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STATE OF KANSAS

April 7, 2020

Mona Harrington, Acting Executive Director
U.S. Election Assistance Commission
1335 East-West Highway, Suite 4300
Silver Spring, MD 20910

Dear Ms. Harrington:

The purpose of this letter is to certify that the state of Kansas will use the funds provided under the Notice of Grant Award, Agreement # KS20101CARES, 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 361543317 and the signed Certifications are enclosed.

We are requesting \$4,622,500. 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 we anticipate spending money supporting local jurisdictions in the following areas: procuring personal protective equipment for board workers and election staff; mailings and postage to inform voters of options to cast ballots prior to Election Day; updating procedures on polling place set-up with social distancing rules in effect; and any other areas that will allow voters to safely and securely cast a ballot while allowing election officials to safely and securely accept ballots, count them and subsequently certify the results of the election.

If you have any questions about this request, please contact Bryan A. Caskey, Director of Elections, at (785) 296-3488 or bryan.caskey@ks.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Scott Schwab".

Scott Schwab
Kansas Secretary of State

Cc. Kinza Ghaznavi, Grants Manager