

PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM
NASPO VALUEPOINT COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT: (Desktops, Laptops, Tablets, Servers, Storage and
Ruggedized Devices including Related Peripherals & Services)
Administered by the State of Minnesota (hereinafter "Lead State")

MASTER AGREEMENT

Master Agreement No: MNWNC-101

Ace Technology Partners, LLC
(hereinafter "Contractor")

And

State of Nevada

(hereinafter "Participating State")

(Participating State Contract Number: 8346)

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1. **Scope:** This Participating Addendum adds the State of Nevada as a Participating State to purchase COMPUTER EQUIPMENT (**Desktops, Servers and Storage including Related Peripherals**) under this contract led by the State of Minnesota. All governmental entities within the State of Nevada, including all State agencies, the Nevada System of Higher Education, the Court System, the Legislative Counsel Bureau and all Political Subdivisions within the State of Nevada are authorized to utilize State contracts with the prior approval of the State's Chief Procurement Official. The Products and Services available under this Participating Addendum include all Products and Services in scope for the Master Agreement. This Participating Addendum does **NOT** include the purchase of Microsoft products other than operating systems. Individual units/configurations for servers and storage (SAN's etc.) are not to exceed \$500,000 each; desktop units/configurations are not to exceed \$10,000 each and peripheral configurations shall not exceed \$5,000 each.

This Addendum, executed by the Parties, will be effective as of the last date signed below through March 31, 2017, with the option to extend up to 36 months, upon agreement by both parties. The option of any extensions to the contract term will be addressed in an Amendment to the Participating Addendum as applicable.

2. **Participation:** Use of specific NASPO ValuePoint cooperative contracts by agencies, political subdivisions and other entities (including cooperatives) authorized by an individual state's statutes to use **State of Nevada** contracts are subject to the prior approval of the respective State Chief Procurement Official. Issues of interpretation and eligibility for participation are solely within the authority of the State Chief Procurement Official.

a. **Political Subdivision Participation:** Participation under this contract by political subdivisions (i.e. colleges, school districts, counties, cities, etc.) will be voluntarily determined by the political subdivision. The contractor agrees to supply the political subdivisions based upon the same terms, conditions and prices.

3. **Order of Precedence:**

- a. The State of Nevada's Participating Addendum (PA); the State of Nevada's Participating Addendum shall not diminish, change or impact the rights of the Lead State with regard to the Lead State's contractual relationship with the contract vendor under the terms of Minnesota NASPO ValuePoint Master Agreement.
- b. Minnesota NASPO ValuePoint Master Agreement (includes negotiated terms and conditions);

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- c. The original RFP solicitation and all amendments; and
- d. Contract vendor's response to the solicitation.

These documents shall be read to be consistent and complementary. Any conflict among these documents shall be resolved by giving priority to these documents in the order listed above. Contract Vendor terms and conditions that apply to this Master Agreement are only those that are expressly accepted by the Lead State and must be in writing and attached to the Master Agreement as an Exhibit or Attachment. No other terms and conditions shall apply, including terms and conditions listed in the Contract Vendor's response to the Solicitation, or terms listed or referenced on the Contract Vendor's website, in the Contract Vendor quotation/sales order or in similar documents subsequently provided by the Contract Vendor. The solicitation language prevails unless a mutually agreed exception has been negotiated.

4. **Participating State Modifications or Additions to Master Agreement:** (These modifications or additions apply only to actions and relationships within the Participating State.)

a. **Purchase Orders:** Orders for Nevada State Agencies will be placed by formal purchase order issued by the Nevada State Purchasing Division. All orders will be shipped promptly in accordance with delivery guarantee and invoices shall be submitted to Nevada State Purchasing for payment. Purchase order numbers shall be clearly shown on all acknowledgements, shipping labels (if possible), packing slips, invoices and all correspondence related to an individual order issued by the Nevada State Purchasing Division. With the exception of computers, laptops, tablets, servers or storage devices, orders under \$5,000.00 may be purchased direct by the using agency.

b. **Software:** Software is restricted to operating systems and commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) software and is subject to equipment configuration limits. Purchases exclusively for software will not be allowed. Software purchases are considered a part of the configuration limit of the equipment; software must be related to the procurement of the equipment and must be made at the time of the equipment purchase. Software must be pre-loaded or provided as an electronic link with the initial purchase of the equipment. With the exception operating systems, software such as middleware which is not always installed on the equipment but is related to storage and server software purchased, will be allowed and may be procured after the initial purchase of equipment. Other than operating systems, all Microsoft product licenses and software must be purchased from the State's mandatory Microsoft Select Master Agreement.

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c. Restrictions:

1. Hardware and software required to solely support wide area network (WAN) operation and management are not allowed.
2. Wireless phone and internet service is not allowed.
3. Cloud Services including acquisitions structured as managed onsite services are not allowed.
4. Managed print services are not allowed.
5. Standalone purchases of software other than middleware related to storage or server equipment purchases are not allowed.

d. Jurisdiction and Venue: This Contract, its amendments and supplements thereto, shall be governed by the laws of the State of Nevada. Venue for all legal proceedings arising out of the Contract, or breach thereof, shall be in the State or Federal Court with competent jurisdiction in Carson City, Nevada.

e. Termination of the Participating Addendum: This Participating Addendum may be terminated by the State of Nevada, Purchasing Division at any time, with or without cause, upon 30 days written notice to the contract vendor. In the event the contract vendor is in default, the contract is subject to immediate cancellation to the extent allowable by applicable law. In the event of such a cancellation, the contract vendor shall be entitled to payment, determined on a pro rata basis, for work or services satisfactorily performed and accepted. This Participating Addendum may be canceled by the contract vendor upon 60 days written notice to the State of Nevada, Purchasing Division.

f. Services: All onsite services such as installation, de-installation, training or ongoing maintenance, excluding warranty and break/fix support, requested by State agencies will require the implementation of an Independent Contract for Services per [NRS 333](#), [NAC 333](#) and [SAM 0300](#). Services must be related to the procurement of equipment. Purchases exclusively for Professional Services will not be allowed.

g. Delivery: Contractor will use commercially reasonable efforts to ship all orders designated for shipment within 30 days after receipt of order for all products. Shipping terms are FOB destination, shipping and handling prepaid by the Contractor to the address, receiving dock or warehouse as specified on the ordering agency's purchase order. In those situations

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in which the "deliver to" address has no receiving dock or agents, the Contract Vendor must be able to deliver to the person specified on the PO without additional cost. If there is a special case where inside delivery fee must be charged, the Contract Vendor will notify the customer in advance in order for the customer to determine if the additional cost will affect the decision to utilize the Contract Vendor. Additional delivery charges will not be allowed for backorders. All sales are final except as provided in Contractor's Limited Warranty.

h. Payment: Payment for completion of a contract order is normally made within 30 days following the date the entire order is delivered or the date a correct invoice is received, whichever is later. After 45 days the Contractor may assess overdue account charges up to a maximum rate of one percent per month on the outstanding balance. Payments will be remitted by mail, EFT or via a State or political subdivision "Purchasing Card" with no additional charge.

i. Evaluation Equipment: If the contractor, by mutual agreement with the Participating Entity, wishes to allow the use of equipment for the purposes of evaluation prior to purchase, these "try and buy" acquisitions must be approved in writing by the Purchasing Division prior to the evaluation period per SAM 1511.0 (5). Final purchases of the equipment shall comply with the terms of the Master Price Agreement, Participating Addendum and approval of the Purchasing Division.

j. State of Nevada Quarterly Reporting: Contractor shall submit quarterly reports to the Contracting Officer assigned by the State to manage this contract. The contractor shall provide the State of Nevada with an electronic usage report (Excel) which will list, at a minimum: purchasing entity, item description, date of purchase order, purchase order number, contract price, retail price and the extended price for each transaction. These reports are due 30 days after the end of the quarter.

First Quarter:	July 1 through September 30
Second Quarter:	October 1 through December 31
Third Quarter:	January 1 through March 31
Fourth Quarter:	April 1 through June 30

k. Purchasing cards are **not** authorized for purchases made by State agencies for any desktops, laptops, tablets, servers, storage or ruggedized devices.

5. Lease Agreements: Lease agreement terms and conditions have **NOT** been approved for use

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by Purchasing Entities under this Participating Addendum. Lease financing may be allowable separately under the terms and conditions of the lease financing arrangement with Ace Technology Partners, LLC or its designated and/or approved financing partner, as negotiated and agreed to by the using entity, the State of Nevada Attorney General's Office and approval by the Board of Examiners, as applicable.

6. **Primary Contacts:** The primary contact individuals for this Participating Addendum are as follows (or their named successors):

Contractor

Name	Michael Gasparino
Address	575 Lively Blvd., Elk Grove Village, IL 60007
Telephone	874-952-6911 Toll free 877-223-2667
Fax	847-952-6901
E-mail	mgasparino@acecomputers.com

Participating State

Name	Marti Marsh
Address	515 East Musser St., Ste 300, Carson City, NV 89701
Telephone	775-684-0180
Fax	775-684-0188
E-mail	mmarsh@admin.nv.gov

7. **Partner Utilization:** Only Contractor authorized Resellers and Agents in and by the State of Nevada, as shown on the dedicated Contractor (cooperative contract) website and as established in the eMarket Center, are approved to provide sales and service support to participants in the WSCA-NASPO Master Price Agreement. Contractor shall make all determinations about which entities in the State of Nevada that the Contractor authorized Reseller and Agents may support. The Contractor authorized Resellers and Agents participation will be in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the aforementioned Master Agreement and must be approved by the State of Nevada before being deployed. Authorized Resellers and Agents will be limited to five (5) with a preference for Nevada vendors.

All contractor authorized resellers and/or agents listed on the state's landing page on this website <http://www.acetechpartners.com/WSCAContract.asp>

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All orders are to be issued directly to: Ace Technology Partners, LLC. 575 Lively Blvd, Elk Grove Village, IL 60007. FX: 847-952-6901

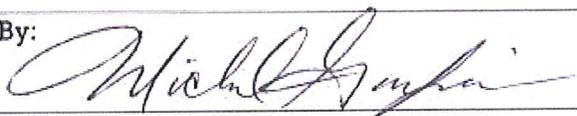
All payments are to be issued to: Ace Technology Partners, LLC. 575 Lively Blvd, Elk Grove Village, IL 60007.

All purchase orders issued by ordering entities with the jurisdiction of this Participating Addendum must include the Participating Addendum number: 8346 and the Master Agreement number MNWNC-101 on the order.

8. **Orders:** Any Order placed by an entity ordering under this Participating Addendum for hardware or software shall be deemed to be a sale under (and governed by the prices and other terms and conditions) of the Master Agreement unless the parties to the Order agree in writing that another contract or agreement applies to such Order.

9. **Terms:** The Participating State/Entity is agreeing to the terms of the Master Agreement only to the extent the terms are not in conflict with applicable law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Addendum as of the date of execution by both parties below.

Participating State: Nevada	Contractor: Ace Technology Partners, LLC
By: 	By: 
Name: Kimberlee Tatter	Name: Michael Gasparino
Title: Deputy Administrator	Title: Director of Contracts
Date: 10/1/15	Date: 10/01/2015

For questions on executing a participating addendum, please contact:

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