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NEWS YOU CAN USE

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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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Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

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
<i>Commission on the Arts and Humanities</i>	<i>FY 2018 Sister Cities Grant Program</i>	<i>October 27, 2017</i>
	<i>FY 2018 Budget Enhancement Grants</i>	<i>October 20, 2017</i>
	<i>FY 2018 Public Art Building Communities Grants Cycle 2</i>	<i>October 20, 2017</i>
	<i>FY 2018 Fall Grants Cycle</i>	<i>October 20, 2017</i>
<i>Office of the State Superintendent of Education</i>	<i>FY 2018 21st Century Community Learning Centers Grant</i>	<i>Will be announced in RFA</i>
	<i>FY 2018 DC Community Schools Incentive Initiative Grant</i>	<i>Will be announced in RFA</i>
	<i>DC Early Literacy Intervention Grants</i>	<i>Will be announced in RFA</i>
<i>Department of Behavioral Health</i>	<i>Strategic Prevention Framework Partnership for Success High Need Communities Grant</i>	<i>October 11, 2017</i>
<i>Office of African Affairs</i>	<i>Hepatitis Outreach Grant</i>	<i>October 6, 2017</i>
<i>Serve DC</i>	<i>2018-2019 AmeriCorps State Competitive Grant Competition</i>	<i>December 12, 2017</i>

Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

Farm Field Trip Grant (OSSE). *Office of the State Superintendent of Education* announces funds to increase the number of District students from schools, to understand how a variety of foods are cultivated, learn about the importance of consuming locally grown, fresh fruits and vegetables, and explore the landscape within and around the District as a space for growing and raising food. Request for Applications will be released on October 13, 2017. Deadline to submit applications will be posted in the RFA.

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Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: TBA
Funds: \$60,000 will be available for awards up to \$40,000
Contact: Tyler Baer at Tyler.Baer@dc.gov
Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD7509

Scholarships for Opportunity and Results (SOAR) Act Non-Profit Third-Party Teacher Pipeline Organization Grants (OSSE). *Office of the State Superintendent of Education* announces funds to impact the quality and quantity of the teacher supply for DC charter schools.. Request for Applications (RFA) will be released on October 16, 2017. Deadline to submit applications will be posted in the RFA.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: TBA
Contact: Ronda Kardash at Ronda.Kardash@dc.gov
Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD7508

Federal Opportunities

Brownfields Cleanup Grants (EPA). *Environmental Protection Agency* announces funds to prevent, conduct inventory, assess, clean up, and reuse brownfield sites.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, special district governments and DC government agencies
Deadline: 11/16/2017
Funds: \$7,500,000 is available for thirty-eight awards and a match is required
Contact: Felicia Fred at Fred.Felicia@epa.gov
Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD7520

Brownfields Assessment Grants (EPA). *Environmental Protection Agency* announces funds to assess and clean up brownfield sites.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, special district governments and DC government agencies
Deadline: 11/16/2017
Funds: \$33,500,000 is available for 145 awards a match is required
Contact: Felicia Fred at Fred.Felicia@epa.gov
Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD7521

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Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund Grants (EPA). *Environmental Protection Agency* announces funds to prevent, conduct inventory, assess, clean up, and reuse brownfield sites.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, special district governments and DC government agencies

Deadline: 11/15/2017

Funds: \$9,000,000 is available for fifteen awards and a match is required

Contact: Felicia Fred at Fred.Felicia@epa.gov

Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

Grant ID: GD7522

DELTA (Domestic Violence Prevention Enhancement and Leadership Through Alliances) Impact (HHS).

Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to bring about decreases in intimate partner violence risk factors and increases in intimate partner protective factors by increasing strategic data-driven planning and sustainable use of community and societal level primary prevention activities based on the best available evidence.

Eligibility: Independent School Districts, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations, small businesses, community-based organizations, DC government agencies and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: 1/15/2018

Funds: \$23,500,000 is available for ten awards

Contact: Jessica (Jessie) Crowel at wzu6@cdc.gov

Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

Grant ID: GD7517

Food Insecurity Nutrition Incentive Competitive Grant Program (DOA). *Department of Agriculture* announces funds to support projects that will increase the purchase of fruits and vegetables among low-income consumers participating in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) by providing incentives at the point of purchase.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 12/13/2017

Funds: \$21,000,000 is available for awards and a match is required

Contact: NIFA Help Desk at electronic@nifa.usda.gov

Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

Grant ID: GD7516

FY2018 Historically Black Colleges and Universities/Minority Institutions Program (DOD). *Department of Defense* announces funds to increase the quantity and quality of minority professionals in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) in the defense community. A Letter of Intent is required and due January 5, 2018.

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Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education and private institutions of higher education
Deadline: 1/5/2018
Funds: \$750,000 is available for five awards
Contact: David Broadwell at david.broadwell@navy.mil
Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD7514

NEA Big Read Program (NEA). *National Endowment for the Arts* announces funds to support a community reading program that broadens the understanding of the world, communities, and ourselves through the joy of sharing a good book.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 11/30/2017
Funds: Awards are available up to \$1,472,000 and a match is required
Contact: NEA Web Manager at webmgr@arts.gov
Website: <https://www.arts.gov/program-solicitation-nea-big-read>
Grant ID: GD7515

Service Area Competition (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to ensure continued access to comprehensive, culturally competent, quality primary health care services for communities and vulnerable populations currently served by the Health Center Program (<https://bphc.hrsa.gov/about/>).

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, community-based organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline: 12/13/2017
Funds: \$246,700,000 is available for eighty-five awards
Contact: Beth Hartmayer at BPHCSAC@hrsa.gov
Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>
Grant ID: GD7518

Foundation Opportunities

At-Risk Youth Support Services. *The TJX Foundation* announces funds to provide children and families with basic provisions, including food, shelter, and physical fitness programs, to support those fleeing from domestic abuse, and to support education and training programs for at-risk children and youth. A Letter of Inquiry is required and due November 17.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 11/17/2017
Contact: The TJX Foundation at tjx_foundation@tjx.com

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Website: <http://www.tjx.com/responsibility/our-communities/tjx-foundation-us.html>

Grant ID: GD7511

Disabled American Veterans Programs. *Disabled American Veterans Charitable Service Trust* announces funds to provide direct services to sick and injured veterans in the areas of food, shelter, and other necessary items for homeless or at-risk veterans; mobility items or assistance specific to veterans with blindness or vision loss, hearing loss, or amputations; qualified therapeutic activities for veterans and/or their families; physical and psychological rehabilitation projects; education, training, and career readiness services; and other forms of assistance as needed, including transportation to VA facilities.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 10/20/2017

Contact: Disabled American Veterans Charitable Service Trust at cst@dav.org

Website: <http://cst.dav.org/Grants/Default.aspx>

Grant ID: GD7503

Educator Grants. *Air Force Association* announces funds to promote aerospace education activities in kindergarten through grade 12 classrooms.

Eligibility: Independent School Districts and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: 12/15/2017

Funds: Awards are available up to \$500

Contact: Air Force Association

Website: <https://www.afa.org/informationfor/teachers/k12grants/educatorgrants>

Grant ID: GD7513

Interventions for People Who Cycle Through Multiple Systems. *Laura and John Arnold Foundation* announces funds to support randomized controlled trials focused on testing programs to help people who repeatedly cycle through the criminal justice, healthcare, and social service systems in their communities. Letters of Interest are required and due October 1.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 10/1/2017

Contact: Laura and John Arnold Foundation

Website: <http://www.arnoldfoundation.org/laura-john-arnold-foundation-issues-rfp-test-interventions-aimed-helping-individuals-cycle-mu>

Grant ID: GD7505

Mathematics Learning in Multilingual Classrooms (Pre-K-12) Program. *National Council of Teachers of Mathematics* announces funds to increase understanding and expertise in fostering support of multi-language development when teaching mathematics.

Eligibility: Independent School Districts and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: 11/30/2017

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Funds: Awards are available up to \$4,000
Contact: National Council of Teachers of Mathematics at nctm@nctm.org
Website: [http://www.nctm.org/Grants-and-Awards/Grants/Fostering-Support-of-Mathematics-Learning-in-Multilingual-Classrooms-\(Pre-K-12\)/](http://www.nctm.org/Grants-and-Awards/Grants/Fostering-Support-of-Mathematics-Learning-in-Multilingual-Classrooms-(Pre-K-12)/)
Grant ID: GD7504

Nature Works Everywhere. *Nature Conservancy* announces funds to support projects that implement green infrastructure to address local environmental challenges that will include access to healthy food, air quality, heat island effect, climate change, and storm water collection.

Eligibility: Independent School Districts and Local Educational Agencies
Deadline: 11/3/2017
Funds: Awards are available up to \$2,000
Contact: Nature Conservancy at or natureworks@tnc.org
Website: <https://www.natureworkseverywhere.org/grants/>
Grant ID: GD7507

Opportunity Grants. *Junior League of Washington* announces funds to support unexpected short-term financial need or smaller-denomination financial need related to their respective missions and/or operations.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 1/19/2017
Funds: Awards are available up to \$1,000
Contact: Junior League of Washington at grantsandvolunteers@jlw.org
Website: <https://www.jlw.org/grants/>
Grant ID: GD7510

Scaling Evidence-Based Solutions for Vulnerable Older Adults. *AARP Foundation* announces funds to support evidence-based solutions that serve vulnerable older adults in order to increase economic opportunity and social connectedness.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations and private institutions of higher education
Deadline: 10/24/2017
Contact: AARP Foundation
Website: <http://www.aarp.org/aarp-foundation/grants/info-2017/advancing-effective-solutions.html>
Grant ID: GD7519

Shade Structure Program. *American Academy of Dermatology Foundation* announces funds to support the installation of permanent shade structures where children learn and play. The shade structures should support a sun-safety awareness program.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

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Deadline: 11/17/2017

Funds: Awards are available up to \$8,000

Contact: American Academy of Dermatology Foundation at shadestructure@aad.org

Website: <https://www.aad.org/public/spot-skin-cancer/programs/shade-structure-program/eligibility-application>

Grant ID: GD7512

Tobacco-Free College Program. *Truth Initiative* announces funds to support programs that address the development of a college taskforce with broad representation of the campus to include students, staff, faculty, and administration; assess tobacco-related issues including behavior, attitudes, and support among students, faculty, and staff; educate and engage the campus community and decision-makers on the need for and benefits of a 100 percent smoke-free or tobacco-free campus; identify a plan to address tobacco treatment for those students, faculty, and staff who are interested in quitting; and develop a policy recommendation for a 100 percent smoke-free or 100 percent tobacco-free policy to present to key decision makers.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education and private institutions of higher education

Deadline: 10/11/2017

Funds: Awards are available up to \$20,000

Contact: Truth Initiative at collegegrant@truthinitiative.org

Website: <https://truthinitiative.org/collegegrant>

Grant ID: GD7506

Additional Funding Resources and Announcements

Community Impact Grants. The Home Depot Foundation is accepting applications from nonprofit organizations who use volunteers to address the physical needs of their communities. Through its Community Impact Grants program, the foundation will award grants of up to \$5,000 (in the form of Home Depot gift cards that can be used to purchase tools, materials, and services) for projects aimed at repairing, modifying, weatherizing, or otherwise improving low-income and/or transitional housing or community facilities. Priority will be given to programs that use volunteers to serve veterans with home-improvement needs. Only IRS-registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations and tax-exempt public service agencies (e.g., police/fire departments) in the United States are eligible to apply. All projects must be completed within six months following notification that the grant has been awarded. For complete program guidelines and application instructions visit <https://corporate.homedepot.com/grants/community-impact-grants>

Global Giving Year-End 2017 Accelerator. Global Giving is now accepting application for the Year-End 2017 Accelerator. Accepted organizations will receive free virtual training on crowdfunding best practices, access to GlobalGiving's fundraising tools and services, and 1-on-1 support for your #GivingTuesday and year-end fundraising campaign. Organizations can also earn a share of \$20,000+ in bonus prizes and incentive funds, and graduates of the Accelerator will receive a permanent GlobalGiving partnership. Applications are due October 20th. For more information and to apply visit https://www.globalgiving.org/accelerator/?rf=spref_dc_office_grants .

Pitch In For Baseball (PIFB). Pitch In For Baseball provides new and gently used baseball and softball equipment to boys and girls who want to play ball but lack the equipment to do so. PIFB accepts equipment requests on an ongoing basis from anyone who wants to give kids the joy of baseball/softball. (schools, youth baseball organizations, teams, etc.) There are two criteria used to assess eligibility: the program must serve economically disadvantaged kids (18 and under); and if your group is awarded an equipment grant, you must be able to cover the cost of shipping and related customs/taxes/fees. PIFB provides gloves, bats, balls, bases, catcher's gear and uniforms. For more information or to submit an application visit <http://pifb.org/receive-equipment/> .

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In-Kind Advertising Grants. Google Ad Grants is a unique in-kind advertising program that harnesses the power of the company's flagship advertising product, Google AdWords. Through the program, selected nonprofit organizations receive \$10,000 per month in in-kind AdWords advertising to promote their missions and initiatives on Google.com. The program has awarded AdWords advertising to a wide range of nonprofit organizations whose missions range from animal welfare to literacy, and from supporting homeless children to promoting HIV education. Online applications may be submitted at any time. Visit the Google website for program details at <https://www.google.com/grants/> .

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

Introduction to Corporate Giving. The Foundation Center of Washington DC is hosting the "Introduction to Corporate Giving" workshop on October 13 from 10 am to 1:30 p.m. at 1627 K Street NW, Third Floor. This free workshop will discuss how corporate grantmakers are different from traditional foundations in many ways and will provide a basic overview of: the different types of corporate giving; what motivates corporations to give; and how to find potential corporate partners. For more information and to register visit [Foundation Center](#) .

The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards. The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards is a nationwide program that honors young people in grades five to twelve who are volunteering in their communities. The program's goals are to applaud young people who already are making a positive difference in their towns and neighborhoods, and to inspire others to think about how they might contribute to their communities. Youth who have engaged in a volunteer activity that occurred during the 12 months prior to the date of application are eligible to apply. Local Honorees will be selected in late fall and from those winners two State Honorees (one middle level school student and one high school student) are chosen in each state and the District of Columbia. State Honorees will receive an award of \$1,000 and an all-expenses-paid trip to Washington, DC, for national recognition events. Out of the State Honorees, ten National Honorees will be selected to receive an additional award of \$5,000 as well as a \$5,000 grant for a nonprofit organization of their choice. The application deadline is November 7, 2017. Visit the Prudential website for online application information <https://spirit.prudential.com/about/program-overview> .

Creating Sustainable Funding for Your Nonprofit Workshop. Benevon is hosting a free capacity building workshop on Creating Sustainable Funding for Your Nonprofit. This highly engaging overview of the Benevon Model, will show you how to implement a systematic process for engaging and developing relationships with mission-focused individual donors. You will also learn how to implement permission-based fundraising, how to make your organization more visible in your community, and how to identify and cultivate individual donors who are passionate about your mission. The workshop is being held on October 10 from 1 – 3 p.m. at the Meyer Foundation, 1250 Connecticut Ave NW, Ste. 800, Washington, DC 20036. If you have any questions contact Meredith Dinneen at 206-428-2158 or meredith@benevon.com and to RSVP visit <http://www.benevon.com/intros/register-dc> .

Free Sports Equipment/ Leveling the Playing Field. Is your organizations interested in free sports equipment to enhance its programming and save money? Leveling the Playing Field (LPF) a local charity provides free sports equipment to programs that provide affordable, accessible sports programming for their communities. LPF has donated to programs throughout the DC metro area. If interested complete the equipment request form at <https://www.tfaforms.com/447669>. For more information visit www.levelingtheplayingfield.org or contact Ian Cohen at 301/844-5621 or ian@levelingtheplayingfield.org .

In-Kind Grants of Musical Instruments and Equipment. The Fender Music Foundation awards In-kind grants of musical instruments and equipment to nonprofits and public schools for music instruction programs. Instruments may include electric guitars, acoustic guitars, and bass guitars. String, percussion, woodwind, and brass instruments are also sometimes available. A qualified program must fit into one of these four categories: in-school music classes, in which the students make music; after-school music programs that are not run by the school; community music programs, which offer music instruction to community members; music therapy programs, in

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which the participants make the music. To qualify as a music instruction program the participants must be learning how to make music and can be of any age. However, music appreciation or entertainment programs do not qualify, and the participants cannot be professional or career musicians. For more information and to apply visit <http://www.fendermusicfoundation.org/grants/grants-info/>

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