



JEFFERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA REQUEST

TO: Board of County Commissioners

Mark McCauley, County Administrator

FROM: Liz Anderson, Lead Web/Digital Communications Specialist

Apple Martine, Public Health Director

DATE: Normber 21, 2022

SUBJECT: Agenda item – Agreement with the National Association of County and City

Health Officials (NACCHO) for a grant to support workforce capacity and emergency response by JCPH; April 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022; \$35,000

STATEMENT OF ISSUE:

Jefferson County Public Health (JCPH), Community Health Division, requests Board approval of an agreement with NACCHO for a grant to support workforce capacity and emergency response by JCPH. The term of the agreement is from April 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022.

ANALYSIS/STRATEGIC GOALS/PRO'S and CON'S:

This agreement uses grant funds to support some of JCPH's emergency response staff to attend training workshops and rewrite JCPH's current Emergency Response Plan. This funding will also directly impact residents of Jefferson County by obtaining a limited amount of emergency supplies and distributing them (at no cost) into the community at the Annual All County Picnic. Remaining funds will be used to purchase emergency response supplies for JCPH.

FISCAL IMPACT/COST BENEFIT ANALYSIS:

This agreement is to provide additional support and supplies for JCPH's emergency response. This program is financed in full by a NACCHO grant.

RECOMMENDATION:

JCPH management requests BOCC signature for an Agreement with NACCHO for a grant to support workforce capacity and emergency response by JCPH; April 1, 2022 - December 31, 2022; \$35,000

REVIEWED BY:

Mark McCauley, County Administrator

Date

Environmental Public Health 360-385-9444 (f) 360-379-4487

CONTRACTOR AGREEMENT

This Contractor Agreement is entered into, effective as of the date of the later signature indicated below, by and between the **National Association of County and City Health Officials** (hereinafter referred to as "NACCHO"), with its principal place of business at 1201 (I) Eye Street NW 4th Fl., Washington, DC 20005, and **County of Jefferson through Jefferson County dba Jefferson County Public Health** (hereinafter referred to as "Contractor"), with its principal place of business at 615 Sheridan Street, Port Townsend, WA 98368.

WHEREAS, NACCHO wishes to hire Contractor to provide certain goods and/or services to NACCHO;

WHEREAS, Contractor wishes to provide such goods and/or services to NACCHO;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties, intending to be legally bound, do hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE I: SPECIAL PROVISIONS

- 1. <u>PURPOSE OF AGREEMENT</u>: Contractor agrees to provide the goods and/or services to NACCHO to enhance the programmatic activities of CDC GRANT # 6NU38OT000306-03-06, CFDA # 93.421, as described in Attachment I. The terms of Attachment I shall be incorporated into this Agreement as if fully set forth herein. Contractor shall act at all times in a professional manner consistent with the standards of the industry.
- 2. TERM OF AGREEMENT: The term of the Agreement shall begin on April 1, 2022, and shall continue in effect until December 31, 2022, unless earlier terminated in accordance with the terms herein. NACCHO has been approved through "Expanded Authority" to temporarily continue programmatic activities of CDC GRANT #6NU38OT000306-03-06, while waiting for CDC's acceptance and approval, in compliance with applicable guidance, federal rules and regulations. NACCHO reserves the right to exercise clause 6 of this Agreement, when requested by its Primary Funder. Expiration of the term or termination of this Agreement shall not extinguish any rights or obligations of the parties that have accrued prior thereto. The term of this Agreement may be extended by mutual agreement of the parties.
- 3. <u>PAYMENT FOR SERVICES</u>: In consideration for professional services to be performed, NACCHO agrees to pay Contractor an amount not to exceed \$ 35,000.00. All payments will be made within 30 days of receipt of invoice(s) from Contractor and following approval by NACCHO for approved services, as outlined on Attachment I. An invoice must be submitted as follows:

Invoice No.	Amount	Deliverable	Due date
Invoice I	\$19,825.00	 Attendance recorded by NACCHO and Slide from Kick-off call (\$1,250.00) Record of participation in site training needs assessment (\$1,250.00) Attendance recorded by NACCHO from in initial individual TA session (\$2,250.00) Attendance recorded by NACCHO from one (1) training workshop (\$2,250.00) Draft of administrative preparedness plan or section of plan (\$2,250.00) Completed Short term interim Progress Report (\$8,500.00) Record of completion of evaluation activities (\$2,075.00) 	April 1 to July 31, 2022
Invoice II	\$15,175.00	 Attendance recorded by NACCHO from two (2) training workshops (\$4,500.00) Attendance recorded by NACCHO from project wrap up call (\$1,250.00) Administrative preparedness plan or plan section (\$3,800.00) Final report slide (\$1,250.00) Record of completion of required evaluation activities (\$4,375.00) 	August 1 to December 31, 2022 Note: Funding is contingent upon NACCHO receiving approval from CDC for a no-cost extension. NACCHO will issue a contract modification on/around July 2022 to extend the period of performance and allocate additional funds.

NACCHO award number must be included on all invoices. <u>Unless otherwise</u> expressly stated in this Agreement, all amounts specified in, and all payments to be made under, this Agreement shall be in United States Dollars. The parties agree that payment method shall be made by check, via postage-paid first class mail, at the address for the giving of notices as set forth in Section 23 of this Agreement. Any changes of payment method would require a modification signed by both parties. The final invoice must be received by NACCHO no later than 15 days after the end date of the Agreement. Contractor will be given an opportunity to revise as needed but the final revised invoice must be received no later than 30 days after the end date of the Agreement. NACCHO will not accept any invoices past 30 days of the end date of the Agreement.

ARTICLE II: GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 1. <u>INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR</u>: Contractor shall act as an independent contractor, and Contractor shall not be entitled to any benefits to which NACCHO employees may be entitled.
- 2. <u>PAYMENT OF TAXES AND OTHER LEVIES</u>: Contractor shall be exclusively responsible for reporting and payment of all income tax payments, unemployment insurance, worker's compensation insurance, social security obligations, and similar taxes and levies.
- 3. <u>LIABILITY</u>: All liability to third parties, loss, or damage as a result of claims, demands, costs, or judgments arising out of activities, such as direct service delivery, to be carried out by the Contractor in the performance of this agreement shall be the responsibility of the Contractor, and not the responsibility of NACCHO, if the liability, loss, or damage is caused by, or arises out of, the actions of failure to act on the part of the Contractor, any subcontractor, anyone directly or indirectly employed by the Contractor.

All liability to third parties, loss, or damage as result of claims, demands, costs, or judgments arising out of activities, such as the provision of policy and procedural direction, to be carried out by NACCHO in the performance of this agreement shall be the responsibility of NACCHO, and not the responsibility of the Contractor, if the liability, loss, or damage is caused by, or arises out of, the action or failure to act on the part of any NACCHO employee.

In the event that liability to third parties, loss, or damage arises as a result of activities conducted jointly by the Contractor and NACCHO in fulfillment of their responsibilities under this agreement, such liability, loss, or damage shall be borne by the Contractor and NACCHO in relation to each party's responsibilities under these joint activities.

- 4. <u>REVISIONS AND AMENDMENTS</u>: Any revisions or amendments to this Agreement must be made in writing and signed by both parties.
- 5. <u>ASSIGNMENT</u>: Without prior written consent of NACCHO, Contractor may not assign this Agreement nor delegate any duties herein.
- 6. <u>CONTINGENCY CLAUSE</u>: This Agreement is subject to the terms of any agreement between NACCHO and its Primary Funder and in particular may be terminated by NACCHO without penalty or further obligation if the Primary Funder terminates, suspends or materially reduces its funding for any reason. Additionally, the payment obligations of NACCHO under this Agreement are subject to the timely fulfillment by the Primary Funder of its funding obligations to NACCHO.
- 7. <u>INTERFERING CONDITIONS</u>: Contractor shall promptly and fully notify NACCHO of any condition that interferes with, or threatens to interfere with, the successful carrying out of Contractor's duties and responsibilities under this Agreement, or the accomplishment of the purposes thereof. Such notice shall not relieve Contractor of said duties and responsibilities

under this Agreement.

- 8. OWNERSHIP OF MATERIALS: Contractor hereby transfers and assigns to NACCHO all right, title and interest (including copyright rights) in and to all materials created or developed by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement, including, without limitation, reports, summaries, articles, pictures and art (collectively, the "Materials") (subject to any licensed third-party rights retained therein). Contractor shall inform NACCHO in writing of any third-party rights retained within the Materials and the terms of all license agreements to use any materials owned by others. Contractor understands and agrees that Contractor shall retain no rights to the Materials and shall assist NACCHO, upon reasonable request, with respect to the protection and/or registrability of the Materials. Contractor represents and warrants that, unless otherwise stated to NACCHO in writing, the Materials shall be original works and shall not infringe or violate the rights of any third party or violate any law. The obligations of this paragraph are subject to any applicable requirements of the Federal funding agency.
- 9. RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES: The parties shall use their best, good faith efforts to cooperatively resolve disputes and problems that arise in connection with this Agreement. Both parties will make a good faith effort to continue without delay to carry out their respective responsibilities under the Agreement while attempting to resolve the dispute under this section. If a dispute arises between the parties that cannot be resolved by direct negotiation, the dispute shall be submitted to a dispute board for a nonbinding determination. Members of the dispute board shall be the Director or Chief Executive Officer of the Contractor, the Chief Executive Officer of NACCHO, and the Senior Staff of NACCHO responsible for this Agreement. The costs of the dispute board shall be paid by the Contractor and NACCHO in relation to the actual costs incurred by each of the parties. The dispute board shall timely review the facts, Agreement terms and applicable law and rules, and make its determination. If such efforts fail to resolve the differences, the disputes will be submitted to arbitration in the District of Columbia before a single arbitrator in accordance with the then current rules of the American Arbitration Association. The arbitration award shall be final and binding upon the parties and judgment may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction.
- 10. <u>TERMINATION</u>: Either party may terminate this Agreement upon at least fifteen (15) days prior written notice to the other party. NACCHO will pay Contractor for services rendered through the date of termination.
- 11. <u>ENTIRE AGREEMENT</u>: This Agreement contains all agreements, representations, and understandings of the parties regarding the subject matter hereof and supersedes and replaces any and all previous understandings, commitments, or agreements, whether oral or written, regarding such subject matter.
- 12. <u>PARTIAL INVALIDITY</u>: If any part, term, or provision of this Agreement shall be held void, illegal, unenforceable, or in conflict with any law, such part, term or provision shall be restated in accordance with applicable law to best reflect the intentions of the parties and the remaining portions or provisions shall remain in full force and effect and shall not be affected.

- 13. <u>GOVERNING LAW</u>: This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the District of Columbia (without regard to its conflict of law's provisions).
- 14. <u>ADDITIONAL FUNDING:</u> Unless prior written authorization is received from NACCHO, no additional funds will be allocated to this project for work performed beyond the scope specified or time frame cited in this Agreement.
- 15. <u>REMEDIES FOR MISTAKES</u>: If work that is prepared by the Contractor contains errors or misinformation, the Contractor will correct error(s) within five business days. The Contractor will not charge NACCHO for the time it takes to rectify the situation.
- 16. COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS: Contractor's use of funds under this Agreement is subject to the directives of and full compliance with 2 CFR Part 200 (Uniform Administrative Requirements, Costs Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards), and 45 C.F.R. Part 75 (Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for HHS Awards), It is the Contractor's responsibility to understand and comply with all requirements set forth therein.
- 17. <u>EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:</u> Pursuant to 2 CFR 200 Subpart D, Contractor will comply with E.O. 11246, "Equal Employment Opportunity," as amended by E.O. 11375, "Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity," and as supplemented by regulations at 41 C.F.R. part 60, "Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor."
- 18. <u>DEBARRED OR SUSPENDED CONTRACTORS:</u> Pursuant to Executive Order 12549 and Executive Order 12689 entitled "Debarment and Suspension" and 2 CFR 180, Organization certifies to the best of its knowledge that it is not presently debarred or suspended and will execute no subcontract with parties listed on the General Services Administration's List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement or Non-procurement Programs.
- 19. <u>LOBBYING RESTRICTIONS AND DISCLOSURES:</u> Pursuant to 2 CFR 200 Subpart E, Contractor hereby certifies that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Contractor will also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award.
- 20. <u>SALARY LIMITATION</u>: Pursuant to CDC Additional Requirement 32: Appropriation Act, General Provisions, cap on Salaries (Division H, Title II, General Provisions, Sec. 202): None of the funds appropriated in this Agreement shall be used to pay the salary of an individual, through a grant or other extramural mechanism, at a rate in excess of Executive Level II. Note: The salary rate limitation does not restrict the salary that an organization may pay an individual

working under an HHS contract or order; it merely limits the portion of that salary that may be paid with federal funds.

- 21. <u>COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS:</u> Pursuant to 2 CFR 200 Subpart F, Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401 et seq.) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.).
- 22. <u>WHISTLEBLOWER PROTECTION:</u> Pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 4712 employees of a contractor, subcontractor, or subrecipient will not be discharged, demoted, or otherwise discriminated against as reprisal for "whistleblowing."
- 23. EXECUTION AND DELIVERY: This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which together shall constitute one and the same Agreement. The counterparts of this Agreement and all Ancillary Documents may be executed and delivered by facsimile or electronic mail by any of the parties to any other party and the receiving party may rely on the receipt of such document so executed and delivered by facsimile or electronic mail as if the original had been received.
- 24. <u>NOTICE</u>: All notices, including invoices, required to be delivered to the other party pursuant to this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be sent via facsimile, with a copy sent via US mail, postage prepaid, to the parties at the addresses set forth below. Either party may send a notice to the other party, pursuant to this provision, to change the address to which notices shall be sent.

FOR NACCHO:

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FOR CONTRACTOR:

County of Jefferson through Jefferson County dba Jefferson County Public Health Attn: Bonnie Obremski Web & Digital Communications Specialist 615 Sheridan Street, Port Townsend, WA 98368 Tel. (360) 379-4478 Fax (360) 385-9401

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the persons signing below warrant that they are duly authorized to sign for and on behalf of, the respective parties.

AGREED AND ACCEPTED AS ABOVE:

NACCHO:	JEFFERSON COUNTY WASHINGTON
By:	By:
Name: Jerome Chester	Name: Heidi Eisenhour
Title: Chief Financial Officer	Title: Chair, Board of County Commissioners
Date:	Date:
	Federal Tax ID No.: 91-6001322 DUNS No.: 184-826-790
	Approved as to form only: November 7, 2022 Philip C. Hunsucker, Date
	Chief Civil Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY AND CITY HEALTH OFFICIALS CONTRACTOR AGREEMENT – ATTACHMENT I

Awardee Recipient: Jefferson County Health Department

Initial Period of Performance: April 1, 2022 – July 31, 2022

SCOPE OF WORK

Invoice Period	Activities	Deliverables	Amount
	Participate in site training and TA (TTA) needs assessment	Attendance recorded by NACCHO and Slide from Kick- off call	\$1,250
	Participation in initial individual/subcohort TA session	Record of participation in site training needs assessment	\$1,250
	Participate in initial meeting with TA provider to discuss administrative preparedness plan	Attendance recorded by NACCHO from in initial individual TA session	\$2,250
Invoice #1: April 1 to	Participation in one (1) training workshop*	Attendance recorded by NACCHO from one (1) training workshop	\$2,250
(Initial Contract)	Draft administrative preparedness plan or plan section	Draft of administrative preparedness plan or section of plan	\$2,250
	Interim Progress Report	Completed Short Interim Progress Report	\$8,500
	Participate in evaluation activities (April 1-July 31)	Record of completion of evaluation activities	\$2,075
	Invoice #1 Amount:		
Invoice Period	Activities	Deliverables	Amount
Invoice #2: August 1 to December 31, 2022 Note: Funding is contingent upon NACCHO receiving approval from CDC for a no-cost extension. NACCHO will issue a contract modification on/around July 2022 to extend the period of performance	Participation in two (2) training workshops*	Attendance recorded by NACCHO from two (2) training workshops	\$4,500
	Project wrap-up call	Attendance recorded by NACCHO from project wrap-up call	\$1,250
	Final administrative preparedness plan or plan section	Administrative preparedness plan or plan section	\$3,800
	Final Report slide	Final Report slide	\$1,250
	Participate in evaluation activities (August 1-December 31)	Record of completion of required evaluation activities	\$4,375
and allocate add'l funds.	Invoice #2 Amount	\$15,175	

^{*}Note: Please be advised your LHD is required to complete 3 (of 5) training workshops. For the purposes of this invoice schedule, NACCHO has designated one workshop to be completed in the first invoice schedule and two in the second invoice schedule. If your LHD decides to complete required workshops in another invoice cycle, NACCHO will adjust invoice payments accordingly. Please note, that as there are 2 elective workshops available during the project period, it is also possible to attend 2 workshops during the first invoice period, but only invoice for one if you would like to keep the payment cycle as is.

CERTIFICATION OF NON-DEBARMENT OR SUSPENSION

In accordance with Executive Order 12549 and Executive Order 12689, entitled Debarment and Suspension, and any applicable implementing regulations, this certification must be completed by the Organization:

- 1. Under penalty of perjury, except as noted below, all persons or firms or any person associated therewith in the capacity of owner, partner, director, officer, or manager:
 - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency.
 - b. Have not, within the three (3) year period preceding this certification, 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 listed in subparagraph (1)(b) of this certification; and
 - d. Have not, within the three (3) year period preceding this certification, had one or more public transactions (Federal, state, or local) terminated for cause or default.
 - e. Will not subcontract with parties listed on the General Services Administration's List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement or Non-procurement Programs
- 2. If such persons or firms later become aware of any information contradicting the statements of paragraph (1), they will promptly provide that information to NACCHO.

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED CERTIFYING OFFICIAL	TITLE
ORGANIZATION	DATE SIGNED
County of Jefferson through Jefferson County dba Jefferson County Public Health	