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October 30, 2012

His Excellency John H. Lynch  
And the Honorable Council  
State House  
Concord, NH 03301

Your Excellency and Members of the Council:

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Department of Justice to enter into a sub grant with the Merrimack County Nursing Home, (Vendor #177435-B004) in the amount of \$15,000 from a grant received from the US Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, entitled "Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence Against and Abuse of Women Later in Life Program," to provide training to law enforcement and service providers and to support direct services to victims of elder abuse including domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking. This sub grant is to be effective from the date of the Governor and Council approval through June 30, 2013. 100% federal funding.

Funding is available in account #02-20-20-201510-6046-072, Job # 20VEL09A, Department of Justice, Grants Administration, entitled "OVW Elder Abuse Training and Services" as follows

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
072-500574	Grants to Local Government	\$15,000

EXPLANATION

This sub grant to the Merrimack County Nursing Home will help support emergency shelter for elderly victims of domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking, thereby fulfilling the purpose of the grant by providing these services which had been identified in the original needs assessment. The emergency shelter being provided will be reimbursed at a cost of \$100.00 per night per person and the nursing home has agreed to the protocols for safety and confidentiality of the victims as recommended by the Department of Justice.

In the event that federal funds become no longer available, general funds will not be requested to support this program.

Please let me know if you have any questions concerning this request.

Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'MAD', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Michael A. DeJaney  
Attorney General

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE GRANT AWARD		
Agency Name:	Merrimack County Nursing Home	Vendor No.: 177435-B004
Program Name:	Emergency Shelter for Victims over 50	Amount: \$ 15,000.00
Grant Start Date:	11/14/2012	State Grant Number:
Grant End Date:	06/30/2013	Federal Grant Number: 2009EWAXK003
Appropriation No.:	02-20-20-201510-6046-072-500574	
Head of Agency	Project Director	Fiscal Officer
Bronwyn Asplund-Walsh Chairman, Merr County Board of Board of Commissioners 333 Daniel Webster HW Boscawen NH 03303	Lori Shibinette Administrator Merr. Co. Nursing Home 325 Daniel Webster HW Boscawen NH 03303	Mark Derby County Treasurer 333 Daniel Webster HW Boscawen NH 03303 603-796-6800
Federal Grant Name:	Training and Services: Elder Abuse	
Federal Agency:	United States Department of Justice	
Bureau/Office:	Office of Justice Programs	
CFDA Number:	16.528	
Purpose of Grant:	Supports direct services to adults over age 50 who are victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking, by providing emergency shelter.	
Financial Requirements:	See signed sub-grant guidelines and conditions.	
Match Requirements:	N/A	
Reporting Requirements:	Monthly or quarterly invoicing Adherence to State and Federal guidelines and conditions	
Approval	Program Agency	NH Department of Justice
Name	Bronwyn Asplund-Walsh	Rosemary Faretra
Title	Chairman, Merr County Board of Commissioners	Director of Administration
Date		
All terms of this grant award are not valid unless signed by both authorized parties.		