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Gaithersburg, Maryland 20899-1650

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Robert Osborn  
Director, Communications Division  
California Public Utilities Commission  
505 Van Ness Avenue  
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Subject: Approval of Award Action Request- Approval of SAC #5 and #26 Compliance  
Award Number/FAIN: 05-20-B278  
Point of Contact/PI Name: Robert Osborn  
Grants Specialist Name: Andrea Greene  
Program Officer Name: Marina MacLatchie

Dear Robert Osborn,

The subject award action is approved by the NIST Grants Officer.

This notice serves as official approval of the requested action. By accepting this letter, the Recipient agrees to comply with the terms and conditions of the award, including any amendments thereto.

Additional details for Specific Award Conditions #5 and #26 are hereby approved. Please see revisions to Specific Award Conditions #5 and #26 below.

#### **5. Award Payments: (Revised)**

This award is hereby funded through advanced payments using the Department of Treasury's Automated Standard Application for Payments (ASAP) system. Payments will be issued in accordance with 2 CFR § 200.305 and the Department of Commerce Financial Assistance Standard Terms and Conditions, B.02, dated November 12, 2020.

Payments for allowable costs may be drawn down as needed by the Recipient enrolled in ASAP. Funds may be requested through ASAP by the authorized Payment Requestor who is the individual designated by the Recipient to access Federal funds.

This award has the following control or withdrawal limits set in ASAP:

- None
- Agency Review required for all withdrawals (see explanation below)
- Agency Review required for all withdrawal requests over  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ (see explanation below)
- Maximum Draw Amount controls (see explanation below)
  - \$ \_\_\_\_\_ each month
  - \$ \_\_\_\_\_ each quarter
  - \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Max drawdown amount

**26. RESERVED**

Questions may be directed to your assigned Grants Specialist, Andrea Greene at [andrea.greene@nist.gov](mailto:andrea.greene@nist.gov)

Please retain a copy of this letter in your official award file.

Darren Olson  
Grants Officer

cc: NIST Grants Management Information System