

FORM CD-451 (REV 10-98) LF DAO 203-26 U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE <p style="text-align: center;">AMENDMENT TO FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AWARD</p>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRANT <input type="checkbox"/> COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT <hr/> ACCOUNTING CODE <hr/> AWARD NUMBER NT10BIX5570009		
RECIPIENT NAME Merit Network Inc.		AMENDMENT NUMBER 6		
STREET ADDRESS 1000 Oakbrook Drive Suite 200		EFFECTIVE DATE 01/01/2013		
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE Ann Arbor MI 48104-6815		EXTEND WORK COMPLETION TO 09/30/2013		
CFDA NO. AND PROJECT TITLE 11.557 Recovery Act - REACH Michigan Middle Mile Collaborative				
COSTS ARE REVISED AS FOLLOWS	PREVIOUS ESTIMATED COST	ADD	DEDUCT	TOTAL ESTIMATED COST
FEDERAL SHARE OF COST	\$33,289,221.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$33,289,221.00
RECIPIENT SHARE OF COST	\$8,322,305.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8,322,305.00
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST	\$41,611,526.00	(\$-0.00)	\$0.00	\$41,611,526.00
REASON(S) FOR AMENDMENT To extend the award period nine months per the recipient's request dated December 20, 2012, which is incorporated by reference.				
<p><small>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.</small></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Special Award Conditions (Attachment B)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Line Item Budget (Attachment A)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other(s)</p>				
SIGNATURE OF DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE GRANTS OFFICER Larry Jenkins		TITLE Grants Officer		DATE 12/31/2012
TYPE NAME AND SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED RECIPIENT OFFICIAL Jamie Nielsen		TITLE Grant Compliance Manager		DATE 12/31/2012