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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
Office of the State Superintendent of Education	Scholarships for Opportunity and Results (SOAR) Act Non-Profit Third-Party Teacher Pipeline Organization Grants	December 1, 2017
	Access to Quality Child Care Expansion	December 15, 2017
	DC Career Academy Network (DC CAN)	December 22, 2017
	McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Grant	December 22, 2017
	Healthy Tots Wellness Grant	December 18, 2017
Department of Energy and Environment	Study of Direct Geothermal Resource Potential for Ground Source Heat Pump Technologies	January 12, 2018
Office of Victim Services and Justice Grants	FY 2018 Youth Hotline Planning Solicitation	December 8, 2017
Department of Employment Services	Pathways for Young Adults Program (PYAP) Innovation Grants Program – Pilot	December 15, 2017
	Post-Secondary- Pathways for Young Adults Program (PYAP) Innovation Grants Program – Pilot	December 15, 2017
Department of Health Care Finance	Wards 7 and 8 Telehealth Development	December 20, 2017

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Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

DFHV Innovations Programs Grants (DFHV). *Department of For-Hire Vehicles* announces funds to select For-Hire Vehicle entities with current DFHV operating authority to participate in innovative pilot projects and partnership programs aimed at improving transportation equity, expanding economic opportunities, solving problems with the taxicab industry that benefit consumers, and foster innovation.

Eligibility: Taxicab Companies
Deadline: 12/15/2017
Funds: \$750,000 is available for awards.
Contact: Gladys Kamau at Gladys.kamau@dc.gov
Website: www.opgs.dc.gov
Grant ID: GD7625

FY2018 Creative Economy Initiative Grant (DMPED). *Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development* announces funds to support the District's creative economy and to market the District in line with the Economic Strategy that is located on DCEconomicStrategy.com.

Eligibility: Small businesses
Deadline: 1/2/2018
Funds: \$500,000 is available for awards.
Contact: LaToyia Hampton at (202) 724-8111 or dmpedgrants@dc.gov
Website: www.opgs.dc.gov
Grant ID: GD7616

Federal Opportunities

FY2018 AmeriCorps State and National Grants (CNCS). *Corporation for National and Community Service* announces funds to engage AmeriCorps members in evidence-based or evidence-informed interventions to strengthen communities.

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 and community-based organizations
Deadline: 1/17/2018
Pre-Application Meeting Information: Applicants are strongly encouraged to submit a Notification of Intent to apply by 12/13/17
Match: Yes
Contact: Saran White at (202) 606-6818 or dc@cns.gov

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Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD7617

National Non-Profit Organization Grant Program (DHS). *Department of Homeland Security* announces funds to support the U.S. Coast Guard, as the lead agency, in the development and maintenance of the Strategic Plan of the National Recreational Boating Safety Program.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 1/26/2018

Funds: \$5,134,493 is available for 30 awards

Contact: Cynthia Dudzinski at (202) 372-1064
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Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD7624

OVW FY2018 Grants for Outreach and Services to Underserved Populations Program (DOJ). *Department of Justice* announces funds to develop and implement outreach strategies targeted at, and provide victim services to, adult and youth victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking in underserved populations.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 1/26/2018

Funds: \$4,700,000 is available for fourteen awards.

Contact: Kara Moller at (202) 616-3464 or
Kara.Moller@usdoj.gov

Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD7619

OVW FY2018 Training and Services to End Violence against Women with Disabilities Grant Program (DOJ). *Department of Justice* announces funds to create sustainable change within and between organizations that results in increased capacity to respond to individuals with disabilities and Deaf individuals who are victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking and to hold perpetrators of such crimes accountable.

Eligibility: County governments, state governments and nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 1/26/2018

Funds: \$4,275,000 is available for ten awards

Contact: Sylvia Pauling at (202) 514-0748 or sylvia.pauling@usdoj.gov

Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD7618

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Self-Help Homeownership Opportunity Program (SHOP) (HUD). *Department of Housing and Urban Development* announces funds to facilitate and encourage innovative homeownership opportunities on a national, geographically diverse basis through the provision of self-help homeownership housing programs.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 2/24/2018
Funds: \$10,000,000 is available for four awards
Match: Yes
Contact: Thann Young at Thann.young@hud.gov
Website: www.grants.gov
Grant ID: GD7622

Veterans Business Outreach Center Program (VBOC) (SBA). *Small Business Administration* announces funds for the implementation of a VBOC. Applicants are expected to provide entrepreneurship training through the Boots to Business (B2B) and Reboot Training programs to transitioning military personnel and veteran small business owners and entrepreneurs.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations and private institutions of higher education
Deadline: 1/8/2018
Funds: \$6,000,000 is available for 23 awards
Contact: Janet Moorman at (202) 205-7419 or janet.moorman@sba.gov
Website: www.grants.gov
Grant ID: GD7620

Youth Service and Conservation Corps Workforce Development (DOT). *Department of Transportation* announces funds to assist in encouraging States and regional transportation planning agencies to enter into contracts and cooperative agreements with qualified youth service or conservation corps to perform appropriate projects eligible under the Federal-aid highway program and expand youth workforce development opportunities while strengthening transportation career pathways.

Eligibility: County governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education and DC government agencies
Deadline: 1/8/2018
Funds: \$300,000 is available for awards
Contact: Freida Byrd at (202) 366-6547
Website: www.grants.gov
Grant ID: GD7623

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

Community Tool Grant Program. Park Tool Foundation is accepting applications for its Community Tool Grant Program. The Park Tool Community Grant, <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html> helps local

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non-profit cycling organizations will help deserving non-profit organizations get the support they need give back to their neighborhoods and communities. Awards up to \$1,400 will be given to ten organizations. Deadline for application is December 31st. For more information and to apply visit <https://www.parktool.com/form/community-tool-grant-request>

Free Insurance Legal Clinic for Nonprofits. The D.C. Bar Pro Bono Center is hosting a Free Insurance Legal Clinic for Nonprofits. Do you have a good understanding about the basic provisions of your insurance? Do you know what is covered by your policies? What if you are sued by a former director? A former employee? A former client? Will the insurance company provide your organization with an attorney to represent you in court? Are there any limits on the types of claims covered? To help you have a better understanding of the ins and outs of your organization's insurance, the D.C. Bar Pro Bono Center is sponsoring a free clinic on December 8, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at Kilpatrick Townsend & Stockton LLP, 607 14th Street, NW. The clinic will begin with a short overview of insurance basics as it applies to your organization, followed by one-on-one meetings with attorney volunteers who will conduct a basic review of your nonprofit's insurance policies so you have a better understanding about what is in the policies. Please contact Lauren Paley at Lpaley@dcbar.org to register. Registration is required.

Call for Panelists. The DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities (CAH) is seeking advisory review panelists for the FY18 season to perform evaluation and rating of applications, provide comments and score applicants in order to recommend recipients of CAH 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 demonstrate expertise through involvement in one or more sectors of the creative economy in the District for a minimum of two years. Individuals with arts and humanities backgrounds make the strongest candidates (i.e. artists, arts administrators, arts educators, gallery professionals, curators, art critics, film professionals, etc.) CAH supports panel diversity in all forms: age, race, gender, disabilities, sexual orientation, artistic discipline, location, etc. To submit and/or request more info, email the completed nomination form and resume with home address clearly stated at the top to Coordinator Travis Marcus at travis.marcus@dc.gov. For full details on the panels' application process, please [click here](#).

MLK Day of Service Impact School Grants. Grants of up to \$1,500 are available to schools that meaningfully engage students to #LeadASAP on national days of service (9/11 Day of Service, MLK Day of Service, and Global Youth Service Day) and help them learn, lead, and achieve. Youth Service America (YSA) in partnership with the Corporation for National and Community Service, will select 50 K-12 public schools to receive a grant to support engaging students in a schoolwide service activities during the weekend of Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service (January 13-15, 2018) with some classes continuing through Global Youth Service Day (April 20-22, 2018). For more information and to apply visit www.YSA.org/MLKDayGrants.

After-School Athletic Programs for Middle Schoolers Funded. The Justin J. Watt Foundation provides after-school opportunities for middle school-aged children to become involved in athletics, so that they may learn the character traits of accountability, teamwork, leadership, work ethics, and perseverance, while in a safe and supervised environment with their peers. Funding for uniforms and/or equipment is provided to approved schools that have an after-school athletic program for 6th to 8th graders and where over 60% of students are eligible for Free/Reduced Lunch program. Schools must provide a secure place to store uniforms and equipment, as well as staff, transportation, and space for the after-school program. Requests may be submitted throughout the year and are reviewed every month except June, July, and December. For more information visit the Foundation's website at <http://jjwfoundation.org/funding-requests/>.

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