



GRANT AGREEMENT

Louisiana Relay Administration Board (“LA RAB”)

This Grant Agreement (this “Agreement”) is entered into by and between Louisiana Relay Administration Board, a Louisiana nonprofit corporation (RAB), and _____, a _____ (“Grantee”), and is effective as of the _____ day of _____, 202_.

Recitals

A. RAB is a nonprofit corporation that is dedicated to providing telephone relay and other support services to members of Louisiana’s d/Deaf, DeafBlind, hard-of-hearing, and speech-impaired communities (the “Louisiana Deaf Community”).

B. RAB, acting through resolutions of its Board of Directors, has established a grant program to support Louisiana-based nonprofit corporations that have as a primary or secondary business purpose assisting the Louisiana Deaf Community.

C. RAB’s Board of Directors has studied and approved the Grantee’s application for grant funding from RAB.

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Now, therefore, the Grantee and RAB agree as follows:

1. **Grant.** RAB agrees to provide Grantee with funding (the “Grant”) in support of the program set forth in RAB’s grant application in the amount of \$_____.
2. **Term.** This Grant Agreement is effective for a period of one year, commencing _____, 202_ and ending _____, 202_. Grant funds will be made in one installment on or around _____, 202_, which will terminate this Grant Agreement. Grantee is free to submit subsequent grant applications to RAB. RAB may terminate this Agreement at its sole discretion at any point during the term.

3. **Documentation and Audit Rights.** RAB may request at any point written substantiation or periodic reports from Grantee as to progress under the Grant and proof of appropriate expenditures of Grant funds. RAB may seek reimbursement from Grantee for misuse of Grant funds.

4. **Representations and Warranties of Grantee.** Grantee represents and warrants to RAB that:

- (a) Grantee is a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of the State of _____ and that Grantee is qualified to conduct business in the State of Louisiana.
- (b) Grantee provides services or supports programs geared toward the Louisiana Deaf Community.
- (c) This Agreement is being signed by a duly-elected officer of Grantee, which officer has full corporate authority to bind Grantee to this Agreement.

5. **Governing Law.** This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Louisiana.

6. **Dispute Resolution.** Any dispute that cannot be resolved by the parties hereto through negotiation shall be subject to resolution in the state courts of Louisiana. In any such litigation, the non-prevailing party shall reimburse all court costs and legal fees incurred by the prevailing party.

7. **Assignment.** This agreement may only be assigned by Grantee upon written consent of RAB.

8. **Notices.** Any notice to be given by one party to another under this Agreement shall be transmitted via a commercially registered express delivery service (such as FedEx or UPS) as follows:

- (a) if to RAB:
RAB
(address needed)

(b) if to Grantee:

Attention: _____

9. **Counterpart Execution.** This Agreement may be executed in counterparts with all signature pages, taken together, representing the full agreement of the parties. Counterpart signature pages may be transmitted via PDF and electronic mail, facsimile, the U.S. Postal Service, or by other means that can be tracked.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties execute this Agreement as of the date first written above.

RAB

By: _____

Printed Name: _____

Title: _____

Grantee

By: _____

Printed Name: _____

Title: _____