

FORM CD-451 (REV 10-98) LF DAO 203-26 U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AMENDMENT TO FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AWARD		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRANT <input type="checkbox"/> COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT		
		ACCOUNTING CODE		
		AWARD NUMBER NT10BIX5570114		
RECIPIENT NAME Merit Network Inc.		AMENDMENT NUMBER 6		
STREET ADDRESS 1000 Oakbrook Drive Suite 200		EFFECTIVE DATE 10/01/2014		
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE Ann Arbor MI 48104-6815		EXTEND WORK COMPLETION TO 06/30/2015		
CFDA NO. AND PROJECT TITLE 11.557 Recovery Act - REACH-3MC II is 1172 miles of middle mile fiber lit at speeds greater than 1G. The partnership between Merit, the MI 911 Administrator and 7 commercial sub-recipients will extend BTOP-funded REACH-3MC				
COSTS ARE REVISED AS FOLLOWS	PREVIOUS ESTIMATED COST	ADD	DEDUCT	TOTAL ESTIMATED COST
FEDERAL SHARE OF COST	\$69,639,291.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$69,639,291.00
RECIPIENT SHARE OF COST	\$17,409,823.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$17,409,823.00
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST	\$87,049,114.00	(\$-0.00)	\$0.00	\$87,049,114.00
REASON(S) FOR AMENDMENT This amendment provides for a nine-month no cost extension of the award period through 06/30/2015, per the recipient's request dated 09/09/2014 which is incorporated by reference.				
This Amendment approved by the Grants Officer is issued in triplicate and constitute an obligation of Federal funding. By signing the three documents, the Recipient agrees to comply with the Amendment provisions checked below and attached, as well as previous provisions incorporated into the Award. Upon acceptance by the Recipient, two signed Amendment documents shall be returned to the Grants Officer and the third document shall be retained by the Recipient. If not signed and returned without modification by the Recipient within 30 days of receipt, the Grants Officer may unilaterally terminate this Amendment.				
<input type="checkbox"/> Special Award Conditions (Attachment B)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Line Item Budget (Attachment A)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Other(s)				
SIGNATURE OF DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE GRANTS OFFICER Lamar Revis		TITLE Grants Officer		DATE 11/20/2014
TYPE NAME AND SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED RECIPIENT OFFICIAL Donald Welch		TITLE Merit Network Inc.		DATE 11/24/2014