

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OFFICE OF BROADBAND ACCESS AND EXPANSION**

**AGREEMENT #: STUC-25-006
AMENDMENT # 1**

THIS **AMENDMENT** is made by and between the **State of New Mexico Office of Broadband Access and Expansion**, administratively attached to the **Department of Information Technology**, and **Resound Networks, L.L.C.** hereinafter referred to as the “**Grantee**” and collectively referred to as the “**Parties.**”

WHEREAS, the Parties initially executed Student Connect Grant Agreement # STUC-25-006 on March 2, 2025.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Subsection 63 of Section 5 of the General Appropriation Act of 2025, the expenditure authority for the Connect New Mexico Fund was extended through June 30, 2026.

The purpose of this Amendment is to is to extend the performance period of this grant from June 30, 2025, to June 30, 2026.

IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BETWEEN THE PARTIES THAT THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS OF THE ABOVE-REFERENCED GRANT AGREEMENT ARE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

ARTICLE 2 – CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. Contract Documents. The “Contract Documents” consist of this Agreement, any amendments to this Agreement executed in writing by the Parties, and the following exhibits, each of which is incorporated into this Agreement as though fully set forth herein:
1. Scope of Work as described in Article 6 of this Agreement (Exhibit A (Amendment #1))
 2. Detailed Project Budget (Exhibit B)
 3. Service Area Map (Exhibit C)
 4. Project Schedule (Exhibit D (Amendment #1))
 5. Request for Reimbursement (Exhibit E)

ARTICLE 5 – EFFECTIVE DATE; PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE; BUDGET PERIOD

- B. Subaward Period of Performance Start and End Date. The period of performance shall start on the Effective Date and the Project must be completed by **June 30, 2026** (hereinafter “Performance Period”). The Office of Broadband may, request approval from New Mexico State Legislature to extend the Performance Period.

- C. Subaward Budget Period Start and End Date. The budget period shall start upon the Effective Date and shall end no later than **June 30, 2026** (hereinafter “Budget Period”). The Department will provide reimbursement for all eligible expenses incurred after the Effective Date. Costs incurred by Grantee after **June 30, 2026**, will not be eligible for reimbursement, and Grantee must submit to the State of New Mexico, no later than 90 calendar days (or an earlier date as agreed upon in writing by Grantee and the State of New Mexico) after the end date of the period of performance, all financial, performance, and other reports as required by the terms and conditions of the award.

All other articles and deliverables of the original agreement remain the same.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have duly executed this Amendment as of the date of execution by the final signatory.

GRANTEE

By: DocuSigned by:
Tyson Curtis
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 Tyson Curtis _____
 CEO
 Resound Networks, L.L.C. _____
 Date

DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND OFFICE OF BROADBAND ACCESS AND EXPANSION

By: Signed by:
Manny Barreras
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 Manny Barreras _____
 Acting Director
 Office of Broadband Access and Expansion _____
 Date

Cabinet Secretary
Department of Information Technology

Chief Information Officer
State of New Mexico

Approved for Financial Sufficiency:

By: Signed by:
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 Mobile Chief Financial Officer
 Office of Broadband Access and Expansion and
 Department of Information Technology _____
 Date

Approved for Legal Sufficiency:

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 General Counsel
 Office of Broadband Access and Expansion _____
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**Student Connect Program
Exhibit A - Scope of Work
[Amendment 1]**

| Applicant Information | |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Organization Legal Name | Resound Networks |
| Project Name | Grants Cibola County Schools |
| Project ID | STUC-25-006 |

| Solution Overview |
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| <p>Project Overview Resound Networks will deploy a Tarana fixed wireless network using licensed spectrum to provide free, high-speed broadband to qualifying households with school-aged children, educators, and school employees across BLUEWATER ELEMENTARY, CUBERO ELEMENTARY, GCCS EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL, GRANTS HIGH, Haak'u Community Academy (Sky City), Laguna Elementary School, Laguna Middle School, LAGUNA-ACOMA HIGH, LAGUNA-ACOMA MIDDLE, LOS ALAMITOS MIDDLE, MESA VIEW ELEMENTARY, MILAN ELEMENTARY, MOUNT TAYLOR ELEMENTARY, NORTHWESTERN NM CORRECTIONS, Pine Hill Schools, SAN RAFAEL ELEMENTARY, SEBOYETA ELEMENTARY schools. The goal is to address digital inequality and support educational outcomes by offering reliable internet access, at no-cost, over three years.</p> <p>Infrastructure Deployment The deployment will leverage existing towers under master service agreements to enable rapid rollout across the district. Both fiber and licensed microwave backhaul will be utilized to ensure network redundancy and reliability. While microwave links will provide immediate connectivity, fiber circuits will be added as they become available to enhance network stability.</p> <p>Compliance and Maintenance To maintain the highest safety and compliance standards, quarterly tower inspections will be conducted using TalonView. This approach ensures ongoing compliance and performance monitoring. By utilizing vendor-managed towers, Resound will minimize risks and ensure a reliable, well-maintained infrastructure throughout the project.</p> <p>Community Engagement Resound Networks will work closely with local schools, school officials, and community organizations to promote awareness and facilitate enrollment. Outreach efforts will ensure that all eligible households understand how to access the free broadband service, empowering them to fully benefit from digital learning resources.</p> <p>Outcome The project aims to provide free broadband to underserved communities, directly addressing educational inequities and enhancing digital learning and workforce readiness across the school district. The target completion is set for June 2026, in alignment with both state and national goals for digital inclusion.</p> |



| Technology Metrics | | | |
|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Technology Type | Fixed Wireless | Network Purpose | Student Broadband |
| Total Miles | N/A | Linear Density | N/A |
| Number Base Stations | 16 | Wireless Coverage Footprint | 1000 sq mi |
| Spectrum Frequency | 3.65GHz, 5GHz, and 6GHz | Number of Towers / Poles | 5 |
| New Construction | 0 | Leased | 5 |
| Min Speed | 100/20 Mbps | Max Speed | 1000/300 Mbps |
| Latency | <100ms | | |

| Scope of Coverage | |
|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Names of Counties to be Served | Cibola |
| Number of CAIs | N/A |
| Number of Households to be Connected | 228 |

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| Student Connect Program | |
| Exhibit D - Project Schedule [Amendment 1] | |
| Subrecipient | Resound Networks |
| Project Name | Grants Cibola |
| Project ID | STUC-25-006 |



| Project Schedule Status | % Complete |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Not Started | 71% |
| In Progress | 29% |
| Completed | 0% |

| WBS# | Activity | Status | Start Date (MM/DD/YYYY) | End Date (MMDD/YYYY) | Duration (Days) | Comment |
|-------------|--|---------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 | Design and Engineering | In progress | 03/14/22025 | 3/31/2025 | 17 | |
| 2 | Environmental Assessment & Permitting (Right of way, easements, etc) | In progress | 4/1/2025 | 9/30/2025 | 182 | NEPA, County Permits, Local Permits |
| 3 | Make Ready & Site Prep | Not started | 10/1/2025 | 2/28/2026 | 150 | |
| 4 | Build, Deploy & Test | Not started | 3/1/2026 | 5/1/2026 | 61 | |
| 5 | Service Ready, Launch and Operations | Not started | 5/1/2026 | 6/30/2026 | 60 | Ongoing |
| 6 | Customer Installation | Not started | 5/1/2026 | 12/31/2026 | 244 | Ongoing |
| 7 | Marketing, Sales and Adoption Campaigns | Not started | 2/1/2026 | 12/31/2026 | 333 | Ongoing |