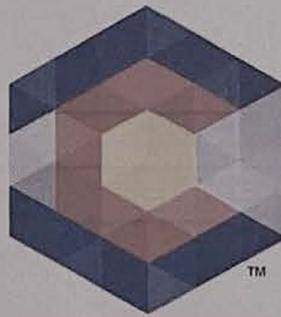


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13 April 2020e

Monaharrington, Acting Executive Director
U.S. Election Assistance Commission
1335 East-West Highway, Suitee4300ee
Silver Spring, MD 20910

Dear Ms. Harrington:

The purpose of this letter is to certify that the state of Colorado will use the funds provided under the Notice of Grant Award, Agreement # CO20101 CARES, for activities consistent with the laws described in Section 906 of HAVA and will not use the funds in a manner that is inconsistent with the requirements of Title III of HAVA.

We further certify that we have reviewed and accept the terms of the award as specified in the Notice of Grant Award. Our UEI number (formerly DUNS) is 082142055 and the signed Certifications are enclosed.

We are requesting \$6,691,472. We will use the funds to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus, domestically or internationally, for the 2020 Federal election cycle. To address the effects of the coronavirus on the election Colorado plans to spend the CARES Act funds on a variety of coronavirus mitigation programs. These include but are not limited to: judge recruitment, state and county technology needs for remote work, coronavirus cleaning supplies, money to cover additional rent for larger polling locations due to social distancing, mail ballot dropboxes to reduce in-person voting, a statewide confirmation mailing to improve a vote-by-mail election, and a public outreach campaign to inform voters of coronavirus-related changes to Colorado's upcoming election.

Please direct substantive questions to Judd Choate at (303) 869-4927 or JUDD.CHOATE@sos.state.co.us and questions about grant oversight to Brad Lang at (303) 869-4913 or BRAD.LANG@sos.state.co.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Judd Choate', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Judd Choate
State Election Director

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