April 8, 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 Missouri will use the funds provided under the Notice of Grant Award, Agreement # MO20101CARES, 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 175937234 and the signed Certifications are enclosed.

We are requesting $7,597,405. 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 will work in partnership with the local election authorities to mitigate the spread of COVI19 so the voters can exercise their right to vote.

The Missouri Secretary of State plans to spend the funds in accordance with the 2020 HAVA CARES Act Grant. We will use the funds for additional costs associated with the national emergency related to coronavirus to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the coronavirus pandemic. The grant funds will be spent on allowable uses such as those detailed in the grant award.

If you have any questions about this request, please contact Lori Hughes at (573) 751-1831 or Lori.Hughes@sos.mo.gov.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
John R. Ashcroft
Secretary of State

Cc. Kinza Ghaznavi, Grants Manager