



Coordinated Tribal Assistance Solicitation

STANDARD ASSURANCES

By the submission of these standard assurances and certifications by an authorized representative on behalf of the applicant, the applicant hereby assures and certifies compliance with all applicable Federal statutes, regulations, policies, and other requirements, including 2 C.F.R. Part 2800 (Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards by the Department of Justice); and Executive Order 13043 (seat belt use). The applicant also specifically assures and certifies the following:

1. It has the legal authority to apply for federal assistance; it has the institutional, managerial, and financial capability (including funds sufficient to pay any required nonfederal share of project cost) to ensure proper planning, management, and completion of the project described in this application; and the person(s) signing the application and these standard assurances and certifications is authorized to do so and to act on its behalf regarding this application.
2. If funded, it will establish safeguards to prevent and identify potential organizational conflict of interest situations during the award period and will prohibit employees from using their positions in a manner that constitutes or presents the appearance of a conflict of interest or improper personal gain including in relation to those with whom they have family, business or other ties. In addition, it will disclose (in writing) to the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) awarding agency any potential conflict of interest arising during the course of performance of the grant or cooperative agreement award and also will require such written disclosures by any subrecipients.
3. If funded, it will give the DOJ and the Comptroller General, through any authorized representative, access to all documents, papers, or other records that are pertinent to the grant or cooperative agreement award.
4. If funded, it will comply with all lawful requirements imposed by the awarding agency, specifically including any applicable regulations, such as 28 C.F.R. Parts 18, 22, 23, 30, 35, 38, 42, 46, 61, 63, and 2 C.F.R. Part 2800; the award term in 2 C.F.R. § 175.15(b); 48 C.F.R. Subpart 31.2, the current edition of the DOJ Grants Financial Guide, the OVW Financial Grants Management Guide, and the COPS Office Grant Owner's Manual, as applicable.
5. It will assist the DOJ in complying with section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (16 U.S.C. § 470), Executive Order 11593 (identification and protection of historic properties), the Archeological and Historical Preservation Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. § 469 a-1 et seq.), and the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. § 4321).
6. It will comply (and will require any subrecipients or contractors to comply) with any applicable nondiscrimination provisions, which may include the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. § 3789d), the Victims of Crime Act (42 U.S.C. § 10604(e)), the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 2002 (42 U.S.C. § 5672(b)), the Violence Against Women Act (42 U.S.C. § 13925(b)(13)), the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. § 2000d), the Indian Civil Rights Act (25 U.S.C. §§ 1301–1303); the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. § 794), the Americans with

Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. § 12131–34), the Education Amendments of 1972 (20 U.S.C. §§ 1681, 1683, 1685–86), and the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 (42 U.S.C. §§ 6101–07). It will also comply with Executive Order 13279, Equal Protection of the Laws for Faith-Based and Community Organizations; Executive Order 13559, Fundamental Principles and Policymaking Criteria for Partnerships With Faith-Based and Other Neighborhood Organizations; and the DOJ implementing regulations at 28 C.F.R. Part 38.

7. If the applicant applies for and receives a COPS Office award, it will, to the extent practicable and consistent with applicable law—including, but not limited to, the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act—seek, recruit and hire qualified members of racial and ethnic minority groups and qualified women in order to further effective law enforcement by increasing their ranks within the sworn positions in the agency.
8. If the applicant applies for and receives COPS Office funding, it will comply with the minimum wage and maximum hours provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act (29 U.S.C. § 201, et seq.), as applicable.
9. If the applicant applies for and receives a COPS Office award that contains a retention requirement, it will retain the increased officer staffing level and/or the increased officer redeployment level, as applicable, with state or local funds for a minimum of 12 months following expiration of the grant period.
10. In the event that grant reimbursements are reduced or withheld to pay off delinquent federal debts through the Treasury Offset Program or other federal debt collection process, it agrees to increase the nonfederal share (or, if the awarded grant does not contain a cost sharing requirement, contribute a nonfederal share) equal to the amount reduced or withheld in order to fully implement the grant project.
11. If a governmental entity—
 - a) It will comply with the requirements of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisitions Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. § 4601 et seq.), which govern the treatment of persons displaced as a result of federal and federally assisted programs; and
 - b) It will comply with the requirements of 5 U.S.C. §§ 1501–08 and §§ 7324–28, which limit certain political activities of state or local government employees whose principal employment is in connection with an activity financed in whole or in part by federal assistance.
12. It will not provide any funding from this award (either directly or indirectly, whether by way of a contract, subaward, or other means) either to (1) the Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now (ACORN) or (2) an ACORN subsidiary.

False statements or claims made in connection with DOJ grants (including cooperative agreements) may result in fines, imprisonment, debarment from participating in federal grants or contracts, or any other remedy available by law.

Elections or other selections of new officials—that is, changes in authorized representatives, such as a chief executive officer authorized to bind or otherwise act on behalf of the applicant—

will not relieve the applicant entity of its obligations under any grant or cooperative agreement, if funded.

As the duly authorized representative of the applicant, I certify that (a) I am familiar with the requirements of these certifications and am authorized to make these certifications and provide these assurances and that (b) any statements or representations of fact contained herein have an adequate factual basis (as determined through inquiry, wherever appropriate) and are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Type/print name and title of chief executive of applicant government or other applicant entity

Signature _____ Date _____

(Chief executive of applicant government or other applicant entity)

On behalf of _____

(Name of applicant tribal government or other applicant entity)