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Owner/Lessor: OKALOOSA COUNTY

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Description of: ARPA SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT FOR HEALING PAWS

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This subrecipient agreement is approved for legal purposes.

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For your review, these are all the items since our previous upload to the shared file links. I have updated the checklist with notes.

Thank you,  
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**AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT CORONAVIRUS STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL  
RECOVERY FUND (ARPA) SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN OKALOOSA  
COUNTY AND HEALING PAWS FOR WARRIORS, INC.**

1. Subrecipient name (which must match the name associated with its unique entity identifier and IRS Form W-9): Healing Paws for Warriors, Inc.
2. Subrecipient's Unique Entity Identifier (UEI): EQPRG64EMEK8
3. Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN): SLFRP0029
4. Federal Award Date (see 2 C.F.R. § 200.001 "Federal award date") from Federal agency to the recipient (Okaloosa County): May 11, 2021
5. Subaward Period of Performance:  

Start Date: Full execution of this Agreement  
End Date: on or before December 31, 2024
6. Amount of Federal Funds Obligated by this action: \$50,000.00
7. Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated to the Subrecipient: \$50,000.00
8. Total Amount of the Federal Award Subject to this Agreement: \$ 40,933,386.00.
9. Federal award project description: Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund
10. Name of Federal awarding agency, pass-through entity and contact information for awarding official:  

Federal Awarding Agency – U.S. Department of the Treasury  
Pass Through Entity – Okaloosa County  
Contact Information for Awarding Official of Pass-Through Entity-  
John Hofstad, County Administrator  
1250 North Eglin Parkway, Ste 102  
Shalimar, FL 32579  
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11. Assistance Listing number and Title: 21.027
12. Identification of whether the award is for research and development (R&D): No
13. Indirect cost rate for the Federal award (including whether the de minimis rate is charged per 2 C.F.R. § 200.414 "Indirect (F&A) costs"): None

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**ARPA ACT SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN OKALOOSA COUNTY AND  
HEALING PAWS FOR WARRIORS, INC.**

**THIS ARPA ACT SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENT** (hereinafter referred to as “Agreement”) is entered into by and between **OKALOOSA COUNTY**, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, whose primary address is 1250 Eglin Parkway, Shalimar, FL 32579 (hereinafter referred to as the “County”) and **HEALING PAWS FOR WARRIORS, INC.**, whose address is 109 Hughes St, NE. Fort Walton Beach, FL 32548-4455 (hereinafter referred to as “Subrecipient”), to provide for the sub-award of financial assistance to Subrecipient made available through certain ARPA Act Funding Agreement between the County and the United States Department of Treasury (hereinafter referred to as “U.S. TREASURY”). Collectively, the County and the Subrecipient shall be referred to as “Parties” or individually as a “Party.”

WHEREAS, the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (“COVID-19”) is an infectious acute respiratory illness capable of spreading rapidly among humans and capable of causing severe illness and death; and

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 a pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on or about March 11, 2021, the President of the United States signed into law the *American Rescue Plan Act*, Public Law 117-2, (hereinafter referred to as the “ARPA Act”) to facilitate the provision of federal assistance and relief in response to the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the ARPA Act establishes the “Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund” and appropriated billion in such fund to provide direct assistance to state, tribal, territorial, and local governments to fund certain necessary and allowable expenses incurred due to the public health emergency, negative economic impacts, revenue loss and/or certain infrastructure needed with respect to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, Okaloosa County was issued a direct allocation as a recipient from the United States Department of Treasury in the amount of \$40,933,386.00 to be obligated in accordance with the permissible uses of the act no later than December 31, 2024 and all funds expended no later than December 31, 2026; and

WHEREAS, on or about May 11, 2021 the County and U.S. Treasury entered into a grant agreement providing the County with its direct allocation and pursuant to which the County may provide for the sub-award of such funds to eligible subrecipients, including Subrecipient; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this Agreement is to provide for a sub-award of financial assistance obtained by County under Grant No. SLFRP0029 with U.S. Treasury to assist Subrecipient with funding such necessary expenses incurred due to the COVID-19 public health emergency and or negative economic impacts as are described in this Agreement and the attachments hereto, subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the promises and the mutual benefits to be derived here from, the County and the Subrecipient do hereby agree as follows:

**SECTION 1. RECITALS.**

The above recitals are true and correct and are hereby incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Agreement.

**SECTION 2. GENERAL.**

In performing under this Agreement, the Subrecipient does hereby agree to fully comply with the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement and all attachments and exhibits hereto, ARPA Funding Agreement No. SLFRP0029, attached hereto as **Attachment A**, and any amendments thereto (collectively, such agreements shall hereinafter be referred to as the “ARPA Agreements”), State and Local Fiscal Recovery Act, Section 602(b) and 603(b) of the Social Security Act as added by section 9901 of the American Rescue Plan Act, and all implementing rules, regulations, and guidance related to same, the Subrecipient Expenditure Plan attached hereto as **Attachment B** applicable to Subrecipient’s use of funds under this Agreement (hereinafter the “SEP”), and all other applicable federal, state, and local laws, rules, regulations, and guidance.

**SECTION 3. TERM.**

A. This Agreement shall begin upon execution by both Parties (the “Effective Date”) and shall remain in effect until December 31, 2024 (the “Termination Date”) unless terminated earlier in accordance with Section 10 hereof, except that the provisions contained within Sections 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, and 26 shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

B. The Subrecipient shall be eligible to receive funding for eligible and allowable costs (as defined in Section 4 hereof) from the effective date of this Agreement through the Termination Date or when all funds are expended, whichever comes earlier (the “Covered Period”).

C. All references to days herein shall refer to calendar days unless otherwise indicated.

**SECTION 4. ALLOCATION; ELIGIBLE COSTS; SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION; PROCESSING OF REIMBURSEMENT REQUESTS.**

A. Allocation. Upon Subrecipient’s expenditure of completion of a calendar month of its allocation as described herein, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, the County shall pay the Subrecipient, on a cost reimbursement basis, up to a maximum of \$50,000.00 under this Agreement to implement the projects and/or activities described in the SEP. It is understood and agreed that any additional funds necessary in connection with the projects and/or activities described in the SEP above and beyond this amount are the sole responsibility of the Subrecipient. Advance payment of funds to the Subrecipient under this Agreement shall not be permitted unless expressly described in the SEP.



B. Reimbursement shall be requested through the County’s Office of Management and Budget’s Grants Administration Office via email to the Grant Contact as identified in Section 16 in this Agreement. To be eligible for reimbursement under this Agreement, Subrecipient shall submit sufficient documentation to the satisfaction of the County demonstrating that Subrecipient is legally obligated to pay the costs for which reimbursement is sought. All reimbursement requests must include a certification, signed by an official who is authorized to legally bind the Subrecipient, that reads as follows:

By signing this report, I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the report is true, complete, and accurate, and the expenditures, disbursements and cash receipts are for the purposes and objectives set forth in the terms and conditions of the Federal award. I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent information, or the omission of any material fact, may subject me to criminal, civil or administrative penalties for fraud, false statements, false claims or otherwise. (U.S. Code Title 18, Section 1001 and Title 31, Sections 3729–3730 and 3801–3812).

C. All requests for reimbursement under this Agreement shall be submitted in detail sufficient for a proper pre-audit and post-audit thereof. All costs must be incurred on or before December 31, 2024, and a final payment request should be submitted to the County no later than such date to ensure the County and U.S. TREASURY have adequate time to process the request. For a cost to have been considered “incurred,” performance or delivery must occur during the Covered Period but payment of funds need not be made during that time (though payment shall occur within 90 days of a cost being incurred). For instance, in the case of a lease of equipment or other property, irrespective of when payment occurs, the cost of a lease payment shall be considered to have been incurred for the period of the lease that is within the Covered Period, but not otherwise. Furthermore, in all cases it must be necessary that performance or delivery take place during the Covered Period.

D. The County requires detailed documentation of all costs for which reimbursement is sought under this Agreement (“Supporting Documentation”). The minimum requirements regarding such Supporting Documentation are set forth in **Attachment C, Supporting Documentation Requirements**. Each payment request submitted by the Subrecipient shall be accompanied by sufficient Supporting Documentation substantiating all costs incurred and for which reimbursement is sought, to the satisfaction of the County. In the event the County, in its sole discretion, determines the Supporting Documentation submitted by the Subrecipient is insufficient to enable it to evaluate the allowability and eligibility of costs, the Subrecipient shall furnish additional Supporting Documentation to the satisfaction of the County.

E. Processing of Reimbursement Requests. No more frequently than once every month, the Subrecipient may request reimbursement from the County for costs incurred under this Agreement for which the Subrecipient is legally obligated to pay. All payment requests shall be submitted by email to the Grant Contact by the 15<sup>th</sup> calendar day of the month following the expenditure month ending date and shall be accompanied by sufficient Supporting Documentation (collectively the Payment Request Form and any Supporting Documentation shall hereinafter be

referred to as the "Payment Request"). Additionally, at the time of each Payment Request, Subrecipient shall submit a "Progress Report" utilizing a form provided by the County, which shall describe the nature of the projects and/or activities being funded.

F. Within ten (10) days after receipt of the Payment Request, the County shall, in its sole discretion, determine if the Payment Request, or any portion thereof, is acceptable and in strict compliance with the terms of this Agreement. If it is determined there are any errors in the Payment Request or if additional Supporting Documentation is required, the County shall notify the Subrecipient within fifteen (15) days of receipt of such Payment Request. The Subrecipient shall submit a revised Payment Request within ten (10) days of receipt of notice from the County. The County reserves the right to delay or deny any Payment Request containing errors or lacking sufficient Supporting Documentation until such deficiencies are corrected to the satisfaction of the County.

G. Upon determination by the County that the Payment Request is sufficient, the County shall initiate the reimbursement process and the County shall remit such funds to the Subrecipient through the Clerk of Court Finance Department.

#### **SECTION 5. ACCOUNTING; DUPLICATION OF BENEFIT.**

F. Accounting. Subrecipient's accounting and financial management system shall be sufficient to permit the preparation of reports required in connection with this Agreement and the tracing of funds to a level of expenditures adequate to establish that such funds have been used pursuant to the terms of this Agreement. All payments to Subrecipient contemplated under this Agreement may be contingent upon certification of the Subrecipient's financial management system in accordance with this requirement. Subrecipient must ensure that all sub-subrecipients comply with the provisions of this paragraph.

G. Duplication of Benefit. Subrecipient hereby certifies and affirms that the projects and/or activities to be funded under this Agreement shall not result in a prohibited duplication of the benefits obtained by Subrecipient, any sub-sub recipient (as defined in 2 C.F.R. §§ 200.92-93), or any individual or entity that is a beneficiary of such projects and/or activities from other Non-Title V ARPA Act programs, other local, state, or federal funding sources (e.g. the Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, etc.), private insurance, or other private organizations. It is Subrecipient's responsibility and obligation to implement processes and procedures to select and subsequently monitor all sub-subrecipients, individuals, and entities receiving funds under this Agreement to ensure compliance with this paragraph. All agreements entered into between Subrecipient and any sub-subrecipient, individual, or entity providing for the subaward or payment of funds under this Agreement shall contain provisions permitting the Subrecipient to recapture funds provided under this Agreement in the event an impermissible duplication of benefit is discovered. Subrecipient acknowledges and agrees that it has an affirmative obligation to promptly identify and report any duplication of benefits to the County. In the event that the Subrecipient recovers costs incurred under this Agreement and reimbursed by the County from another source, the Subrecipient shall reimburse the County for all recovered funds originally provided under this Agreement. Interest on any refund shall be calculated based on the prevailing rate used by the State Board of Administration. Interest shall be calculated from

the date(s) the payment(s) are recovered by the Subrecipient to the date repayment is made to the County by the Subrecipient.

**SECTION 6. PAYMENTS TO SUBRECIPIENT SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS.**

The County's performance and obligation to pay Subrecipient under this Agreement is expressly contingent upon the County's actual receipt of applicable funding from U.S. TREASURY. Authorization for continuation and completion of the projects and/or activities described in the SEP and payment associated therewith may be rescinded by the County at its discretion, upon proper notice to Subrecipient, if the funding contemplated under this Agreement is reduced or eliminated.

**SECTION 7. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.**

A. Financial and Performance Reports. The Reimbursement Request package will act as the Financial Report. At the same interval as the Reimbursement Request, Subrecipient shall submit a performance report related to this Agreement and Subrecipient's implementation of the projects and/or activities funded under same on form provided in **Attachment C**. The Performance Report will be submitted by email to the Grant Contacts at the same time as the Reimbursement Request.

B. Final Project Report. Within twenty (20) days following the Termination Date, Subrecipient shall submit a "Final Project Report," on a form in **Attachment C**, in which the Subrecipient shall describe the status of the Subrecipient's implementation of the projects and/or activities described in the SEP. The Final Project Report shall further include an accounting of all costs and expenses incurred by Subrecipient and such other information as the County deems necessary to facilitate close out of the U.S. TREASURY Agreements and permit the County to meet all of its obligations and requirements under same.

C. If the direct and/or indirect purchase of equipment is authorized under Section 18 of this Agreement, then the Subrecipient shall comply with the property management requirements set forth in 2 C.F.R. § 200.313.

D. Reporting on Real Property. In accordance with 2 C.F.R. § 200.329, The Subrecipient shall complete and submit to the County a report on the status of the real property or interest in real property in which the federal government retains an interest, using a SF-429 Real Property Status Report form within twenty (20) days following the Termination Date and thereafter at successive five year intervals until the end of the Estimated Useful Life of the property or time of disposition, whichever is less. All reports shall be submitted within twenty (20) days of the end of the year for which the report is made.

E. Funding Accountability and Transparency Act. Because of the federal funds awarded under this Agreement, the County must comply with the Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006 ("FFATA"). FFATA requires that information on federal awards (federal financial assistance and expenditures) be made available to the public via a single,

searchable website, www.USASpending.gov. Grant recipients awarded a new Federal grant greater than or equal to \$25,000 awarded on or after October 1, 2010, are subject to FFATA. The Subrecipient agrees assist the County in providing the information necessary, over the life of this Agreement, for the County to comply with its reporting obligations under FFATA.

F. Nonconsumable and/or nonexpendable personal property or equipment that costs \$1,000 or more purchased by Subrecipient is subject to the requirements set forth in Chapter 274, F.S., Chapter 69I-73, F.A.C., and 2 C.F.R. Part 200 (for equipment in excess of \$5,000), as applicable. The Subrecipient shall be responsible for maintaining appropriate property records for any subcontracts that include the purchase of equipment as part of the delivery of services. The Subrecipient shall comply with this requirement and ensure its subcontracts issued under this Agreement, if any, impose this requirement, in writing, on its subcontractors.

#### **SECTION 8. INDEMNIFICATION.**

To the fullest extent permitted by law, Subrecipient shall indemnify, defend (by counsel reasonably acceptable to the County) protect and hold the County, and its officers, employees, contractors, and agents, free and harmless from and against any and all claims, actions, causes of action, liabilities, penalties, forfeitures, damages, losses and expenses (including, without limitation, attorney's fees and costs during negotiation, through litigation and all appeals therefrom), or death of or injury to any person or damage to any property whatsoever, arising out of or resulting from this Agreement or Subrecipient's performance of the projects and/or activities contemplated in the SEP. It is specifically agreed by and between the Parties that, in accordance with section 768.28 Florida Statutes, neither Party waives any defense of sovereign immunity.

#### **SECTION 9. DEFAULT; TERMINATION; FORCE MAJEURE.**

##### **A. Termination for Cause.**

1. By County. The County may terminate this Agreement for cause at any time if any covenant, warranty, or representation made by Subrecipient in this Agreement, the SEP, or in any application materials for funding submitted to the County in connection with this Agreement shall at any time be false or misleading in any respect, or in the event of the failure of the Subrecipient to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Prior to termination, the County shall provide fifteen (15) days written notice of its intent to terminate and shall provide the Subrecipient an opportunity to consult with the County regarding the reason(s) for termination.

2. By Subrecipient. Subrecipient may terminate this Agreement for cause at any time if the County fails to fulfill any of its responsibilities or obligations under this Agreement. Prior to termination, Subrecipient shall provide fifteen (15) days written notice of its intent to terminate setting forth the reasons for such termination, and shall provide the County an opportunity to consult with the Subrecipient regarding the reasons for termination.

B. Termination for Convenience. This Agreement may be terminated for convenience upon mutual agreement of the Parties. In such event, both Parties shall enter into a separate

agreement governing the termination conditions, including, but not limited to, the effective date thereof.

C. Force Majeure. If a force majeure event occurs that causes delays or the reasonable likelihood of delay in the fulfillment of the requirements of this Agreement, the Subrecipient shall promptly notify the County in writing of the anticipated length and cause of the delay, the measures taken or to be taken to minimize the delay and the Subrecipient's intended timetable for implementation of such measures. If the Parties agree that the delay or anticipated delay was caused, or will be caused by a force majeure, the County may, at its discretion, extend the time for performance under this Agreement for a period of time equal to the delay resulting from the force majeure upon execution of an amendment to this Agreement. Such agreement shall be evidenced by an Amendment to the Agreement in accordance with Section 24 hereof. For purposes of this Agreement, "force majeure event" shall be defined as shall be an act of God, strike, lockout, or other industrial disturbance, act of the public enemy, war, blockade, public riot, lightning, fire, flood, explosion, failure to receive timely necessary third party approvals through no fault of the Subrecipient, and any other cause, whether of the kind specifically enumerated herein or otherwise, that is not reasonably within the control of the Subrecipient and/or the County. Failure to perform by the Subrecipient's consultant(s) or subcontractor(s) shall not constitute a force majeure event.

D. Effect of Termination. Costs incurred by the Subrecipient after termination of this Agreement shall not be reimbursable unless expressly authorized by the County prior to the effective date of termination.

#### **SECTION 10. REMEDIES; FINANCIAL CONSEQUENCES.**

A. In the event that a task, deliverable, or activity to be performed under this Agreement is deemed unsatisfactory by the County, the Subrecipient shall re-perform same, at no additional cost to the County, within twenty (20) days of being notified of the unsatisfactory task, deliverable, or activity, or within such other timeframe as is specified in writing by the County. If such task, deliverable, or activity is not satisfactorily performed within the specified timeframe, the County may, in its sole discretion, terminate this Agreement for cause in accordance with Section 10 hereof.

B. If the Subrecipient materially fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, including any federal or state statutes, rules, policies, or regulations, applicable to this Agreement, the County may, in its sole discretion; take one or more of the following actions:

1. Temporarily withhold cash payments to the Subrecipient pending correction of the deficiency by the Subrecipient or more severe enforcement action by the County or U.S. TREASURY.
2. Disallow (i.e. deny both use of funds and any applicable matching credit for) all or part of the cost of the activity or action not in compliance.
3. Wholly or partly suspend or terminate this Agreement.

4. Initiate suspension or debarment proceedings as authorized under 2 C.F.R. Part 180 or other applicable federal regulations (or recommend such a proceeding be initiated by U.S. TREASURY or the Department of the Treasury).

5. Withhold future requests for reimbursement to Subrecipient under any other Agreement between the Parties providing for the subaward of funds from the Coronavirus Relief Fund.

6. Demand a refund, either in whole or in part, of the funds provided to the Subrecipient under this Agreement for non-compliance with the material terms of this Agreement. The Subrecipient, upon such written notification from the County shall refund, and shall forthwith pay to the County, the amount of money demanded by the County. Interest on any refund shall be calculated based on the prevailing rate used by the State Board of Administration. Interest shall be calculated from the date(s) the original payment(s) are received from the County by the Subrecipient to the date repayment is made by the Subrecipient to the County.

7. Take any other remedy that may be available to the County at law or equity.

8. Costs of the Subrecipient resulting from obligations incurred by the Subrecipient during a suspension or after termination of the Agreement are not allowable unless the County expressly authorizes them in the notice of suspension or termination. Other Subrecipient costs during suspension or after termination that are necessary and not reasonably avoidable are allowable if the following apply:

a. The costs result from obligations which were properly incurred by the Subrecipient before the effective date of suspension or termination, are not in anticipation of it, and in the case of termination, are non-cancellable; and

b. The cost would be allowable if the Agreement were not suspended or expired normally at the end of the funding period in which the termination takes place.

C. ARPA Act-Specific Remedies for Noncompliance. In addition to the remedies available in the paragraphs above, the Subrecipient is subject to any ARPA Act-specific remedies for noncompliance outlined in the ARPA Act and any implementing laws, rules, regulations, and guidance.

D. Federal Clawbacks. In the event U.S. Department of the Treasury, or such other state or federal entity having jurisdiction at any time demands the return of funds paid to Subrecipient pursuant to this Agreement following a state or federal audit or otherwise for any reason, including but not limited to situations where costs paid with such funds were determined to be ineligible or unallowable, Subrecipient shall be solely liable for any such amounts and shall return the full amount of the funds in question to the County promptly upon demand. If Subrecipient fails to comply with its obligation to return funds pursuant to this Section, the County may withhold future requests for reimbursement to Subrecipient under this Agreement or any other Agreement between the Parties providing for the subaward of Coronavirus Relief Funds or pursue any other remedy described in subsection (B) above or available at law or in equity.

E. The Parties acknowledge and agree that the remedies provided in this Section 10 are separate and apart from the indemnification provisions set forth in Section 8 hereof and that sovereign immunity shall not be a defense to any of the contractual obligations imposed on the Parties in this Section.

#### **SECTION 11. AUDITS; MONITORING.**

A. In the event that the Subrecipient expends Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$750,000.00) or more in Federal awards in its fiscal year, the Subrecipient must have a single or program-specific audit conducted within nine (9) months of the end of the Subrecipient's audit period, in accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200. In determining the Federal awards expended in its fiscal year, the Subrecipient shall consider all sources of Federal awards, including Federal financial assistance received from the County under this Agreement. The determination of amounts of Federal awards expended should be in accordance with the guidelines established by 2 C.F.R. Part 200. An audit of the Subrecipient conducted by the Auditor General in accordance with the provision of 2 C.F.R. Part 200 will meet the requirements of this part.

B. If the Subrecipient expends less than Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$750,000.00) in Federal awards in its fiscal year, an audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, as revised, is not required for that year, except as noted in 2 C.F.R. § 200.503. In the event that the Subrecipient expends less than Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$750,000.00) in Federal awards in its fiscal year and elects to have an audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of 2 C.F.R. Part 200, as revised, the cost of the audit must be paid from non-Federal resources. In accordance with 2 C.F.R. § 200.501(d), records must be available for review or audit by appropriate officials of U.S. TREASURY, the County, the Department of the Treasury, and the U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO).

C. Upon completion of the audit required in this Section, Subrecipient shall promptly transmit a copy of the Subrecipient's audit report to the County. Subrecipient's failure to have an audit conducted in accordance with this Section or failure to implement corrective action in response to any audit findings may result in the County's imposition of remedies as provided in Section 10 hereof.

D. In addition to reviews of audits conducted in accordance with 2 C.F.R. Part 200, monitoring procedures under this Agreement may include, but not be limited to, on-site visits by the County and/or U.S. TREASURY; limited-scope audits as defined by 2 C.F.R. Part 200; submittal and review of financial management statements; and/or other procedures. By entering into this Agreement, the Subrecipient agrees to comply and cooperate with any reasonable monitoring procedures/processes deemed appropriate by the County and/or U.S. TREASURY. In the event the County determines that a limited-scope audit of the Subrecipient is appropriate, the Subrecipient agrees to comply with any additional instructions provided by the County and/or U.S. TREASURY to the Subrecipient regarding such audit. The Subrecipient further agrees to comply and cooperate with any inspections, reviews, investigations, or audits deemed necessary by the County and/or U.S. TREASURY.

**SECTION 12. SUBCONTRACTS; PROCUREMENT; SUBAWARDS.**

A. In procuring goods and services under this Agreement, the Subrecipient shall use its own documented procurement procedures, provided that such procurements conform to applicable state and federal law.

B. The Subrecipient may subcontract work under this Agreement as necessary without the prior written consent of the County, subject to the any conditions or limitations imposed by applicable state and federal law and Section 21 hereof concerning debarred/suspended contractors. Regardless of any subcontract, the Subrecipient is ultimately responsible for all projects, programs, activities, and services undertaken by subcontractors under this Agreement. The Subrecipient agrees to be responsible for the fulfillment of all work elements included in any subcontract and agrees to be responsible for the payment of all monies due under any subcontract. It is understood and agreed by the Subrecipient that the County shall not be liable to any subcontractor for any expenses or liabilities incurred under the subcontract and that the Subrecipient shall be solely liable to the subcontractor for all expenses and liabilities incurred under the subcontract.

C. Subcontractor Determinations and Monitoring. In selecting and monitoring subcontractors, the Subrecipient shall comply with 2 C.F.R. §§ 200.330-332. The Subrecipient shall monitor all subcontracted services on a regular basis to assure contract compliance. Results of monitoring efforts shall be summarized in written reports maintained by the Subrecipient and supported with documented evidence of follow-up actions taken to correct areas of noncompliance, where applicable. Such summaries and documents shall be submitted to the County upon request.

D. Affirmative Action. The County supports diversity in its procurement program and requires that all subcontracting opportunities afforded by this Agreement embrace and encourage diversity. The Subrecipient's award of subcontracts should reflect the diversity of the citizens of the State of Florida. In accordance with 2 C.F.R. § 200.321, the Subrecipient and its subcontractors must take all necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible. The Subrecipient agrees to use affirmative steps, and to require its subcontractors and sub-subrecipients to utilize affirmative steps, to ensure that minority businesses and women's business enterprises are used when possible. Such affirmative steps shall at a minimum include:

1. Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
2. Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
3. Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises;
4. Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority businesses, or women's business enterprises;



5. Utilizing services and assistance, as appropriate, of such organizations as the Small Business Administration, the Minority Business Development Agency of the Department of the Commerce, the Florida Department of Management Services (Office of Supplier Diversity), the Florida Department of Transportation, Minority Business Development Center, and Local Government M/DBE programs; and

6. Requiring the prime contractor, if subcontracts are to be let, to take the affirmative steps listed above in subparagraphs (1) through (5).

7. As used herein, the term “minority and women business enterprise” means a business at least fifty-one (51) percent owned and controlled by minority group members or women. Prior to award of any subcontract under this Agreement, Subrecipient shall document its efforts made to comply with the requirements of this paragraph. The Subrecipient shall state that it is an Equal Opportunity or Affirmative-Action employer in all solicitations or advertisements for subcontractors or employees who shall perform work under this Agreement.

8. The requirement outlined in subparagraphs (1) through (5) above does not impose an obligation to set aside either the solicitation or award of a contract to these types of firms. Rather, the requirement only imposes an obligation to carry out and document the six affirmative steps identified above.

9. The requirements described in subparagraphs (1) through (5) above outlines the affirmative steps that the Subrecipient must take; the requirements do not preclude the Subrecipient from undertaking additional steps to involve small and minority businesses and women’s business enterprises.

10. The requirement to divide total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority businesses, and women’s business enterprises, does not authorize the Subrecipient to break a single project down into smaller components in order to circumvent the micro-purchase or small purchase thresholds so as to utilize streamlined acquisition procedures (e.g. “project splitting”).

I. Equal Opportunity. During the performance of this Agreement, the Subrecipient agrees as follows:

1. The Subrecipient will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. The Subrecipient will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following: Employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Subrecipient agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the contracting officer setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.

2. The Subrecipient will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Subrecipient, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin.

3. The Subrecipient will not discharge or in any other manner discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because such employee or applicant has inquired about, discussed, or disclosed the compensation of the employee or applicant or another employee or applicant. This provision shall not apply to instances in which an employee who has access to the compensation information of other employees or applicants as a part of such employee's essential job functions discloses the compensation of such other employees or applicants to individuals who do not otherwise have access to such information, unless such disclosure is in response to a formal complaint or charge, in furtherance of an investigation, proceeding, hearing, or action, including an investigation conducted by the employer, or is consistent with the Subrecipient's legal duty to furnish information.

4. The Subrecipient will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the agency contracting officer, advising the labor union or workers' representative of the Subrecipient's commitments under section 202 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

5. The Subrecipient will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.

6. The Subrecipient will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the contracting agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.

7. In the event of the Subrecipient's non-compliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any of such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract may be canceled, terminated or suspended in whole or in part and the Subrecipient may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.

8. The Subrecipient shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (8) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, so that such provisions will be binding upon each sub-subrecipient or vendor. The Subrecipient will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as may be

directed by the Secretary of Labor as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance. Provided, however, that in the event the Subrecipient becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a sub-subrecipient or vendor as a result of such direction, the Subrecipient may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

J. Sub-Awards. The Subrecipient may enter into subaward agreements to provide for the distribution of funds under this Agreement to eligible sub-subrecipients (as defined in 2 C.F.R. §§ 200.92-93) with the prior written consent of the County. Regardless of any subaward, the Subrecipient is ultimately responsible for all projects, programs, services, and activities undertaken by sub-subrecipients under this Agreement. All such sub-subrecipients shall be subject to the same performance, financial, and reporting requirements as the Subrecipient. In selecting, monitoring, and contracting with sub-subrecipients, the Subrecipient shall comply with 2 C.F.R. §§ 200.330-332. The Subrecipient shall monitor all sub-subrecipients on a regular basis to ensure compliance with this Agreement and all applicable laws, rules, and regulations. Results of monitoring efforts shall be summarized in written reports maintained by the Subrecipient and supported with documented evidence of follow-up actions taken to correct areas of noncompliance, where applicable. Such summaries and documents shall be submitted to the County upon request.

K. Prompt Payment Act. As described in Section 4 hereof, Subrecipient agrees and acknowledges that payments made under this Agreement are from federal funds and contingent upon prior approval as to the allowability and eligibility of the costs for which payment is requested by both the County and U.S. TREASURY. Where applicable, Subrecipient is encouraged to include appropriate provisions regarding its obligations under chapter 218, Part VII, the Local Government Prompt Payment Act, stating that payment to subcontractors is contingent on receipt of federal funds or federal approval.

L. Scrutinized Companies. Subrecipient agrees to observe the requirements of Section 287.135, F.S., for applicable subcontracts and subawards entered into under this Agreement.

### **SECTION 13. CLOSEOUT.**

A. The County will close out this Agreement when it determines that all projects and/or activities and all applicable administrative actions have been completed. Unless an extension is approved by the County, within twenty (20) days after the Termination Date, the Subrecipient must submit any outstanding reports, including the Final Project Report, as well as any required reporting on sub-awards, and must refund to the County any balances of unobligated cash that the County paid in advance or paid and that is not authorized to be retained by the Subrecipient entity for use in other projects. Within thirty (30) days after receipt of all outstanding reports, the County will make upward or downward adjustments to the allowable costs, and then make prompt payments to Subrecipient for remaining allowable reimbursable costs. The closeout of this Agreement does not affect any of the following:

1. The right of the County or U.S. TREASURY to disallow costs and recover funds on the basis of a later audit or other review;

2. The obligation of the Subrecipient to return any funds due as a result of later refunds, corrections, or other transactions including final indirect cost rate adjustments; or

3. The Subrecipient's obligations regarding audits, property management and disposition (if applicable), and records retention.

B. Unless an extension is approved by the County, the Subrecipient must liquidate all obligations incurred under this Agreement within ninety (90) days after the Termination Date.

#### **SECTION 14. LOBBYING PROHIBITION; CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.**

The Subrecipient agrees to comply with, and include in subcontracts and subawards, the following provisions:

A. The Subrecipient certifies that no Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Subrecipient, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an 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, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

B. The Subrecipient certifies that no funds provided under this Agreement have been used or will be used to engage in the lobbying of the Federal Government or in litigation against the United States unless authorized under existing law.

C. Pursuant to 2 C.F.R. §200.450 and 2 C.F.R. §200.454(e), the Subrecipient is hereby prohibited from using funds provided by this Agreement for membership dues to any entity or organization engaged in lobbying activities.

D. 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 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 Subrecipient shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities."

E. Hatch Act. In accordance with the provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. 1501-1508 and 7324-7328), no funds provided, nor personnel employed under this Agreement, shall be in any way or any extent engaged in the conduct of political activities.

#### **SECTION 15. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS.**

The Subrecipient shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, rules, and regulations, and County policies and regulations in performing under this Agreement, including but not limited to the federal laws, regulations rules, policies, and executive orders described in **Attachments D-1, D-2, and D-3** hereto. The failure of this Agreement to specifically reference a

particular federal or state law or regulation, or policy or regulation shall not excuse Subrecipient from compliance with same to the extent such law, regulation, or policy is applicable to Subrecipient's performance under this Agreement. The Subrecipient further agrees to include this provision in all subcontracts entered into under this Agreement.

**SECTION 16. NOTICE.**

All notices and written communication between the Parties shall be sent by electronic mail, U.S. Mail, a courier delivery service, or delivered in person. Notices shall be considered delivered when reflected by an electronic mail read receipt (or when receipt is otherwise acknowledged), a courier service delivery receipt, other mail service delivery receipt, or when receipt is acknowledged by recipient. Any and all notices required by this Agreement shall be delivered to the Parties' respective contact persons at the addresses identified in Section 18. This Section shall not preclude routine communication by the Parties by other means.

**SECTION 17. CONTACTS.**

All notices required or permitted under this Agreement shall be directed to the following contact persons:

County

Grant Contact:  
Mindy Kane, Grants Accountant  
1250 North Eglin Parkway, Ste 102  
Shalimar, FL 32579  
Phone: 850-609-7074  
Email: mkane@myokaloosa.com

Subrecipient

Project Manager:  
Mike Arena, Executive Director  
Healing Paws for Warriors  
109 Hughes St. NE.  
Fort Walton Beach, FL 32548-4455  
Phone: 850-716-8198  
Email: info@healingpawsforwarriors.org

Either Party may change the above-described contact information by giving notice of such change to the other party Pursuant to Section 17 hereof.

**SECTION 18. REAL PROPERTY; EQUIPMENT.**

A. If Subrecipient acquires an interest in real property utilizing funds under this Agreement, Subrecipient acknowledges and shall comply with 2 C.F.R. § 200.311 and other

applicable laws, rules, and regulations, including, but not limited to ARPA Act guidance issued by the Department of the Treasury. Pursuant to same, except as otherwise expressly authorized by the County, real property acquired under this Agreement must be used for the originally authorized purpose as long as needed for that purpose, during which time the Subrecipient entity must not dispose of or encumber its title or any other interest therein.

B. Subrecipient's acquisition, use, management, and disposition of equipment under this Agreement shall be in compliance with 2 C.F.R. §§ 200.313 and 200.439 and other applicable laws, rules, and regulations, including, but not limited to ARPA Act guidance issued by the Department of the Treasury.

#### **SECTION 19. UNAUTHORIZED EMPLOYMENT.**

The employment of unauthorized aliens by any Subrecipient/subcontractor is considered a violation of Section 274A(e) of the Immigration and Nationality Act. If the Subrecipient/subcontractor knowingly employs unauthorized aliens, such violation shall be cause for unilateral cancellation of this Agreement. The Subrecipient shall be responsible for including this provision in all subcontracts with private organizations issued as a result of this Agreement.

#### **SECTION 20. NON-DISCRIMINATION.**

A. No person, on the grounds of race, creed, color, religion, national origin, age, gender, or disability, shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the proceeds or benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in performance of this Agreement. Subrecipient and its subcontractors shall comply with the all federal and state laws, rules, regulations, policies and executive orders relating to non-discrimination, including but not limited to those contained in **Attachment D-2, Federal Non-Discrimination Provisions.**

B. An entity or affiliate who has been placed on the State of Florida's discriminatory vendor list may not submit a bid on a contract to provide goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not award or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity. The Florida Department of Management Services is responsible for maintaining the discriminatory vendor list and posts the list on its website, [https://www.dms.myflorida.com/business\\_operations/state\\_purchasing/vendor\\_information/convicted\\_suspended\\_discriminatory\\_complaints\\_vendor\\_lists](https://www.dms.myflorida.com/business_operations/state_purchasing/vendor_information/convicted_suspended_discriminatory_complaints_vendor_lists).

C. Subrecipient ensures its current and future compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights act of 1964, as amended, which prohibits exclusion from participation, denial of the benefits of, or subjection to discrimination under the programs and activities receiving federal funds, of any person in the United States on the grounds of race, color, or national origin (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq.), as implemented by the Department of Treasury Title VI regulations at 31 CFR Part 22 and other pertinent executive orders such as Executive Order 13166; directives; circulars; policies; memoranda and/or guidance documents.

D. Subrecipient acknowledges that Executive Order 13166, “Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency,” seeks to improve access to federally assisted programs and activities for individuals who, because of national origin, have Limited English proficiency (LEP). Recipient understands that denying a person access to its programs, services, and activities because of LEP is a form of national origin discrimination prohibited under Title VI of Civil Rights act of 1964 and the U.S. Treasury’s implementing regulations. Accordingly, subrecipient shall initiate reasonable steps, or comply the U.S. Treasury’s directives, to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to its programs, services and activities. Subrecipient understands and agrees that meaningful access may entail providing language assistance services, including oral interpretation and written translation where necessary, to ensure effective communication in the Subrecipient’s program, services and activities.

E. Subrecipient agrees to consider the need for language services for LEP persons during development of applicable budgets and when conducting programs, services and activities. As a resource, the U.S. Treasury has published its LEP guidance at 70 FR 6067. For more information on LEP, please visit <http://www.lep.gov>.

F. Subrecipient acknowledges and agrees that compliance with this assurance constitutes a condition of continued receipt of federal financial assistance and is binding upon subrecipient and subrecipient’s successors, transferees, and assignees for the period in which such assistance is provided.

G. Subrecipient acknowledges and agrees that it must require any sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors, successors, transferees, and assignees to comply with the assurances (C) – (F) in this Section above, and agrees to incorporate the following language in every contract or agreement subject to Title VI and its regulations between the Subrecipient and Subrecipient’s sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors, successors, transferees and assignees:

*The Sub-grantee, contractor, subcontractor, successor, transferee, and assignee shall comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which prohibits recipients of federal financial assistance from excluding from a program or activity, denying benefits of, or otherwise discriminating against a person on the basis of race, color, or national origin (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq.), as implemented by the Department of the Treasury’s Title VI regulations, 31 CFR Part 22, which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract (or agreement). Title VI also includes protection to persons with “Limited English Proficiency” in any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., as implemented by the Department of the Treasury’s Title VI regulations, 31 CFR Part 22, and herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract or agreement.*

## **SECTION 21. DEBARMENT/SUSPENSION.**

In accordance with Presidential Executive Order 12549, Debarment and Suspension (2 C.F.R. Part 180), the Subrecipient agrees and certifies that neither it, nor its principals, is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency; and, that the

Subrecipient shall not enter into any lower tier contract, or other covered transaction, with a person who is similarly debarred or suspended from participating in this covered transaction.. The Subrecipient is responsible for reviewing the status of all proposed subcontractors and subawardees in the System for Award Management (SAM) at <https://sam.gov/SAM/> before entering into any subcontract or sub-award under this Agreement. The Subrecipient shall include language incorporating the requirements of this Section in all subcontracts or lower tier agreements executed under this Agreement.

**SECTION 22. PHYSICAL ACCESS AND INSPECTION.**

As applicable, County and U.S. TREASURY agents and personnel shall be given access to and may observe and inspect projects, activities, and work being performed under this Agreement.

**SECTION 23. AMENDMENTS.**

All Amendments are subject to the mutual agreement of both Parties as evidenced in writing.

**SECTION 24. PERMITS.**

The Subrecipient expressly acknowledges that receipt of the financial assistance provided for under this Agreement does not imply nor guarantee that a federal, state or local permit will be issued for a particular project or activity. Further, the Subrecipient agrees to ensure that all necessary permits are obtained prior to implementation of any activity funded under this Agreement that may fall under applicable federal, state or local laws.

**SECTION 25. RECORDS; ACCESS TO RECORDS AND PERSONNEL.**

A. Subrecipient shall retain all records generated under this Agreement in accordance with 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 in addition to a five (5) year period after final payment as required by the ARPA funding.

B. Subrecipient shall comply with the Florida Public Records Law, codified at Chapter 119, F.S. Records made or received in conjunction with this Agreement are public records under Florida law. Subrecipient shall keep and maintain public records generated by the Subrecipient in association with its performance of this Agreement.

C. This Agreement may be unilaterally canceled by the County for refusal by the Subrecipient to either provide to the County upon request, or to allow inspection and copying of, all public records made or received by the Subrecipient in conjunction with this Agreement and subject to disclosure under Chapter 119, F.S.

**D. IF THE SUBRECIPIENT HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE SUBRECIPIENT'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING**



**TO THIS AGREEMENT, CONTACT THE COUNTY'S CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS, OKALOOSA COUNTY RISK MANAGEMENT BY TELEPHONE AT 850-689-5979 OR BY EMAIL AT RISKINFO@MYOKALOOSA.COM, OR AT THE MAILING ADDRESS 302 N. WILSON ST., SUITE 301, CRESTVIEW, FL 32536.**

E. The Subrecipient acknowledges and agrees that the County, U.S. TREASURY, the U.S. Department of Treasury, the Treasury Office of Inspector General, the Comptroller General of the United States (Government Accountability Office (GAO)), or their authorized representatives, shall have timely and unrestricted access to any pertinent books, documents, papers, and records, whether written, printed, recorded, produced, or reproduced by any electronic, mechanical, magnetic, or other process or medium, in order to make audits, inspections, investigations, excerpts, transcripts, or other examinations as authorized by law. This also includes timely and reasonable access to the Subrecipient's personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion related to such documents. In the event any work is subawarded or subcontracted, the Subrecipient shall similarly require each sub-subrecipient and subcontractor to maintain and allow access to such records for audit purposes.

F. The County, U.S. TREASURY, the U.S. Department of Treasury, the Treasury Office of Inspector General, the Comptroller General of the United States (GAO), or their authorized representatives shall have the right during normal business hours to conduct announced and unannounced onsite and offsite physical visits of the Subrecipient and their subcontractors corresponding to the duration of their records retention obligation for this Agreement.

G. The rights of access in this Section are not limited to the required retention period for the applicable records but last as long as the records are retained.

H. The Subrecipient agrees that if any litigation, claim, or audit is started before the expiration of the record retention period established above, the records shall be retained until all litigation, claims or audit findings involving the records have been resolved and final action taken.

**SECTION 26. MISCELLANEOUS.**

A. Assignment. No assignment, delegation, transfer, or novation of this Agreement, or any part hereof, may be made unless in writing and signed by both Parties.

B. Execution in Counterparts. This Agreement, and any Amendments or Change Orders thereto, may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which together shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. In the event that any signature is delivered by facsimile transmission or by email delivery of a “.pdf” format data file, such signature shall create a valid and binding obligation of the Party executing (or on whose behalf such signature is executed) with the same force and effect as if such facsimile or “.pdf” signature page were an original thereof.

C. Interpretation; Severability. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida. Wherever possible, each provision of this Agreement shall be

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interpreted in such manner as to be effective and valid under applicable law, but if any provision of this Agreement shall be prohibited or invalid under applicable law, such provision shall be ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or invalidity, without invalidating the remainder of such provision or the remaining provisions of this Agreement.

D. Entire Agreement; Joint Preparation. This Agreement represents the entire agreement of the Parties. Any alterations, variations, changes, modifications or waivers of provisions of this Agreement shall only be valid when they have been reduced to writing, duly signed by each of the Parties hereto, and attached to the original of this Agreement, unless otherwise provided herein. The Parties represent and agree that they have jointly negotiated this Agreement and have had the opportunity to consult with and be represented by their own competent counsel. This Agreement is therefore deemed to have been jointly prepared by the Parties and no part hereof shall be construed more severely against one of the Parties than the other.

E. Venue. Venue for any litigation arising from this Agreement shall be in the state courts of Okaloosa County, Florida.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have caused this Agreement to be duly executed, the day and year last written below.

OKALOOSA COUNTY

SUBRECIPIENT

By: [Signature]

By: [Signature]

John Hofstad, County Administrator  
Print Name and Title

Michael Arena, Executive Director  
Print Name and Title

Date: 5/16/2023

Date: 12 May 23

Attest:

Attest:

By: [Signature]

By: [Signature]

Maria Everton, BCC Clerk  
Print Name and Title

SHEILA HALE, Registrar  
Print Name and Title

Attachment A

Agreement SLFRP0029 between Okaloosa County, FL and US Treasury

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OMB Approved No. 1505-0271  
Expiration Date: 11/30/2021

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY  
CORONAVIRUS STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS

Recipient name and address: Okaloosa County Board of County Commissioners 1250 North Eglin Parkway, Ste 102 Shalimar, Florida 32579-1296	DUNS Number: 613277649 Taxpayer Identification Number: 596000765 Assistance Listing Number and Title: 21.027
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Sections 602(b) and 603(b) of the Social Security Act (the Act) as added by section 9901 of the American Rescue Plan Act, Pub. L. No. 117-2 (March 11, 2021) authorizes the Department of the Treasury (Treasury) to make payments to certain recipients from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund and the Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund.


Recipients hereby agrees, as a condition to receiving such payment from Treasury, agrees to the terms attached hereto.

Recipient:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Representative Signature (above)

Authorized Representative Name: Carolyn Ketchel  
Authorized Representative Title: Chairman  
Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Department of the Treasury:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Representative Signature (above)

Authorized Representative Name: Jacob Leibenluft  
Authorized Representative Title: Chief Recovery Officer, Office of Recovery Programs  
Date Signed: May 13, 2021

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**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**  
**CORONAVIRUS STATE FISCAL RECOVERY FUND**  
**AWARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**1. Use of Funds.**

- a. Recipient understands and agrees that the funds disbursed under this award may only be used in compliance with sections 602(c) and 603(c) of the Social Security Act (the Act) and Treasury's regulations implementing that section and guidance.
- b. Recipient will determine prior to engaging in any project using this assistance that it has the institutional, managerial, and financial capability to ensure proper planning, management, and completion of such project.

**2. Period of Performance.** The period of performance for this award begins on the date hereof and ends on December 31, 2026. As set forth in Treasury's implementing regulations, Recipient may use award funds to cover eligible costs incurred during the period that begins on March 3, 2021 and ends on December 31, 2024.

**3. Reporting.** Recipient agrees to comply with any reporting obligations established by Treasury, as it relates to this award.

**4. Maintenance of and Access to Records**

- a. Recipient shall maintain records and financial documents sufficient to evidence compliance with sections 602(c) and 603(c), Treasury's regulations implementing those sections, and guidance regarding the eligible uses of funds.
- b. The Treasury Office of Inspector General and the Government Accountability Office, or their authorized representatives, shall have the right of access to records (electronic and otherwise) of Recipient in order to conduct audits or other investigations.
- c. Records shall be maintained by Recipient for a period of five (5) years after all funds have been expended or returned to Treasury, whichever is later.

**5. Pre-award Costs.** Pre-award costs, as defined in 2 C.F.R. § 200.458, may not be paid with funding from this award.

**6. Administrative Costs.** Recipient may use funds provided under this award to cover both direct and indirect costs.

**7. Cost Sharing.** Cost sharing or matching funds are not required to be provided by Recipient.

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## ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE WITH CIVIL RIGHTS REQUIREMENTS

### ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE WITH TITLE VI OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964

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The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 provides that the provisions of this assurance apply to all of the recipient’s programs, services and activities, so long as any portion of the recipient’s program(s) is federally assisted in the manner proscribed above.

1. Recipient ensures its current and future compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, which prohibits exclusion from participation, denial of the benefits of, or subjection to discrimination under programs and activities receiving federal funds, of any person in the United States on the ground of race, color, or national origin (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq.), as implemented by the Department of the Treasury Title VI regulations at 31 CFR Part 22 and other pertinent executive orders such as Executive Order 13166; directives; circulars; policies; memoranda and/or guidance documents.
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personal property is provided, this assurance obligates the Recipient for the period during which it retains ownership or possession of the property;

7. Recipient shall cooperate in any enforcement or compliance review activities by the Department of the Treasury of the aforementioned obligations. Enforcement may include investigation, arbitration, mediation, litigation, and monitoring of any settlement agreements that may result from these actions. That is, the Recipient shall comply with information requests, on-site compliance reviews, and reporting requirements.
8. Recipient shall maintain a complaint log and inform the Department of the Treasury of any complaints of discrimination on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, and limited English proficiency covered by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and implementing regulations and provide, upon request, a list of all such reviews or proceedings based on the complaint, pending or completed, including outcome. Recipient also must inform the Department of the Treasury if Recipient has received no complaints under Title VI.
9. Recipient must provide documentation of an administrative agency's or court's findings of non-compliance of Title VI and efforts to address the non-compliance, including any voluntary compliance or other agreements between the Recipient and the administrative agency that made the finding. If the Recipient settles a case or matter alleging such discrimination, the Recipient must provide documentation of the settlement. If Recipient has not been the subject of any court or administrative agency finding of discrimination, please so state.
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The United States of America has the right to seek judicial enforcement of the terms of this assurance document and nothing in this document alters or limits the federal enforcement measures that the United States may take in order to address violations of this document or applicable federal law.

Under penalty of perjury, the undersigned official(s) certifies that he/she has read and understood its obligations as herein described, that any information submitted in conjunction with this assurance document is accurate and complete, and that the Recipient is in compliance with the aforementioned nondiscrimination requirements.

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Recipient

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Date

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Signature of Authorized Official:

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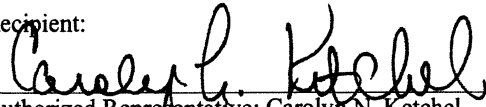
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY  
CORONAVIRUS LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUND

Recipient name and address: Okaloosa County Board of County Commissioners 1250 North Eglin Parkway, Ste 102 Shalimar, Florida 32579-1296	DUNS Number: 613277649 Taxpayer Identification Number: 596000765 Assistance Listing Number and Title: 21.019
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Sections 602(b) and 603(b) of the Social Security Act (the Act) as added by section 9901 of the American Rescue Plan Act, Pub. L. No. 117-2 (March 11, 2021) authorize the Department of the Treasury (Treasury) to make payments to certain recipients from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund and the Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund.

Recipient hereby agrees, as a condition to receiving such payment from Treasury, to the terms attached hereto.

Recipient:

  
Authorized Representative: Carolyn N. Ketchel  
Title: Chairman, Board of County Commissioners  
Date signed: May 11, 2021

U.S. Department of the Treasury:

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY  
CORONAVIRUS LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUND  
AWARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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- a. Recipient understands and agrees that the funds disbursed under this award may only be used in compliance with section 603(c) of the Social Security Act (the Act), Treasury's regulations implementing that section, and guidance issued by Treasury regarding the foregoing.
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4. Recipient acknowledges and agrees that compliance with the assurances constitutes a condition of continued receipt of federal financial assistance and is binding upon Recipient and Recipient's successors, transferees, and assignees for the period in which such assistance is provided.
5. Recipient acknowledges and agrees that it must require any sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors, successors, transferees, and assignees to comply with assurances 1-4 above, and agrees to incorporate the following language in every contract or agreement subject to Title VI and its regulations between the Recipient and the Recipient's sub-grantees, contractors, subcontractors, successors, transferees, and assignees:

*The sub-grantee, contractor, subcontractor, successor, transferee, and assignee shall comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which prohibits recipients of federal financial assistance from excluding from a program or activity, denying benefits of, or otherwise discriminating against a person on the basis of race, color, or national origin (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq.), as implemented by the Department of the Treasury's Title VI regulations, 31 CFR Part 22, which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract (or agreement). Title VI also includes protection to persons with "Limited English Proficiency" in any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., as implemented by the Department of the Treasury's Title VI regulations, 31 CFR Part 22, and herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract or agreement.*

6. Recipient understands and agrees that if any real property or structure is provided or improved with the aid of federal financial assistance by the Department of the Treasury, this assurance obligates the Recipient, or in the case of a subsequent transfer, the transferee, for the period during which the real property or structure is used for a purpose for which the federal

financial assistance is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits. If any personal property is provided, this assurance obligates the Recipient for the period during which it retains ownership or possession of the property.

7. Recipient shall cooperate in any enforcement or compliance review activities by the Department of the Treasury of the aforementioned obligations. Enforcement may include investigation, arbitration, mediation, litigation, and monitoring of any settlement agreements that may result from these actions. The Recipient shall comply with information requests, on-site compliance reviews and reporting requirements.
8. Recipient shall maintain a complaint log and inform the Department of the Treasury of any complaints of discrimination on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, and limited English proficiency covered by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and implementing regulations and provide, upon request, a list of all such reviews or proceedings based on the complaint, pending or completed, including outcome. Recipient also must inform the Department of the Treasury if Recipient has received no complaints under Title VI.
9. Recipient must provide documentation of an administrative agency's or court's findings of non-compliance of Title VI and efforts to address the non-compliance, including any voluntary compliance or other agreements between the Recipient and the administrative agency that made the finding. If the Recipient settles a case or matter alleging such discrimination, the Recipient must provide documentation of the settlement. If Recipient has not been the subject of any court or administrative agency finding of discrimination, please so state.
10. If the Recipient makes sub-awards to other agencies or other entities, the Recipient is responsible for ensuring that sub-recipients also comply with Title VI and other applicable authorities covered in this document State agencies that make sub-awards must have in place standard grant assurances and review procedures to demonstrate that that they are effectively monitoring the civil rights compliance of subrecipients.

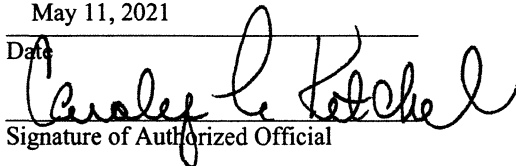
The United States of America has the right to seek judicial enforcement of the terms of this assurances document and nothing in this document alters or limits the federal enforcement measures that the United States may take in order to address violations of this document or applicable federal law.

Under penalty of perjury, the undersigned official(s) certifies that official(s) has read and understood the Recipient's obligations as herein described, that any information submitted in conjunction with this assurances document is accurate and complete, and that the Recipient is in compliance with the aforementioned nondiscrimination requirements.

Okaloosa County Board of County Commissioners  
Recipient Carolyn N. Ketchel, Chairman

May 11, 2021

Date



Signature of Authorized Official

#### PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT NOTICE

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## Attachment B

### Approved Scope of Work

#### PROVIDE TRAINED SERVICE ANIMALS FOR VETERANS

Healing Paws for Warriors (HP4Ws)' "Save a Veteran/Rescue a Dog" program helps support over 60,000 veterans in the Florida Panhandle between the 7 military bases; reducing veteran suicide from 22 a day to none and decreasing the dog euthanasia rate.

Healing Paws for Warriors is a local veteran founded/veteran led 501 (c)(3) that provides rescue-to-trained service dogs to veterans faced with Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) and/or Military Sexual Trauma (MST) at "no cost" to the veteran with continued support; reducing the statistic of veteran suicide, increasing self and family health and wellness. A resilient program that represents veterans helping veterans from personal experience and trained service dogs.

Dog training salary will cover service dog training and veteran education. It's been reflected in several studies, that highly-trained service dogs decrease the tendency for destructive behavior by the individual veteran that might otherwise inflict harm upon themselves or their community.



Okaloosa County Board of County Commissioners  
Award Approval  
Legal Report

In the Okaloosa Board of County Commissioners September 6, 2022 Board meeting, this award was approved and to further move to the execution of this subrecipient agreement. The following page was contained in the "Legal Review and Findings Report for Nonprofit Funding Submittals" completed by the County Attorney which reviewed each request and determined eligibility or, in some cases, partial eligibility.

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**NONCAPITAL EXPENDITURE  
REQUEST**

**XXXIV. Healing PAWS for Warriors, Inc.**

*The Request:* \$50,000.00. Funding would allow for the provision of service dog's ADA compliant, to veteran's suffering from post-traumatic stress, traumatic brain injury and for military sexual trauma at no cost to the veteran.

*Summary and Notes:* Behavioral health care, such as mental health treatment and other behavioral health services are eligible services to fund for the general public as an end user.

Pursuant to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Check-A-Charity Listing a summary of funds is as follows: Amount of funds spent on programs or services: program expenses: \$ 114,009.00; Administrative expenses: \$2,985.00; Fundraising Expenses: \$17,874.00

- Is registered with SAM.gov and has a UEI. In good standing with the State of Florida Department of Corporations.
- If awarded recommend additional information to support that the services are working successfully.
- Would recommend limited any award
- Can only fund what is reasonable proportional for the class. Okaloosa County has a large population of veterans. In a quick search for educational studies on the effects of the pandemic on veterans with PTSD, there were numerous results that COVID-19 pandemic may have a compound effect on veterans with PTSD. If awarded further documentation should be provided for the consideration of the reasonable proportionality test.

Attachment C

Supporting Documentation

Reimbursement Request and Performance Report

Excel and Word formats will be provided with fully executed Agreement.

**Healing Paws for Warriors**

ACTIVITY								
						Budget	ARPA OK	Other Sources
1	Salary/Wages					\$ 50,000		
	Name	Position	Rate of Pay	Hours	Total			
	Lisa Russell	Service Dog Trainer	40	938	\$ 37,520.00			
	PT Not Filled	Service Dog Trainer	40	312	\$ 12,480.00			
2	Fringe					\$ -		
	Name	FICA	Retirement	Health Insurance	Total			
					\$ -			
					\$ -			
3	Travel					\$ -		
	Name	Destination	Purpose	Total				
				\$ -				
4	Equipment					\$ -		
	Item Description	Unit	Cost	Total	Purpose			
				\$ -				
				\$ -				
5	Supplies					\$ -		
	Item Description	Unit	Cost	Total	Purpose			
				\$ -				
				\$ -				
6	Contractual							
	Scope of Work	Purpose		Total				
7	Construction - Capital Only					\$ -		
	Scope of Work	Purpose		Total				
				\$ -				
8	Other					\$ -		
		Purpose		Total				
				\$ -				
	<b>Total</b>					\$ 50,000		

**American Rescue Plan Act Nonprofit Program  
CLAIM SUMMARY FORM**

<b>SALARIES/WAGES</b>			\$	-
FRINGE BENEFITS	None		\$	-
SUPPLIES	None		\$	-
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	None		\$	-
<b>TOTAL CLAIM</b>			<u>\$</u>	<u>-</u>

**Summary Page**

General Information		PPE	Infrastructure/equipment	Services	Technology	Salaries	Rent/Mortgage/Utilities
Name of Organization/Department:	Healing Paws for Warriors						
Name of Individual filling out this Request:	Sheila Hale						
Contact Number:	850-716-8198	<b>Reimbursement payment request No.</b>					
Contact Email:	info@healingpawsforwarriors.org	Reimbursement payment request:	1				

Certifications	Type of backup documentation attached (place "x" next to all that apply)	
<p>By signing this report, I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the report is true, complete, and accurate, and the expenditures, disbursements and cash receipts are for the purposes and objectives set forth in the terms and conditions of the Federal award. I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent information, or the omission of any material fact, may subject me to criminal, civil or administrative penalties for fraud, false statements, false claims or otherwise. (U.S. Code Title 18, Section 1001 and Title 31, Sections 3729-3730 and 3801-3812).</p>	Payroll Reports	
	Time Sheets	
	Receipts	
	Proof of Payment	

Sheila Hale, Co-Founder

Date







Attachment D  
Federal Requirements

**LOBBYING CERTIFICATE - 31 U.S.C. 1352**

Additional citation: APPENDIX II, 2 CFR PART 200--CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

Certification for Subrecipient Agreements, Grants, Loans, and Cooperative Subrecipient Agreements

The undersigned Subrecipient 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 undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an 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 Subrecipient Agreement, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative Subrecipient Agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal Subrecipient Agreement, grant, loan, or cooperative Subrecipient Agreement.

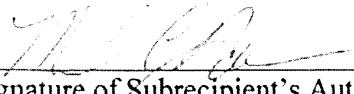
2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for making lobbying contacts to an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal Subrecipient Agreement, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form—LLL, “Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying,” in accordance with its instructions [as amended by “Government wide Guidance for New Restrictions on Lobbying,” 61 Fed. Reg. 1413 (1/19/96). Note: Language in paragraph (2) herein has been modified in accordance with Section 10 of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (P.L. 104-65, to be codified at 2 U.S.C. 1601, et seq.)]

3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including Subrecipient Agreements, subgrants, and Subrecipient Agreements under grants, loans, and cooperative Subrecipient Agreements) and that all Subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by 31, U.S.C. § 1352 (as amended by the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995). 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.

[Note: Pursuant to 31 U.S.C. § 1352(c)(1)-(2)(A), any person who makes a prohibited expenditure or fails to file or amend a required certification or disclosure form shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such expenditure or failure.]

The Subrecipient, Healing Paws for Warriors, Inc., certifies or affirms the truthfulness and accuracy of each statement of its certification and disclosure, if any. In addition, the Subrecipient understands and agrees that the provisions of 31 U.S.C. A 3801, et seq., apply to this certification and disclosure, if any.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Subrecipient's Authorized Official

Michael Arena, Executive Director  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Title of Subrecipient's Authorized Official

12 May 23  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## **FEDERAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO SUBRECIPIENT**

The projects, programs, and activities to be funded under this Agreement are fully or partially funded by Federal grants and therefore, the Subrecipient and its subSubrecipients will be required to comply with the following provisions, as applicable:

### Title VI List of Pertinent Nondiscrimination Acts and Authorities

During the performance of this Agreement, the Subrecipient, for itself, its assignees, and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the “Subrecipient”), as applicable, agrees to comply with the following non-discrimination statutes and authorities; including but not limited to:

- Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC § 2000d et seq., 78 stat. 252) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin);
- 49 CFR part 21 (Non-discrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation—Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964);
- The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, (42 USC § 4601) (prohibits unfair treatment of persons displaced or whose property has been acquired because of Federal or Federal-aid programs and projects);
- Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC § 794 et seq.), as amended (prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability); and 49 CFR part 27;
- The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 USC § 6101 et seq.) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of age);
- Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982 (49 USC § 471, Section 47123), as amended (prohibits discrimination based on race, creed, color, national origin, or sex);
- The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 (PL 100-209) (broadened the scope, coverage and applicability of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, by expanding the definition of the terms “programs or activities” to include all of the programs or activities of the Federal-aid recipients, sub-recipients and SubSubrecipients, whether such programs or activities are Federally funded or not);
- Titles II and III of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability in the operation of public entities, public and private transportation systems, places of public accommodation, and certain testing entities (42 USC §§ 12131 – 12189) as implemented by U.S. Department of Transportation regulations at 49 CFR parts 37 and 38;
- The Federal Aviation Administration’s Nondiscrimination statute (49 USC § 47123) (prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, and sex);
- Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations, which ensures nondiscrimination against minority populations by discouraging programs, policies, and activities with disproportionately high and adverse human health or environmental effects on minority and low-income populations;
- Executive Order 13166, Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency, and resulting agency guidance, national origin discrimination includes discrimination because of limited English proficiency (LEP). To ensure compliance with Title VI, you must take

reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to your programs (70 Fed. Reg. at 74087 to 74100);

- Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits you from discriminating because of sex in education programs or activities (20 USC 1681 et seq).

## ADDITIONAL FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS

To the extent applicable to the services and/or goods provided under the Subrecipient Agreement, Subrecipient and any of its subSubrecipient used as part of this Subrecipient Agreement, expressly agrees to adhere to the following provisions, as required pursuant to funding received from the County:

Activities Abroad. Subrecipient agrees that with regard to this Subrecipient Agreement, any Subrecipient Agreement activities carried on outside the United States are coordinated as necessary with appropriate government authorities and the appropriate licenses, permits, or approvals are obtained.

Non-Discrimination. Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Title VI); Age Discrimination Act of 1975; Education Amendment of 1972 (Title IX); Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504). Subrecipient will comply with all Federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination. These include but are not limited to: (a) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color or national origin; (b) Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§1681- 1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex; (c) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. §794), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicaps; (d) the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U. S.C. §§6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age; (e) the Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse; (f) the Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism; (g) §§523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. §§290 dd-3 and 290 ee3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records; (h) Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. §§3601 et seq.), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing; (i) any other nondiscrimination provisions in the specific statute(s) under which application for Federal assistance is being made; and, (j) the requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to the application.

Controlled Substances. Subrecipient agrees that it shall not knowingly use funds provided under this Subrecipient Agreement to support activities that promote the legalization of any drug or other substance included in Schedule I of the schedule of controlled substances established by section 202 of the Controlled Substances Act, 21 U.S.C. 812.

Human Rights. Subrecipient assures that the human rights of all persons with developmental disabilities (especially those without familial protection) who are receiving treatment, services or habilitation under programs assisted under this title, will be protected consistent with P.L. 88-164, Title I, s. 110, as amended, 42 U.S.C. s. 6009, the federal Developmental Disabilities Assistance

and Bill of Rights Act, and s. 393.13, Fla. Stat., Florida's Bill of Rights of Persons with Developmental Disabilities.

Restrictions on Abortion and on Distribution of Sterile Needles. Subrecipient agrees that it shall not use funds provided under this Subrecipient Agreement for an abortion. Further, Subrecipient agrees that funds shall not be used to carry out any program of distributing sterile needles or syringes for hypodermic injection of any illegal drug.

U.S. Flag Air Carrier. Subrecipient agrees that as it pertains to the services provided under this Subrecipient Agreement, U.S. flag air carriers shall be used to the maximum extent possible when commercial air transportation is the means of travel between the United States and a foreign country or between foreign countries.

U.S. Patriot Act; Public Health Security & Bioterrorism Preparedness & Response Act. Subrecipient will comply with the Uniting and Strengthening America by Providing Appropriate Tools Required to Intercept and Obstruct Terrorism Act (USA Patriot Act) amending 18 U.S.C. 175-175c.; The Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness and Response Act of 2002, 42 U.S.C. 201.

Trafficking Victims Protection Act. Subrecipient will comply with the requirements of Section 106(g) of the Trafficking Victims Protection Act (TVPA) of 2000, as amended (22 U.S.C. 7104) which prohibits Subrecipient/consultant from (1) engaging in severe forms of trafficking in persons during the period of time that this Subrecipient Agreement is in effect; (2) procuring a commercial sex act during the period of time that this Subrecipient Agreement is in effect; or (3) using forced labor in the performance of the Subrecipient services under this Subrecipient Agreement. This Subrecipient Agreement may be unilaterally terminated immediately by County for Subrecipient's violating this provision, without penalty.

Gun Control – Consolidation Appropriations Act, 2017, Pub. L. 115-31, Section 217. None of the funds made available under this Subrecipient Agreement may be used in whole or in part to advocate or promote gun control.

Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.) and the Federal Water Pollution Subrecipient Agreement Act (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387) as amended. The Subrecipient agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 7401 et seq. and Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.

Procurement of Recovered Materials. Subrecipient and any subSubrecipient agree to comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, and the regulatory provisions of 40 CFR Part 247. In the performance of this Subrecipient Agreement and to the extent practicable, the Subrecipient and subSubrecipient are to use products containing the highest percentage of recovered materials for items designated by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) under 40 CFR Part 247.

Debarment and Suspension. Subrecipient certifies that it and its principals, if applicable, are not presently debarred or suspended by any Federal department or agency from participating in this

transaction. Subrecipient now agrees to verify, to the extent applicable that for each lower tier subSubrecipient that exceeds \$25,000 as a “covered transaction” under the Services to be provided is not presently disbarred or otherwise disqualified from participating in the federally assisted services. The Subrecipient agrees to accomplish this verification by: (1) Checking the System for Award Management at website: <http://www.sam.gov>; (2) Collecting a certification statement similar to the Certification of Offeror /Bidder Regarding Debarment; (3) Inserting a clause or condition in the covered transaction with the lower tier Subrecipient Agreement.

Equal Employment Opportunity (2 CFR Part 200, Appendix II(C); 41 CFR § 61-1.4; 41 CFR 61-4.3; Executive Order 11246). During the performance of this Subrecipient Agreement, the Subrecipient agrees as follows: (1) The Subrecipient will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. The Subrecipient will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff, or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Subrecipient agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause; (2) The Subrecipient will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Subrecipient, state that all qualified applicants will receive considerations for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or national origin; (3) The Subrecipient will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining Subrecipient Agreement or other Subrecipient Agreement or understanding, a notice to be provided advising the said labor union or workers’ representatives of the Subrecipient’s commitments under this section and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment; (4) The Subrecipient will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor; (5) The Subrecipient will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to their books, records, and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.; (6) In the event of the Subrecipient’s noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this Subrecipient Agreement or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this Subrecipient Agreement may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the Subrecipient may be declared ineligible for further Government Subrecipient Agreements or federally assisted construction Subrecipient Agreements in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.; (7) Subrecipient will include the portion of the sentence immediately preceding paragraph (1) and the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (7) in every subcontract Agreement or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subSubrecipient or vendor. The Subrecipient will take such action with respect to any Subrecipient Agreement or purchase order

as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance. Provided, however, that in the event a Subrecipient becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a Subrecipient or vendor as a result of such direction by the administering agency the Subrecipient may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

**Domestic Preference for Procurements.** In accordance with 2 CFR 200.322, as appropriate and to the extent consistent with law, to the greatest extent practicable when using federal funds for the services provided in this Subrecipient Agreement, shall provide a preference for the purchase, acquisition, or use of goods and products or materials produced in the United States.

**Prohibition on certain telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment.** In accordance with 2 CFR 200.216, Subrecipient and any subSubrecipients are prohibited to obligate or spend grant funds to: (1) procure or obtain, (2) extend or renew a Subrecipient Agreement to procure or obtain; or (3) enter into a Subrecipient Agreement to procure or obtain equipment, services, or systems that use covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system. As described in Pub. L. 115-232, section 889, covered telecommunications equipment is telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities). i. For the purpose of public safety, security of government facilities, physical security surveillance of critical infrastructure, and other national security purposes, video surveillance and telecommunications equipment produced by Hytera Communications Corporation, Hangzhou Hikvision Digital Technology Company, or Dahua Technology Company (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities). ii. Telecommunications or video surveillance services provided by such entities or using such equipment. iii. Telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services produced or provided by an entity that the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Director of the National Intelligence or the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reasonably believes to be an entity owned or controlled by, or otherwise, connected to the government of a covered foreign country.

**Enhanced Whistleblower Protections.** National Defense Authorization Act of 2013 extending whistleblower protections to Subrecipient employees may apply to the Federal grant award dollars involved with this Subrecipient Agreement.

**Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA).** In accordance with FFATA, the Subrecipient shall, upon request, provide the County the names and total compensation of the five most highly compensated officers of the entity, if the entity in the preceding fiscal year received 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenues in federal awards, received \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from federal awards, and if the public does not have access to information about the compensation of the senior executives of the entity through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

**Federal Awardee Performance and Integrity Information System (FAPIS).** The Subrecipient shall update the information in the Federal Awardee Performance and Integrity Information System

(FAPIS) on a semi-annual basis, throughout the life of this Subrecipient Agreement, by posting the required information in the System for Award Management via <https://www.sam.gov>.

Sub agreements/Assignments and W/MBE. Subrecipient shall not contracts Agreement nor assign this Subrecipient Agreement, or any part of the services provided under this Subrecipient Agreement without prior written consent of County. In accordance with 45 CFR s. 75.330 and 2 CFR s. 200.321, Subrecipient acknowledges that if it subSubrecipient Agreements any work pertaining to this Subrecipient Agreement, it will take all necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible. Affirmative Steps include: (1) Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists; (2) Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources; (3) Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises; (4) Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises; (5) Using the services and assistance, as appropriate, of such organizations as the Small Business Administration and the Minority Business Development Agency of the Department of Commerce.

Davis-Bacon Act: If applicable, the Subrecipient agrees to comply with all provisions of the Davis Bacon Act as amended (40 U.S.C. §§ 3141-3144 and 3136-3148), and to require all of its Subrecipients performing work under this Agreement to adhere to same. The Subrecipient and its Subrecipients are required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, the Subrecipient and its Subrecipients are required to pay wages not less than once a week. If the grant award contains Davis Bacon provisions, the Subrecipient shall place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in the solicitation documents. The decision to award a contract shall be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The Subrecipient shall must report all suspected or reported violations of the Davis-Bacon Act to the County.

Copeland Anti Kick Back Act: Subrecipient and its Subrecipients shall comply with all the requirements of the Copeland Anti-Kickback Act (18 U.S.C. § 874 and 40 U.S.C. § 3145, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations at 29 CFR Part 3), which are incorporated by reference to this Agreement. Subrecipient and its Subrecipients are prohibited from inducing by any means any person employed in the construction, completion or repair of public work to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled.

Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§ 3701–3708): Where applicable, all contracts awarded in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must be in compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each Subrecipient is required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to



construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence.

Debarment and Suspension (Executive Orders 12549 and 12689): A contract award (see 2 CFR 180.220) must not be made under this Agreement to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 CFR part 180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 CFR part 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 CFR part 1989 Comp., p. 235), Debarment and Suspension. SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. The Subrecipient shall certify compliance. The Subrecipient further agrees to include a provision requiring such compliance in its lower tier covered transactions and subcontracts, which shall read as follows:

Applicants or bidders for a lower tier covered transaction (except procurement contracts for goods and services under \$25,000 not requiring the consent of the County and/or the applicable state or federal entity) are subject to 2 C.F.R. Part 180, "OMB Guidelines to Agencies on Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement)." In addition, applicants or bidders for a lower tier covered transaction for a subaward, contract, or subcontract greater than \$100,000 of Federal funds at any tier are subject to relevant statutes, including among others, the provisions of 31 U.S.C. 1352, as well as the common rule, "New Restrictions on Lobbying," published at 55 FR 6736 (February 26, 1990), including definitions, and the Office of Management and Budget "Governmentwide Guidance for New Restrictions on Lobbying," and notices published at 54 FR 52306 (December 20, 1989), 55 FR 24540 (June 15, 1990), 57 FR 1772 (January 15, 1992), and 61 FR 1412 (January 19, 1996).

Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. §§ 4601-4655). Subrecipient, to the extent applicable, must adhere to the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Act cited above along with all implementing regulations.

#### Publications

Any publications produced with funds from this award must display the following language: "This project [is being] [was] supported, in whole or in part, by federal award number [enter project FAIN] awarded to [Okaloosa County] by the U.S. Department of the Treasury."

#### Increasing Seat Belt Use in the United States

Pursuant to Executive Order 13043, 62 FR 19217 (Apr. 18, 1997), Subrecipients should adopt and enforce on-the-job seat belt policies and programs for their employees when operating company-owned, rented or personally owned vehicles.

#### Reducing Text Messaging While Driving

Pursuant to Executive Order 13513, 74 FR 51225 (Oct. 6, 2009), Subrecipients should adopt and enforce policies that ban text messaging while driving, and establish workplace safety policies to decrease accidents caused by distracted drivers.

#### Recordkeeping Requirements

Subrecipients must maintain records and financial documents for five years after all funds have been expended or returned to the County. Treasury may request transfer of records of long-term value at the end of such period. Wherever practicable, such records should be collected, transmitted, and stored in open and machine-readable formats. Your company must agree to provide or make available such records to Treasury upon request, and to the Government Accountability Office (“GAO”), Treasury’s Office of Inspector General (“OIG”), and their authorized representative in order to conduct audits or other investigations and retain these records in compliance with the OMB guidance 2 C.F.R. §200.333.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE**

In performing under this Agreement, Subrecipient and its Subrecipients, to the extent applicable, shall comply with all of the federal environmental statutes, regulations, and executive orders listed below, as applicable:

1. The National Environmental Policy Act (42 U.S.C. § 4321 et. seq.)
2. The Endangered Species Act (16 U.S.C. § 1531 et seq.)
3. Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (16 U.S.C. § 1801 et seq.)
4. Clean Water Act Section 404 (33 U.S.C. § 1344 et seq.)
5. The Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. §§ 703-712); Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. § 668 et seq.), and Executive Order No. 13186, Responsibilities of Federal Agencies to Protect Migratory Birds
6. National Historic Preservation Act (54 U.S.C. § 300101 et seq.) and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation Guidelines (36 CFR part 800)
7. Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401 et seq.), Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. § 1251 et seq.) (Clean Water Act), and Executive Order 11738 (“Providing for administration of the Clean Air Act and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act with respect to Federal contracts, grants or loans”). Violations must be reported to the County and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) immediately upon discovery.
8. The Flood Disaster Protection Act (42 U.S.C. § 4002 et seq.)
9. Executive Order 11988 (“Floodplain Management”) and Executive Order 11990 (“Protection of Wetlands”)
10. Executive Order 13112 (“Invasive Species”)
11. The Coastal Zone Management Act (16 U.S.C. § 1451 et seq.)
12. The Coastal Barriers Resources Act (16 U.S.C. § 3501 et seq.)
13. The Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. § 1271 et seq.)
14. The Safe Drinking Water Act (42 U.S.C. § 300 et seq.)
15. The Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (42 U.S.C. § 6901 et seq.)
16. The Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (Superfund) (42 U.S.C. § 9601 et seq.)

17. Executive Order 12898 ("Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low Income Populations")

18. Rivers and Harbors Act (33 U.S.C. § 407)

19. Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act (Pub. L. 92-532, as amended), National Marine Sanctuaries Act (16 U.S.C. § 1431 et seq.), and Executive Order 13089 ("Coral Reef Protection")


20. Farmland Protection Policy Act (7 U.S.C. 4201 et seq.)

21. Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act (16 U.S.C. 661 et seq.)

22. Pursuant to 2 CFR §200.322, Subrecipient and its Subrecipients must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 CFR Part 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the

purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

The Executive Director on behalf of Healing Paws for Warriors, Inc. the proposer is authorized to sign below and confirm the proposer is fully able to comply with these requirements, federal terms and conditions and has on made any inquiries and further examination of the law and requirements as is necessary to comply.

DATE: 12 MAY '23 SIGNATURE:   
COMPANY: Healing Paws for Warriors, Inc. NAME: Michael Arena  
TITLE: Executive Director