

## DISTRICT DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

### NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY

#### Implementation of Sustainable DC Projects

The District of Columbia Department of the Environment (DDOE) Natural Resources Administration (NRA), Watershed Protection Division (WPD), is soliciting applications from nonprofit organizations and educational institutions to assist DDOE with testing innovative sustainability initiatives that improve the environment, economy, and the community in an effort to make the District the healthiest, greenest, and most livable city in the nation. Six hundred fifty-six thousand one hundred seventy dollars (\$656,170.00) from the Sustainable DC Budget Challenge will be available on a competitive basis.

Applications are requested for the following projects:

#### **Building Capacity for Environmental and Sustainability Education in District of Columbia Schools**

#### **Developing and Implementing Tree Planting Plans on District Parks and Recreation and District of Columbia Public School Lands**

Beginning Friday, February 22, 2013, the full text of the Request for Applications will be available online at <http://www.dc.doe.gov>, and <http://www.opgd.dc.gov> under “District Grants Clearinghouse.” It will also be available to be picked up from:

The District Department of the Environment  
1200 First Street, N.E., Fifth Floor  
Washington, D.C. 20002

You may request an electronic version of this Request for Applications to be sent by email by writing to Grace Manubay at: [grace.manubay@dc.gov](mailto:grace.manubay@dc.gov).

**The deadline for application submission is FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 2013, at FOUR-THIRTY (4:30) P.M.** Five hard copies must be submitted to the address above, and a complete electronic copy must be emailed to [grace.manubay@dc.gov](mailto:grace.manubay@dc.gov).