NOTICE OF GRANT AND AGREEMENT AWARD

1. Award Identifying Number	2. Amendn	nent Number	3. Award /Project Per	iod	4. Type of award instrument:		
NR230325XXXXC003	0002		04/05/2023 - 07/13/2024		Cooperative Agreement		
5. Agency (Name and Address)			6. Recipient Organization (Name and Address)				
Natural Resources Conservation Service 10 East Babock Street, Room 443 Bozeman, MT 59715-4704			YELLOWSTONE COUNTY PO BOX 35003 BILLINGS MT 59107-5015 UEI Number / DUNS Number: FNVKTJD3B7C1 / 071404941 EIN:				
7. NRCS Program Contact		dministrative ontact	9. Recipient Program Contact		10. Recipient Administrative Contact		
Name: Rob Molacek Phone: (720) 544-2816 Email: robert.molacek@usda.gov	Name: MOIRA SANFORD Phone: (614) 255-2495 Email: moira.sanford@usda.gov		Phone: (406) 256-2776 Email: kwilliams@yellowstonecountym t.gov		Name: Jennifer Jones Phone: (406) 256-2816 Email: jjones@yellowstonecountymt. gov		
11. CFDA	12. Author	ty	13. Type of Action		14. Program Director		
10.923	33 U.S.C. 701b-1 16 U.S.C 2203 33 U.S.C 701B-1 Agricultural Credit Act of 1978 FedAg Improvement and Reform Act of 1999 Public Law 104-127, 110 Stat. 1016 Sec 216 of the Flood Control Act of 1950 Section 216, Public Law 81-516, 33 U.S.C Section 403, Public Law 95-334 Title III, Part Subtitle H, Section 382				Name: KC Williams Phone: (406) 256-2776 Email: kwilliams@yellowstonecountym t.gov		
15. Project Title/ Description: EWP Project 5044, MT, Yellowstone County, DSR 30-02-22-5044-400 YCC DSR 01, flood recovery measures due to MT Flooding Jun2022, 6000026308							
16. Entity Type: B = County Government							
17. Select Funding Type							
Select funding type:		⊠ Federal		Non-Federal			
Original funds total		\$644,045.00		\$189,425.00			
Additional funds total		\$94688.00		\$31563.00			

Grand total \$73		\$738,	733.00	\$220,988.00		
18. Approved Budget		I				
Personnel	\$0.00		Fringe Benefits	\$0.00		
Travel	\$0.00		Equipment	\$0.00		
Supplies	\$0.00		Contractual	\$0.00		
Construction	\$662,963.00		Other	\$75,770.00		
Total Direct Cost	\$738,733.00		Total Indirect Cost	\$0.00		
			Total Non-Federal Funds	\$220,988.00		
			Total Federal Funds Awarded	\$738,733.00		
			Total Approved Budget	\$959,721.00		
This agreement is subject to applicable USDA NRCS statutory provisions and Financial Assistance Regulations. In accepting this award or amendment and any payments made pursuant thereto, the undersigned represents that he or she is duly authorized to act on behalf of the awardee organization, agrees that the award is subject to the applicable provisions of this agreement (and all attachments), and agrees that acceptance of any payments constitutes an agreement by the payee that the amounts, if any, found by NRCS to have been overpaid, will be refunded or credited in full to NRCS.						
Name and Title of Authorized Government Representative Signature Thomas Watson			Date			

State Conservationist		
Name and Title of Authorized Recipient Representative	Signature	Date
John Ostlund Chairman		

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PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

The above statements are made in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. Section 522a).

Statement of Work

Please note that any narrative below should be considered in addition to the original Statement of Work, as well as any prior amendments.

Purpose

The purpose of this amendment is to increase the amount of funding as shown on NOA and the updated Budget Narrative section, and replace the General Terms and Conditions.

Except as provided herein, all other terms and conditions of the original agreement and any previous amendments remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

Objectives

There are no changes to this section from the original Statement of Work.

Budget Narrative

The below Budget Narrative replaces the Budget Narrative in the original agreement:

The official budget described in this Budget Narrative will be considered the total budget as last approved by the Federal awarding agency for this award.

Amounts included in this budget narrative are estimates. Reimbursement or advance liquidations will be based on actual expenditures, not to exceed the amount obligated.

TOTAL ESTIMATED PROJECT BUDGET \$959,721.00 (increase of \$126,251.00)

The budget includes:

Financial Assistance (FA) Costs 75% NRCS of construction cost \$662,963.00 (increase of \$94,688.00) 25% Sponsor of construction cost \$ 220,988.00 (increase of \$31,563.00)

Technical Assistance (TA) Costs \$ 75,770.00 (no change)

1. NRCS pays up to 75 percent of eligible construction costs and Sponsor pays 25 percent of construction costs. NRCS will contribute up to \$ 75,770.00 for contract administration, engineering, and construction management costs. It is possible that technical and administrative costs will exceed this amount, requiring the Sponsor to contribute resources to complete technical and administrative work.

2. NRCS funding for this project is provided to the Sponsor in two separate NRCS funding accounts, one for financial assistance (FA) and one for technical assistance (TA). FA costs are associated with construction activities; TA costs are associated with services. These expenditures shall be accounted for separately in order for expenses to be eligible for reimbursement.

3. NRCS will provide FA for actual costs as reimbursement to the Sponsor for approved on-the-ground construction costs, subject to above limits. If costs are reduced, reimbursement will be reduced accordingly. Construction costs are associated with the installation of the project measures including labor, equipment and materials.

4. NRCS will provide TA reimbursement to the Sponsor for technical and administrative costs directly charged to the project, subject to the above limits. If costs are reduced, reimbursement will be reduced accordingly. These costs include:

a. engineering costs include, but not limited to, developing a project design that includes construction drawings and specifications, an operation and maintenance plan, a quality assurance/inspection plan and an engineer's estimate of the project installation costs in addition to providing necessary quality assurance during construction.

b. contract administration costs include, but not limited to, soliciting, evaluating, awarding and administering contracts for construction and engineering services, including project management, verifying invoices and record keeping.

5. The Sponsor will contribute funds toward the total construction costs in either direct cash expenditures, the value of non-cash materials or services, or in-kind contributions. The value of any in-kind contribution shall be agreed to in writing prior to implementation.

Responsibility of the Parties

There are no changes to this section from the original Statement of Work.

Expected Accomplishments and Deliverables

There are no changes to this section from the original Statement of Work.

Resources Required

There are no changes to this section from the original Statement of Work.

Milestone

There are no changes to this section from the original Statement of Work.

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Please reference the below link(s) for the General Terms and Conditions pertaining to this award: <u>https://www.fpacbc.usda.gov/about/grants-and-agreements/award-terms-and-conditions/index.html</u>