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The Office Of Partnerships And Grant Services Needs Your Help. Help us get 1000 likes on our Facebook page. If you like us you will get time sensitive information on funding opportunities, job announcements, upcoming events and more that might not be in the Funding Alert. **Like Us Now.**



Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC). The Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC) registration form is now live on OPGS' website. The GIRC provides technical assistance and information about resources that improve community services in the District of Columbia for its "customers" - District government, nonprofit, and faith-based representatives. The primary focus is to assist customers who either lack computer access or the knowledge to best use their existing computer technology to strengthen their organizations. The GIRC is open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2 p.m.-4 p.m., by appointment only. For additional information call 202-727-8900.



Funding Alert: If you would like to post a **free event/resource announcement** in the Funding Alert, contact Pat Henry at pat.henry@dc.gov. All back issues of the funding alert can be found at www.opgs.dc.gov.

District Grants Clearinghouse: District agency grant opportunities are listed in the Funding Alert. These opportunities can be found on the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website at www.opgs.dc.gov. All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to dcgrants@dc.gov.

State Single Point of Contact (SPOC): The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the DC SPOC. The application is available online on OPGS's website at www.opgs.dc.gov select State Single Point of Contact. If you need additional information call Pat Henry at (202) 727-0946.

Contracting Opportunities with the District of Columbia Government: If you are interested in business/contracting opportunities with the District of Columbia Government visit the Office of Contracts and Procurement website at www.ocp.dc.gov and follow these instructions: click on "Solicitation"; click on "List All Opportunities" and finally click on "Electronic Solicitations". For additional information contact Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov

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Electronic Grants Clearinghouse

The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at:

<http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse> .

District Agency	Funding Opportunity	Deadline
Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development	FY 2016 Creative and Open Space Modernization	Rolling Application through June 1, 2016
Department of Health	Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant	June 2, 2016
Serve DC	2016 AmeriCorps State Formula Grant Competition	May 25, 2016
	Grants Supporting Fellowships	May 31, 2016
Commission on the Arts and Humanities	2017 LOCAL Appropriations	May 11, 2016
Office of Victim Services & Justice Grants	Crime Victim Assistance Grant Program	May 18, 2106
	FY 2017 Show Up, Stand Out Program: Consolidated Community-Based Truancy Reduction Grant Initiative	May 18, 2106
	LOCAL Appropriations	May 18, 2106
	LOCAL Appropriations (LOCAL)	May 11, 2015
	The Services*Training*Officers* Prosecution	May 18, 2106
	The Sexual Assault Services Formula Grant Program	May 18, 2106
DC Taxicab Commission	Wheelchair Accessible Vehicle Taxi Grant	May 9, 2016
Department of Energy and Environment	Monitoring for Trash in District Waters	May 9, 2016
Department of Youth Rehabilitation Services	Capacity Building and Administrative Partner	June 3, 2016
	A Brighter Outlook for Court-involved Youth	June 10, 2016
Department of Behavioral Health	Prevention Centers (Wards 1 & 2 and Wards 5 & 6)	June 2, 2016

Federal Opportunities

Cops-Hiring-Program-Application (DOJ). Department of Justice announces funds to support law enforcement

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agencies to hire and/or rehire career law enforcement officers in an effort to increase their community policing capacity and crime prevention efforts.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, DC government agencies and State Educational Agencies
Deadline: 6/20/2016
Funds: \$3,125,000
Contact: COPS Office Response Center or askCopsRC@usdoj.gov
Website: <http://www.cops.usdoj.gov/Default.asp?Item=2367>
Grant ID: GD6538

Fair Housing Initiatives Program - Fair Housing Organizations Initiative (HUD). *Department of Housing and Urban Development* announces funds to establish new fair housing enforcement organizations and to support the continued existence of fair housing organizations in building their capacity to enforce the prohibitions on discrimination set forth in the Fair Housing Act.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 6/23/2016
Funds: \$500,000 is available for awards
Contact: Myron Newry at Myron.P.Newry@hud.gov
Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD6537

Fair Housing Initiatives Program - Private Enforcement Initiative (HUD). *Department of Housing and Urban Development* announces funds to increase compliance with the Fair Housing Act. Funding is available for three Initiatives: Private Enforcement (PEI), Fair Housing Organization (FHOI) and Education and Outreach (EOI) Initiatives.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, for-profit organizations and small businesses
Deadline: 6/23/2016
Funds: \$7,897,458 is available for twenty-four awards
Contact: Myron Newry at Myron.P.Newry@hud.gov
Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD6536

Family Violence Prevention and Services Discretionary Grant: National Capacity Building Center to Expand Services for Children, Youth, and Abused Parents Impacted by Domestic Violence (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to expand and enhance the capacity of domestic violence and dating violence service programs, state domestic violence coalitions, community-based programs, that will offer domestic violence informed, culturally relevant, trauma-informed, and developmentally and age appropriate programming relevant to the unique needs of children, youth, and abused parents impacted by domestic violence.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations and community-based organizations

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Deadline: 6/27/2016
Funds: \$500,000 is available for awards
Contact: ACF Applications Help Desk at app_support@acf.hhs.gov
Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD6534

National Identity Theft Victims Assistance Network Expansion (DOJ). *Department of Justice* announces funds to provide support and guidance to statewide or regional identity theft victim assistance programs and coalitions through a national network that builds capacity to provide assistance to victims of identity theft and encourages expansion of existing victim service programs and coalitions to address as well as the needs of victims of cybercrime.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 6/9/2016
Funds: \$1,500,000 is available for awards
Contact: Laura Ivkovich at Laura.Ivkovich@usdoj.gov
Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD6535

Safe and Thriving Communities: Uniting Community Based Violence Prevention, Defending Childhood and National Forum Approaches to Prevent and Heal Violence (DOJ). *Department of Justice* announces funds to help initiate or strengthen work to end youth violence and improve the wellbeing of children, youth, families and communities through comprehensive approaches.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, state governments and DC government agencies
Deadline: 6/21/2016
Funds: \$3,000,000 is available for fourteen awards
Contact: Grants.gov Customer Support at or grants@ncjrs.gov
Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD6539

Foundation Opportunities

Chesapeake Bay Water Conservation. *Chesapeake Bay Stewardship Fund* announces funds to support water conservation projects that aim to protect and restore the natural resources of the Chesapeake Bay and its watershed.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, state governments, nonprofit organizations, DC government agencies and Local Educational Agencies
Deadline: 5/10/2016
Funds: \$10,000,000 is available for awards up to \$200,000 and a match is required
Contact: Jake Reilly at (202) 857-0166 or jake.reilly@nfwf.org

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Website: <http://www.nfwf.org/chesapeake/Pages/2016%20Chesapeake%20RFP.aspx>

Grant ID: GD6542

Grants Enhance Skateparks in Underserved Communities. *Tony Hawk Foundation* announces funds for the construction of new, quality skate parks located in low-income communities.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, state governments, nonprofit organizations, DC government agencies and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: 6/15/2016

Funds: \$25,000 is available for awards

Contact: Tony Hawk Foundation

Website: <http://tonyhawkfoundation.org/grant-application/>

Grant ID: GD6543

Grants for Youth Baseball, Softball Programs. *Baseball Tomorrow Fund* announces funds to finance new programs, expand or improve an existing program, new collaborative efforts, or to obtain the facilities or equipment necessary for a youth baseball or softball program.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 7/1/2016

Funds: Awards are available up to \$40,000

Contact: Baseball Tomorrow

Website: http://web.mlbcommunity.org/programs/baseball_tomorrow_fund.jsp?content=overview

Grant ID: GD6541

School Fresh Produce Program. *Chef Ann Foundation* announces funds to assist schools in expanding their students' palates, and encouraging increased consumption of and exposure to fresh produce through engagement in lunchroom education activities that encourage students to taste new vegetables and fruits offered either in a dish, cooked, or raw.

Eligibility: Independent school districts and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: No deadline

Funds: \$2,500 is available for awards

Contact: Chef Ann Foundation

Website: <http://www.thelunchbox.org/programs/grants/>

Grant ID: GD6540

Additional Funding Resources and Announcements

Call for Panelists. The DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities (DCCA) is seeking advisory review panelists for the FY17 season to perform evaluation and rating of applications, provide comments and score applicants in order to recommend recipients of DCCA awards. Residents of the District of Columbia metropolitan area are encouraged to nominate themselves or their peers to serve as a panelist. Selected panelists will

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demonstrate expertise through involvement in one or more sectors of the creative economy in the District. Individuals with arts and humanities backgrounds make the strongest candidates (i.e. artists, arts administrators, arts educators, gallery professionals, musicians, curators, art critics, etc.). The DCCAH supports panel diversity in all forms, including, but not limited to: age, race, gender, disabilities, sexual orientation, artistic discipline, location, etc. To submit and/or request more info visit <http://dcarts.dc.gov/page/fy17-call-grants-panelists> or contact Kyra Saffran at kyra.saffran@dc.gov .

Improving Lives Grants Program. The Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) has launched its revamped “Improving Lives” grants program, now open to non-profit organizations serving low-income Latin American and Caribbean communities in the Washington metropolitan area. After supporting non-profit organizations in Washington DC for more than 18 years, the IDB, in response to the growth of migrant communities, has broadened the reach of its grants program to include organizations located in the metropolitan area. The program will award five grants of up to US\$50,000 to innovative projects in areas such as community and economic development, health and welfare, and education or the arts, which will include a component of skills-based volunteering. Under the program’s revised rules, eligible organizations based in Washington, DC or surrounding counties in Maryland and Virginia may apply for grants by submitting proposals May 19, 2016. For more information contact idbcommunityrelations@iadb.org .

GlobalGiving. On June 29th, GlobalGiving is holding a 20% matching day for brand new GlobalGiving partners. Become and new partner and join GlobalGiving to reach new donors and earn matching funding in June. Applications for new partners are due May 20, 2016 to ensure eligibility. For more information visit https://www.globalgiving.org/dy/v2/pe/application/start.html?rf=spref_dc_office_grants

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

DC Community Heritage Project Grant. The DC Community Heritage Project Grant (DCCHP) is a partnership between the Humanities Council and the DC Historic Preservation Office is awarding grants up to \$2,500. This grant is designed to provide funding and support to community leaders interested in preserving the history, architecture, and collective memory of their neighborhoods. The DCCHP is local history at a grassroots level, placing control of the narrative in the hands of those who create it. These grants are awarded and mid-June, and the final product is due in October. In December, each DCCHP grantee presents their work at the DC Community Heritage Project Showcase and Symposium, a public event celebrating historic preservation in Washington, DC! Past grantees have produced documentary films, oral history projects, digital archives, walking tours, and many other types of educational materials. These materials are available to the public in the DCCHP collection of the DC Digital Museum. Deadline to submit an application is May 6, 2016. For more information visit <http://www.wdchumanities.org/humanities-project-funding/dcchp-grant/>

D.C. Department of Insurance, Securities and Banking (DISB). The D.C. Department of Insurance, Securities and Banking is hosting a Coffee and Capital event on Friday, May 6 at the Mount Vernon Place United Methodist Church, located at 900 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, from 8:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. The purpose of the event is to share information about DISB’s access to capital programs that offer innovative alternatives to financing for District entrepreneurs and small businesses. For more information and to register contact Tanya Bryant at tanya.bryant@dc.gov or 202-442-7761.

Pepco Waterfront Substation: Call to Artists. The DC Commission on the Art and Humanities (DCCAH) in partnership with Potomac Electric Power Company (Pepco) is seeking artists or artist teams for the design, fabrication and installation of a permanent work of public art for the new Pepco electrical substation coming to the Buzzard Point area in Southwest Washington, DC. Up to five semi-finalists will be selected to create site specific concept proposals. Each artist/artist team will be paid a \$2,000 design proposal stipend. The total project budget for the selected commission is \$250,000. This opportunity is open to all professional artists and teams residing in the United States. DC-based artists and teams will be given preference in the instance of identical scoring with a nationally based artist or team. The proposed artwork will be sited at the corner plaza area at 1st and R Streets, SW providing a 20 x 20sf footprint. The design and artwork fabrication/installation budget is \$250,000, which must

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include artist design fees (no more than 20% of the project budget), and costs associated with design, fabrication, transportation, shipping, installation, insurance, engineered drawings (stamped by a DC licensed engineer), permits and photo documentation of the artwork. Each Semi-Finalist will be awarded a \$2,000 honorarium to create a site-specific design proposal to include a 2-d schematic design, 3-d scale model, itemized budget, implementation schedule, and project narrative that they will present to the Art Selection Panel. Application Deadline is May 5, 2016. For more information visit <http://dcarts.dc.gov/node/1152542> .

31st Annual Mayor's Arts Awards- Call for Nominations. The Mayor's Arts Awards are the most prestigious honors conferred by the city on individual artists, teachers, nonprofit organizations and patrons of the arts. This year, the DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities will present the 31st Annual Mayor's Arts Awards. Artists and Organizations will be recognized in six categories: Excellence in the Arts, Excellence in the Humanities Excellence in Creative Industries, Outstanding Student Award, Excellence in Arts Teaching, and Outstanding New Artist. Special Awards will be given to individuals and organizations, recognizing their outstanding support to DC arts, humanities and Creative Industries. Nominations must be submitted to Good Done Great (GDG) by Friday, May 6. For more information, please contact Ebony C. Brown, Special Events Manager at ebony.brown@dc.gov or JaKenna Martin, Special Events Associate jakenna.martin@dc.gov or (202) 724-5613.

Peer Reviewers Needed. The District of Columbia Office of Victim Services and Justice Grants (OVSJG) is currently accepting applications for Peer Reviewers. OVSJG relies on the expertise of the Peer Reviewers to make the finest decisions for the District of Columbia community. Peer reviewers will have up to 30 days to read and score a minimum of 10 applications for funds available to service providers in the District to address: truancy reduction in elementary and middle schools; juvenile delinquency; and improved services for citizens returning from correctional institutions. Reviews will be expected to be held between May and July 2016. Compensation for peer reviewers will be provided. If you are interested, please submit an application to <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CKSND8R> and send your resume to ovsjg@dc.gov by May 18.

District Employers - Do You Need Free Summer Employees? The Marion S. Barry Summer Youth Employment Program (MBSYEP) is excited to announce that the 2016 application for MBSYEP Host Employers is now available. For decades, MBSYEP has provided youth ages 14 – 22 with enriching and constructive work experiences through subsidized placements in the private and government sectors and under Mayor Muriel Bowser's leadership, MBSYEP has expanded to serve youth through age 24. As President Obama, [Recently Wrote](#) "my first summer job [scooping ice cream] wasn't exactly glamorous, but it taught me some valuable lessons. Responsibility. Hard work. Balancing a job with friends, family, and school." MBSYEP has created the platform to give District youth that same valuable learning experience, but it is incomplete without support from District Employers. This summer's success depends upon District employer involvement. We need private, non-profit and government sectors partners to sign up as Host Employers. The six-week program runs from Monday, June 27 to Friday, August 5; MBSYEP is open to ALL District residents between the ages of 14 – 24 who are eligible to work in the U.S. ; the Office of Youth Programs pays participant wages; and matches are made based upon participants' career interests and employers' identified prerequisites. We are encouraging interested nonprofit, faithbased and for profit employers to apply. The deadline for applications is May 20. If interested in registering as a Host Employer for #MBSYEP2016 [Register Here](#) . For additional information and questions call 202-698-3492 or email summerjobs@dc.gov .

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