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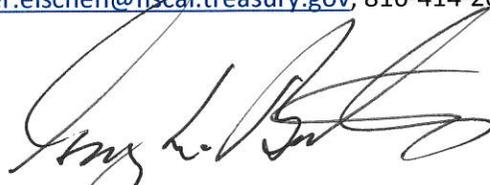
To: All Federal Program Agencies Disbursing Funds with ASAP.gov

In order to better protect your agency's financial transactions, ASAP.gov will be updating its minimum computer and internet browser requirements at the end of this calendar year. As of December 31, 2015, any computer accessing ASAP.gov will need to use an operating system and internet browser that supports Transport Layer Security (TLS) 1.2. Any visitor to ASAP.gov using a Windows XP or Windows Vista computer system, will no longer be able to access ASAP.gov. Organizations using Windows 7 or Windows 8 must ensure that their internet browsers will support TLS 1.2. This could require updating the internet browser version or changing the security policies on workstations. Below are two tables explaining the new ASAP.gov requirements for computer systems and internet browsers as well as the possible impacts to your recipients. Please communicate this change quickly to allow recipients enough time to comply with these new requirements.

ASAP.gov New Minimum Computer Operating System and Internet Browser Requirements	
Operating System	Windows 7
Internet Browser	The most current browser version provided by the vendor.

Impact of SSL to TLS Transition by Computer Operating System	
Operating System	Impact
Windows XP	Will no longer be able to access ASAP.gov
Windows Vista	Will no longer be able to access ASAP.gov
Windows 7 or greater	Must ensure that TLS 1.2 is supported by internet browser on workstation
Internet Browser	Impact
Internet Explorer 7 or below	Will no longer be able to access ASAP.gov

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