds budgeted and/or any financial modifications to this subaward. Any requested change to this match (if applicable) must be submitted in writing on a GOCCP Grant Modification form and is subject to prior approval by GOCCP. Also see General Condition # 13.

12. Expended Grant Funds During Award Period

All grant funds related to the subaward project, as well as any required match funds (if and where applicable) must be encumbered, obligated (requisitions, purchase orders, or contracts, which are negotiated purchases) or expended (payment of an invoice) by the end of the subaward period or any pre-authorized extension thereof.

Failure to expend encumbered funds within 30 calendar days following the End Date of the award period may jeopardize reimbursement and/or result in the de-obligation of funds. In that event, remaining obligations will be the sole responsibility of the subrecipient.

13. Modifications to Subaward

ANY requests for changes or modifications of any kind to any portion of this subaward MUST BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING PRIOR TO OCCURRENCE using the GOCCP GRANT MODIFICATION FORM and may not take place until the Authorized Official or Project Director receives written approval from GOCCP. Written approval is sent in the form of a Grant Adjustment Notice (GAN).
This includes, but is not limited to: 1) budget revisions of any type, including proposed expenditures in a budget category that was not previously approved in the application stage; 2) change to award period; 3) change to Project Director or Fiscal Officer; 4) change to staff specified in the personnel category; 5) change to scope of program; and 6) ANY change that was not approved when the funds were originally awarded. These changes may not be requested via telephone, fax, or email.

14. Changes to Key Personnel Salary

ANY intended or proposed changes to Key Personnel whose salary is funded in whole or part by this subaward MAY NOT TAKE PLACE UNTIL a Grant Modification Form has been signed by the Authorized Official or Project Director, and submitted to GOCCP 15 CALENDAR DAYS PRIOR TO the intended change AND written approval (Grant Adjustment Notice - GAN) has been sent by GOCCP to the requesting subrecipient. In addition, accurate and identifiable time and attendance records must be maintained on-site for all personnel hired/employed under this project. See the Grantees Toolbox area of the GOCCP website. Look under the section entitled Time and Effort Reports (timesheets).

15. Authorized Official Change

If there is a change of the person in the Authorized Official position, a letter, on letterhead, must be submitted to GOCCP, acknowledging the replacement and signed by the person exiting the position. However, should said person have already vacated the position, then the letter must come from the entities actual Authorized Official, acknowledging the change and name of the replacement person. If documentation is available please attach it to the original letter (e.g. Executive Order, acknowledgement of election, Board notes acknowledging confirmation, etc.).

16. Alternate Authorized Signature List

The Alternate Authorized Signatory is not the same as the Authorized Official. The Alternate Authorized Signatory is a person permitted to sign on behalf of the Authorized Official (county executive, mayor, town administrator, president); Authorized Point of Contact (head of any sub-unit of government, agency, division, department, or bureau); Project Director and/or Fiscal Officer.
To authorize an alternate signature, the person granting authorization for another party to sign on their behalf must submit a letter, on letterhead, to GOCCP with their original signature in blue ink. The purpose of the request must be acknowledged in the letter (e.g. sign all award documents at all times, change of personnel, in case of illness, vacation, leave of absence, etc.).

If authorization is to sign all award documents at all times please attach a copy, if applicable, of an Executive Order, or the vote from Council minute meetings, etc.

17. Procurement

If the subrecipient does not have written procurement guidelines, the subrecipient must refer to the State of Maryland Procurement Policy and Procedures, which includes the consideration of Minority Business Enterprises (MBE). An overview of Maryland Procurement may be accessed via the internet at: [http://www.michie.com/maryland](http://www.michie.com/maryland).

Double click “MARYLAND CODE”, select “STATE FINANCES AND PROCUREMENT”, select “TITLE 13: SOURCE SELECTION”, select: “SUBTITLE 1, 2, 3, or 4” based on applicability.

18. Property Inventory Report Form

The submission of the Property Inventory Report Form (PIRF) is a requirement for any equipment that costs $5,000 or more per unit cost, that is approved under this subaward. The form is included in the Project Director’s award package.

BPVP subawards are additionally referred to their Special Condition for the PIRF, all other conditions remain the same.

19. Subcontracting requires PRIOR approval

The principal activities of this project may NOT be subcontracted to another organization WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL by GOCCP. If prior approval was not obtained through the application process and is required after the program has been awarded, a Grant Modification Form must be submitted with detailed information and justification. Activities cannot occur until written approval in the form of a Grant Adjustment Notice (GAN) is received from GOCCP.
20. Drug-Free Workplace Requirements

Subrecipients are subject to the applicable requirements regarding the Drug Free Workplace of the governor’s Drug and Alcohol Free Workplace executive order and implementing policies. This information may be obtained through the State of Maryland website at www.maryland.gov.

21. Issuance of Request for Proposals, Bids, Procurement Process

When issuing requests for proposals, bid solicitations, or other procurement requests, all subrecipients shall clearly state within said document that the cost of the potential purchase is being funded in part, or in its entirety, with government grant funds.

22. Issuance of Statements, Press Releases, or Other Documents – GOCCP role

When issuing public statements, press releases, or other documents relating to this project or when conferences, seminars, workshops, or forums are held in reference to this project, the subrecipient agrees that the source of funding of this project and the role of GOCCP must and will be clearly acknowledged. The subrecipient will ensure that all publications resulting from this project will have the following language on the publication:

“The Governor’s Office of Crime Control and Prevention funded this project under subaward number BJAG-2009-9000 (your subaward number). All points of view in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position of any State or Federal agency.”

23. Reproduction and Sharing of Subaward and Project Materials

GOCCP has the rights to reproduce, with attribution, and share any and all materials and documents generated as a result of this subaward and project.
24. Online Reporting and Post-Award Technical Assistance

All subrecipients are required to view the GOCCP Grants Management System (GMS) Training Videos, which can be accessed at: http://www.goccp.maryland.gov.

These videos provide step-by-step guidance through the online system, from application to reporting.

If you require technical assistance relative to the online GMS Reporting software during business hours you may contact the GOCCP IT Staff at 410-821-2828 or via email at support@goccp.freshdesk.com.

25. Privacy and Confidentiality of Client Records

The subrecipient must comply with federal regulations and state laws concerning the privacy and confidentiality of client records, including statistical information gathered for research purposes.

26. Use of GOCCP forms

All GOCCP required forms must be generated by GOCCP or printed from the GOCCP web-based Grants Management System (GMS). Applications, and or reports, that are not in “Submitted” status online, will print with verbiage that includes the words “PENDING SUBMISSION.” These forms will be rejected.

Rejected forms will be returned to the subrecipient with a Notice of Dispute. The return of forms may delay programmatic and/or financial activity of this subaward including, but not limited to, reimbursement of funds.

27. Online Submission of Quarterly Report Forms

ALL Quarterly Report Forms (Progress Reports, Performance Measurements, and Financial Reports) must be submitted via the GOCCP web-based Grants Management System (GMS). Hard copies of programmatic reports are not required. The financial reports must be signed in BLUE INK and this original hard copy must be mailed to GOCCP. Reports that are not in “Submitted” status online will have the words “Pending Submission” on them and will be returned with a Notice of Dispute.
BARM and BPVP MUST review their SPECIAL CONDITIONS for reporting requirements and/or deadlines.

In accordance with policy, GOCCP may freeze the release of funds until a subrecipient is current in the filing of all programmatic and financial reports.

28. Submission of Programmatic Quarterly Reports

PROGRAM REPORTS: Progress Reports and Performance Measurements must be submitted via the GOCCP Grants Management System (GMS) on a quarterly basis. Hard copies of programmatic reports are not required. **All programmatic reports (including matrix, DCTAT and PMT if applicable) are due NO LATER THAN 15 CALENDAR DAYS after the end of each quarter. This due date is PRIOR to submission of relative quarterly financial reports. Financial reports submitted with Programmatic reports cannot be processed for payment until programmatic reports are in “Submitted” status online.

Where the start date of any subaward may vary, the quarterly time frames are constant. Those time frames and the relative due dates are:

07/01 - 09/30 reports due 10/15
10/01 - 12/31 reports due 01/15
01/01 - 03/31 reports due 04/15
04/01 - 06/30 reports due 07/15

In addition the GOCCP Regional Division Chief, Program Fund Manager, or Program Monitor, may request an Annual Progress Report. This information will be used to monitor and assess the program to determine if it is meeting the stated goals and objectives, supports the State Crime Control and Prevention Strategy Plan and complies with federal requirements. Failure to submit these reports in the prescribed time may prevent the dispersement of funds.

BARM and BPVP MUST review their SPECIAL CONDITIONS for reporting requirements and/or deadlines.

29. Submission of Financial Quarterly Reports

The Financial Report form must be electronically submitted within 30 calendar days after the end of each quarter. In order to process a Financial Report, the Programmatic Reports must be in “Submitted” status.
The Award Acceptance, Project Commencement, Progress and Performance Measurement Reports must be submitted prior to any financial report. If the above noted documents and program reports have not been submitted within the required time frame, financial reports may be denied and returned with a Notice of Dispute.

Where the start date of any subaward may vary, the quarterly time frames are constant. Those time frames and the relative due dates are:

- 07/01 - 09/30 reports due 10/30
- 10/01 - 12/31 reports due 01/30
- 01/01 - 03/31 reports due 04/30
- 04/01 - 06/30 reports due 07/30

BARM and BPVP MUST review their SPECIAL CONDITIONS for reporting requirements and/or deadlines.

30. Submission of Final Quarterly Reports

Final quarterly programmatic reports indicating progress towards the attainment of each program/project objective must be electronically submitted no later than 15 calendar days from the End Date of the sub-award. Financial reports submitted with Programmatic reports cannot be processed for payment unless programmatic reports are in “Submitted” status online.

FINAL Financial Reports must be submitted no later than 30 calendar days from the End Date of this subaward.

If the initial 30 calendar day submission is not your actual FINAL report, the subrecipient must email the Fiscal Specialist and copy the Regional Monitor stating that the report is not final.

Submission of a “Not Final” report will require a “Final/Revised” report to be submitted no later than 60 calendar days after the End Date of the subaward. Revised reports may only be submitted if an initial 30 calendar day report was submitted as required. All final financials must be submitted within 60 days or GOCCP reserves the right to complete an administrative closeout on this grant award and de-obligate all remaining funds.

Revisions are a manual process that requires handwritten corrections on a copy of the previously submitted 30 day report, with the word “FINAL” written across the top of the report. The corrections must be actual expenditures, not the variance. New signatures and current dates are
required and can the report can be either emailed to the Fiscal Specialist and copying the Regional Monitor or uploaded into the documents tab of the grants management system.

31. Failure to Submit Reports within allotted time frames

Failure to submit any report within the allotted time frame(s) noted in the above conditions, or any pre-authorized extension thereof, may result in the delay or prevention of payment, and/or the de-obligation of funds. Financial reports cannot be processed for payment unless programmatic reports are in “Submitted” status in the online system (GMS).

If late reporting occurs, the expenditure or obligation may become the responsibility of the subrecipient.

BARM and BPVP MUST review their SPECIAL CONDITIONS for reporting requirements and/or deadlines.

32. Freezing Funds

In accordance with policy, GOCCP will freeze the release of funds until a subrecipient is current in the filing of all reports, submission of documentation, and have resolved any remaining Notices of Disputes or issues.

33. Monitoring Expenditures

In order to verify the appropriateness of all grant fund related expenditures, the GOCCP program staff will monitor the use of grant fund proceeds as reported by subrecipients. Back-up documentation must be maintained on-site, be available upon request, correlate with the mandatory quarterly reporting, and be maintained as necessary to provide that obligations under this subaward and other such standards as they apply, are being met.

At any time during normal business hours, and as deemed necessary by GOCCP, the subrecipient shall make available to GOCCP, fund source agencies, or State Legislative Auditors, or any of their authorized representatives, any of the fiscal and/or program records for inspection and audit. Also see General Condition # 39.
34. Reimbursements of Grant Funds under Special Conditions

GOCCP may allow or require that a subrecipient report, and be reimbursed, in increments other than quarterly under such conditions that are deemed appropriate.

35. Termination of Subaward

The performance of work under this award may be terminated by GOCCP in accordance with this clause in whole, or in part, whenever GOCCP determines that such termination is in the best interest of the State.

If the subrecipient fails to fulfill obligations under this award properly and on time, or otherwise violates any provisions of the subaward, GOCCP may terminate the award by written notice to the subrecipient. The notice shall specify the acts or omissions relied upon as cause for termination.

All finished or unfinished supplies and services provided by the subrecipient shall become GOCCP property. GOCCP will pay all reasonable costs associated with this program that the subrecipient has incurred prior to the date of termination, and all reasonable costs associated with the termination of the subaward. An accounting of the current quarterly and year-to-date expenditures must be provided within 60 calendar days of the termination date. Also see General Condition #7.

36. Civil Rights Discrimination

The subrecipient affirms that it shall not discriminate in any manner against any employee, applicant for employment, or clients of services, because of race, color, religion, creed, age, sex, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sexual orientation, pregnancy, physical or mental handicap, or limited English proficiency, so as reasonably to preclude the performance of such employment and/or services provided. The subrecipient also agrees to include a provision similar to that contained in the preceding sentence for any underlying subcontract, except a subcontract for standard commercial supplies or raw material. Also see General Condition #6 (above).

The subrecipient must have a non-discrimination poster, publicly displayed, acknowledging that the entity does not discriminate and provides an avenue for employees, program beneficiaries, and any
relative vendors, to file a discrimination complaint directly with the Implementing Agency or Grantee (subrecipient via complaint form), the GOCCP (prime recipient via website), and/or directly with the Maryland Commission on Human Relations, St. Paul Street, 9th Floor, Baltimore, MD 21201 (410-767-8600), the Baltimore Office of the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC), 10 South Howard Street, 3rd Floor, Baltimore, MD 21201 (410-962-3932), or directly with the Office of Civil Rights Office of Justice Programs in Washington, D.C.

37. Submission of Correspondence to GOCCP

ALL submissions of ANY kind to GOCCP (U.S. mail, hand delivered, etc.), should be mailed to:

Governor’s Office of Crime Control and Prevention
100 Community Place
Crownsville, MD 21032

38. Proof of Applicable Audit Regulations – On Site

All subrecipients must have proper documentation to present to GOCCP upon request, to prove compliance with the following Audit Regulations that apply:

Local and State governments must have proof that they had an annual audit and submitted said audit to the State Legislature in September of the year of their subaward.

Non-Profit Organizations that have gross income from charitable contributions of at least $500K must have proof that they received an annual audit by a certified public accountant.

Non-Profit Organizations that have a gross income between $200K - $500K must have proof that they have been reviewed by an independent auditor.

Proof must be provided that each of the above reports has been submitted to the Secretary of State within 6 months of the end of the entity's fiscal year.

Nonprofits that have gross income of less than $200K must provide proof that they filed a 990-Form to the IRS for their fiscal year.
39. Records Retention

All financial and programmatic information and receipts/back-up documentation must be retained during the award period, and for 3 years from the date of last activity, for monitoring and auditing purposes, and be made available upon request.

40. ACORN

The subrecipient agrees and understands that it cannot use any grant funds, either directly or indirectly, in support of any contract or subaward to either the Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now (ACORN) or its subsidiaries.

41. Reporting Fraud, Waste and Abuse

The subrecipient must promptly report any credible evidence of fraud, waste, abuse and similar misconduct with grant funding.

42. OJP Financial Guide

In addition to GOCCP’s General (Post Award Instructions) and Special Conditions, the subrecipient agrees to comply with the financial and administrative requirements set forth in the current edition of the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) Financial Guide where applicable, and to abide by any other terms and conditions imposed by GOCCP. The financial guide may be accessed at the following web URL: http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/financialguide/PDFs/OCFO_2013Financial_Guide.pdf

43. Food and Conference Costs

On October 21, 2011 the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office of the Assistant Attorney General issued a memorandum to all Office of Justice Programs Grantees and Contractors regarding newly enacted conference costs and reporting requirements (http://www.in.gov/cji/files/Memorandum_to_All_OJP_Grantees_and_Contractors_Regarding_Revised_Conference_Cost_Guidelines_October_2011_(2).pdf).

In order to follow the federal guidelines, GOCCP will not approve any food and/or beverage costs associated with meetings, training, conferences, and/or other events. All conference costs will be thoroughly examined for compliance with the new federal requirements. This
restriction does not impact direct payment of per diem amounts to individuals in a travel status under your organization’s travel policy.

GOCCP may consider exceptions to this General Condition for non-OJP funded grants.

44. Applicable statutorily-imposed nondiscrimination requirements


45. DUNS and SAM.gov

Throughout the entire period of the grant, the sub-recipient must maintain a valid DUNS Number and current registration with SAM.Gov, previously the Central Contractor Registry (CCR).

A DUNS number is a unique nine-digit sequence recognized as the universal standard for identifying and keeping track of entities receiving federal funds. Information about the registration procedure for SAM can be found at www.sam.gov. Note: previous CCR (Central Contractor Registry) information was migrated to SAM.gov.

46. Computer equipment and network procurement

No award funds may be used to maintain or establish a computer network unless such network blocks the viewing, downloading, and exchanging of pornography, and nothing limits the use of funds necessary for any Federal, State, tribal, or local law enforcement agency or any other entity carrying out criminal investigations, prosecution, or adjudication activities.
47. Personnel hired within 45 days

All project personnel supported with grant funding must be hired within 45 calendar days of receipt of the grant award package. Any delays in hiring must be reported in writing within 30 calendar days of receipt of the grant award package. If project personnel are not hired within 45 calendar days, project personnel allocations may be de-obligated at the discretion of GOCCP.

48. No distracted driving

Sub-recipients are to adopt and enforce policies banning employees from text messaging while driving any vehicle during the course of performing work funded by this grant, and to establish workplace safety policies and conduct education, awareness, and other outreach to decrease crashes caused by distracted drivers.

49. Obligation to Limited English Proficient (LEP) individuals

The sub-recipients are obligated to provide services to Limited English Proficient (LEP) individuals. Refer to the DOJ's Guidance Document. To access this document, see U.S. Department of Justice, Guidance to Federal Financial Assistance Recipients Regarding Title VI Prohibition Against National Origin Discrimination Affecting Limited English Proficient Persons (67 Federal Regulation 41455 (2002)). This regulation may be accessed at: http://www.archives.gov/eeo/laws/title-vi.html

50. Required submission of Equal Opportunity Employment Plan (EEOP)

Your entity falls under the following federal requirement: Sub-recipients that are governmental or for-profit entities, that have fifty or more employees and that receive a single award of $500,000 or more under the Safe Streets Act or other Department of Justice (DOJ) program statutes are required to submit their Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (EEOP) to the federal Office of Civil Rights (OCR). The sub-recipients are not required to submit a copy to the Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention (GOCCP), but must have a copy available on site for monitoring purposes. Those sub-recipients that are subject to the OCR’s EEOP Certification Form may access this form at: http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/about/ocr/eeop/eeop.htm.
51. Personnel costs

Sub-recipients need to pay particular attention to the type of records that need to be maintained to support reimbursement claims for salaries, wages, and fringe benefits. Guidance can be referenced on page 70 of the OJP Financial Guide.

The use of percentages is not allowable to claim personnel costs. Records to support claimed costs in this category need to include time sheets or time and effort reports that record actual time charged to allowable grant program activities and signed by a supervisor.

When necessary and as an alternative, payroll records may reflect certified after the fact work distribution of an employee’s actual work activities. The certification statement must reflect the dates and number of hours charged to the award and the specific activities that were completed. The certification statement must be dated and signed by the supervisor, and the grant number must also be included in the statement.

52. Single audit requirement

If your entity spends $750,000 or more per fiscal year in federal funds, a Single Audit is required in accordance with 2 CFR §200.514 to be submitted to the Federal Audit Clearinghouse. If the audit discloses findings on GOCCP grants, provide a copy of the report so that we may issue a management decision for audit findings pertaining to the Federal award provided to the sub-recipient from the pass-through entity as required by §200.521 Management decision.