

a. Hourly Rate. The FOUNDATION shall reimburse the COUNTY for the cost of wages at the rate of \$15.00 per hour for each hour worked up to 200 hours, for a maximum reimbursement of \$3000.00 for wages per intern, per internship, unless the COUNTY has agreed to pay a percentage of the costs as described within the County Grant Application.

The **COUNTY** may pay the intern at a higher rate than \$15.00 per hour at its own expense as provided for in their approved County Grant Application or as established at a later time by the **COUNTY**. In either case, the **COUNTY** shall be responsible for payment for all the costs above the reimbursed hourly rate of \$15.00 per hour, including workers' compensation and FICA.

- b. Workers' Compensation. The FOUNDATION shall reimburse the COUNTY for a portion of the cost to cover the intern under the COUNTY'S workers' compensation plan in the Foundation's sole discretion up to a maximum reimbursement rate of up to \$30.00 per intern, per internship.
- c. FICA. The FOUNDATION shall reimburse the COUNTY for a portion of the cost of paying Federal Insurance Contributions Act (FICA) in the Foundation's sole discretion at a maximum reimbursement of up to \$229.50 per intern, per internship.
- 2. Additional Compensation for Intern. The COUNTY may pay the intern(s) in an amount greater than \$15.00 per hour or allow the intern(s) to work more than 200 hours during the grant period. However, the COUNTY will not be entitled to additional grant reimbursement for wages, workers' compensation, FICA or any other employment costs for the additional wages or hours.

III. Obligations of COUNTY:

- A. <u>Use of Grant Funds</u>. Grant reimbursement is limited to the actual amount of wages paid and approved employment costs for up to 200 hours of actual work performed by a qualified intern, from May 1, 2024 to September 1, 2024, for the Foundation approved internship project as described within the attached County Grant Application.
- **B.** <u>**Compensation**</u>. The **COUNTY** shall pay interns funded in whole or in part by this grant a minimum of \$15.00 per hour for each hour suffered or permitted to be worked by the intern.
- C. <u>Internship Requirements</u>. All interns must have on site supervision, be provided with work projects as provided in the approved County Grant Application submitted by the **COUNTY** and be afforded the opportunity to learn about the operations of county government.
- **D.** <u>Required Information: Proof of Payment of Intern and Reporting Requirements</u>. Upon completion of the internship, the **COUNTY** shall provide the following information