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## NEWS YOU CAN USE

**THE OFFICE OF PARTNERSHIPS AND GRANT SERVICES**  
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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).*** Please note: The GIRC is currently off line until further notice. 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](mailto:pat.henry@dc.gov). All back issues of the funding alert can be found at [www.opgs.dc.gov](http://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](http://www.opgs.dc.gov). All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to [dcgrants@dc.gov](mailto:dcgrants@dc.gov).

***State Single Point of Contact (SPOC):*** The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the DC SPOC. For information about a SPOC ID number contact Pat Henry at [pat.henry@dc.gov](mailto:pat.henry@dc.gov) or call (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 [Solicitations](#) and follow these instructions. For additional information contact [Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov](mailto: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
Department of Human Services	FY 2019 Prevention of Homelessness among Low-Income Individuals and Families	Postponed until further notice
	The District of Columbia Homeless Youth 24-Hour Drop In Center	November 11, 2018
	Project Reconnect Diversion / Rapid Exit	November 2, 2018
Department of Small and Local Business Development	DC Main Streets (South Dakota Ave/Riggs Road (Wards 4 & 5) and Upper Bladensburg Road (Ward 5)	November 2, 2018
Department of Behavioral Health	State Targeted Response Grant, Implementation of Emergency Department Medication Assisted Treatment Induction	October 29, 2018 (deadline changed)
Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development	FY19 Great Streets Retail Small Business Grant	October 22, 2018
Department of For-Hire Vehicles	FY 2019 Business Transformation Grants	September 26, 2018
Office of the State Superintendent of Education	FY 2019 Cafeteria Staff Training Grant	October 25, 2018
Department of Energy and Environment	Support for Trainings and Research on DOEE's Stormwater Rules	October 1, 2018
	RiverSmart Homes Installation and Rebate Programs	October 8, 2018
Department of Health (DC Health)	Diffusion of Care Funding	October 19, 2018

## Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

**DC Correctional Facility Stakeholder Engagement (OVSJG).** Office of Victim Services and Justice Grants announces funds to build stakeholder engagement and solicit feedback related to the design and construction of a new correctional facility in the District of Columbia. Request for Applications will be available October 1, 2018.

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Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations  
Deadline: 10/31/2018  
Contact: Michelle Garcia at (202) 724-7216 or [michelle.garcia@dc.gov](mailto:michelle.garcia@dc.gov)  
Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD8265

**FY19 Commercial Compactor Demonstration Grant Program (DSLBD).** *Department of Small and Local Business Development* announces funds to support programs that will install trash compactors in target areas, which will minimize sanitation and rodent issues in the District's commercial corridors.

Eligibility: For-profit organizations and small businesses  
Deadline: 12/7/2018  
Funds: \$80,000 is available for awards  
Contact: DSLBD at (202) 727-3900 or [dslbd@dc.gov](mailto:dslbd@dc.gov)  
Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD8257

**Gigabit DC Challenge (OCTO).** *Office of the Chief Technology Officer* announces funds to support next-gen, high-performance applicants that address complex challenges in the areas of city mobility and the environment. Request for Applications will be available on October 13.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education and community-based organizations  
Deadline: 11/12/2018  
Pre-Application Meeting Information: GigabitDCx Kickoff Event, October 13, 2018, 9 a.m. EDT WeWork, 80 M Street, SE, 20009  
Funds: \$34,000 is available for two awards  
Contact: Jack Burbridge at [jack.burbridge@dc.gov](mailto:jack.burbridge@dc.gov)  
Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD8264

**Improving Pediatric Asthma Outcomes Expansion (DOH).** *Department of Health (DC Health)* announces funds to support data-driven clinical interventions and innovative health system and community linked interventions to reduce ED visits and improve asthma management among District children, age 2-18 years. Request for Applications will be available on October 12.

Eligibility: Faith-based organizations and community-based organizations  
Deadline: 11/9/2018  
Pre-Application Meeting Information: Pre-application meeting will be held on October 18 from 3 pm to 4:30 p.m. at 899 N. Capitol St. NE Third Floor, Room # 306. To register for conference call go to <https://dcnet.webex.com/dcnet/k2/j.php?MTID=te37465d456a2b553dc0cd7f9beeb1b926>  
Funds: \$210,000 is available for three awards  
Contact: LaVerne Jones at (202) 442-9151 or [laverne.jones@dc.gov](mailto:laverne.jones@dc.gov)

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Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD8263

**Multi-Component Obesity Prevention in Targeted Settings (DOH).** *Department of Health (DC Health)* announces funds to support place-based multi-component obesity prevention efforts through implementation of programs, organizational policies, and guidelines in three intervention areas: a) increase access to healthy food and beverages b) increase physical activity access and outreach c) increase referrals and access to evidence-based lifestyle change programs. Request for Applications will be available on October 12.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education and small businesses  
Deadline: 11/9/2018  
Pre-Application Meeting Information: Pre application conference will be held on October 18 from 1 pm to 2:30 pm at 899 N. Capitol St. NE Third Floor, #306. To register for Conference Call Access go to <https://dcnet.webex.com/dcnet/k2/j.php?MTID=taaf707138ccbf6a206183460ad60ab2e>  
Funds: \$320,000 is available for six awards  
Contact: LaVerne Jones at (202) 442-9151 or [laverne.jones@dc.gov](mailto:laverne.jones@dc.gov)  
Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD8262

## **Federal Opportunities**

**Assistance to Firefighters Grants (HS).** *Department of Homeland Security* announces funds to support programs that will enhance the safety of the public and firefighters with respect to fire and fire-related hazards.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies  
Deadline: 10/26/2018  
Funds: \$9,000,000 is available for 2,500  
Contact: AFG Help Desk at (866) 274-0960 or [firegrants@dhs.gov](mailto:firegrants@dhs.gov)  
Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=309032>  
Grant ID: GD8260

**Access and Mobility Partnership Grants; Human Services Coordination Research (DOT).** *Department of Transportation* announces funds to support the implementation of innovative strategies in the coordination of human services transportation to provide more effective and efficient public transportation services to seniors, individuals with disabilities, and low-income individuals.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies  
Deadline: 11/13/2018  
Funds: \$2,434,767 is available for 10 awards  
Contact: Kelly Tyler at [Kelly.Tyler@dot.gov](mailto:Kelly.Tyler@dot.gov)

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Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=308944>

Grant ID: GD8261

**FY 2019 RSVP Competition (CNCS).** *Corporation for National and Community Service* announces funds to support the RSVP program that offers a diverse range of volunteer activities that serve communities to create measurable impact, benefit volunteers through the service experience, and create community capacity.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education and DC government agencies

Deadline: 11/7/2018

Funds: \$13,700,000 is available for 211 awards

Contact: CNCS at [2019RSVP@cns.gov](mailto:2019RSVP@cns.gov)

Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=309121>

Grant ID: GD8258

**Thinking for a Change Facilitator Program (DOJ).** *Department of Justice* announces funds to support the implementation of the Thinking for a Change (T4C) integrated cognitive behavioral change program that is designed to provide capacity building support to correctional clients, adults and youth, males and females

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, for-profit organizations and small businesses

Deadline: 12/20/2018

Funds: \$120,000 is available for awards

Contact: Cameron Coblentz at (202) 514-0053 or [ccoblentz@bop.gov](mailto:ccoblentz@bop.gov)

Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=309119>

Grant ID: GD8259

## **Additional Funding Resources and Announcements**

**Art and Humanities Grants.** The DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities (CAH) requests applications from eligible District-based nonprofit organizations for grants to support various projects that promote arts and humanities activities to a diverse range of communities, as identified in the aforementioned legislation. Grant awards are competitive and subject to the availability of funds. All grant applications must be submitted online. For more information and to submit an application, please visit: <https://dcarts.dc.gov/page/current-grant-opportunities>. Deadline to apply is Friday, October 19.

## **Previous Funding Resources and Announcements**

**Creating Sustainable Funding from Individual Donors: A Proven Model.** Benevon will be hosting a free workshop on Creating Sustainable Funding from Individual Donors: A Proven Model on Tuesday, October 23 from 10 am to 2 p.m. at the Foundation Center, 1627 K St NW. In this highly engaging session, you will learn how to implement a systematic process for engaging and developing relationships with mission-focused individual donors. You will also learn how to create a culture of philanthropy in your organization, how to make your organization more visible in your community, and how to identify and cultivate individual donors who are passionate about your mission. This model has been customized and implemented with all types of nonprofit organizations. Key

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organizational leadership, including board members, executive director or CEO, development director, and volunteers should register to attend. For more information contact Michelle Zendarski at 206-428-2144 [michelle@benevon.com](mailto:michelle@benevon.com) or visit <https://www.benevon.com/dc-free-seminar/>

**The Center for Juvenile Justice Reform Multi-System Collaboration TTA Program.** The Center for Juvenile Justice Reform (CJJR), in partnership with the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention's Center for Coordinated Assistance to States (CCAS), has issued a request for applications from jurisdictions seeking to engage in multi-system improvement efforts. The Multi-System Collaboration Training and Technical Assistance Program ([additional information](#)) supports jurisdictions that are interested in developing or enhancing a sound infrastructure to promote multi-system approaches to serving at-risk, justice-involved youth and their families. On behalf of CCAS, CJJR the program will provide on-site and distance-learning training and technical assistance to a cohort of up to four jurisdictions—at no cost to the sites—to help them to identify gaps in policy and practice, enhance information sharing capacities, explore how key decision points impact the trajectory of the youth currently being served, develop an evaluation strategy for tracking systems- and youth-level outcomes, and sustain long-term system change. Deadline to apply is October 1, 2018.

**In-Kind Support.** The Washington Nationals provide in-kind support to military and nonprofit organizations located in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, and Washington, DC. Support will be given in the form of in-kind donations, including game tickets and memorabilia from the Washington Nationals. For more information and to apply visit their website at <https://www.mlb.com/nationals/community/donations-fundraising> or contact Nationals Community Relations department at 202-640-7706.

**Costco Wholesale Foundation.** Costco Wholesale Foundation provides Grants and in-kind donations to nonprofit organizations for programs in the areas of human services, health, education, and children. This program is open to organizations operating in communities where Costco has a business presence. For an organization to receive a grant or an in-kind contribution the decision is based on several factors, including: type of program; identified community need not otherwise available; indication that evidenced based data will establish measureable results of intended outcomes; community collaboration; broad base of financial support; project budget and operating expenses. For more information visit <https://www.costco.com/charitable-giving.html>

**Understanding the Fundamentals of the Employment Relationship: A Four-Part Employment Law Course for Nonprofits.** This four-part course is designed to give participants a comprehensive overview of the employment laws that affect nonprofits, including laws dealing with employment discrimination, minimum wage, overtime, and family-medical leave. Sessions will be taught by experienced employment lawyers from the law firm of Crowell & Moring. This program is co-sponsored by the D.C. Bar Pro Bono Center, the D.C. Office of Partnerships and Grant Services, and the Center for Nonprofit Advancement. Sessions will be held on consecutive Tuesday Evenings, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., beginning October 16, 2017 in downtown D.C. More information, and the registration page, can be found at <https://bit.ly/2BDC5CE>. If you have any questions about this training, please contact Stanley Augustin at (202) 780-2738 or [saugustin@dcbar.org](mailto:saugustin@dcbar.org).

**Culture of Health Prize.** The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation is accepting applications for the Culture of Health Prize. This award recognizes communities nationwide that have placed a priority on health and are creating powerful partnerships and deep commitments that will enable everyone, especially those facing the greatest barriers to good health, the opportunity to live well. A Culture of Health recognizes that health and well-being are greatly influenced by where we live, learn, work, and play; the safety of our surroundings; and the relationships we have in our families and communities. The Prize elevates the compelling stories of local leaders and community members who together are transforming neighborhoods, schools, businesses, and more—so that better health flourishes everywhere. The deadline to submit an application is November 1, 2018. For more information visit <https://www.rwjf.org/en/library/funding-opportunities/2017/chr-prize6.html>.

**2018 Citizenship Workshop Schedule.** The New American Workforce facilitates citizenship assistance through. They will be hosting a series of workshops where experienced immigration professionals will provide an introduction to the citizenship process; including eligibility requirements, benefits of citizenship and group Q&A.

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Workshops will be held Friday, October 5th from 12-1:30pm at 200 I Street SE; Monday, November 5th from 12-1:30pm at 441 4th Street NW; and Tuesday, December 4th from 12-1:30pm at 4058 Minnesota Ave Avenue NE. For more information contact Kallie Aultman at 202 383 5999 or [kaultman@immigrationforum.org](mailto:kaultman@immigrationforum.org)

**Environmental Marketing Support.** The Temper of the Times Foundation promotes the use of standard marketing concepts to increase awareness about environmental issues. The foundation awards grants of up to \$15,000 to nonprofit organizations to help underwrite the costs of advertising designed to promote the conservation and restoration of native wildlife, plants, and ecosystems in the United States. Grant funds may be used to fund the production of print, radio, or television ads; to pay for advertising space or airtime; or to produce or distribute pamphlets, books, videos, or press packets. To be eligible, applicants must be recognized as tax-exempt under Section 501(c) (3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code. The deadline to submit an application is December 15, 2018. For more information visit <http://www.temperfund.org/>.

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