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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). 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. 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. For information about a SPOC ID number contact Pat Henry at 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

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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
	FY19 Commercial Compactor Demonstration Grant Program	December 7, 2018
Department of Behavioral Health	State Targeted Response Grant, Implementation of Emergency Department Medication Assisted Treatment Induction	October 29, 2018
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
	FY 2019 Nutrition Education and Physical Activity Grant	Deadline will be posted in the RFA
Department of Health (DC Health)	Diffusion of Care Funding	October 19, 2018
Office of Victim Services and Justice Grants	DC Correctional Facility Stakeholder Engagement	October 31, 2018
Office of the Chief Technology Officer	Gigabit DC Challenge	November 12, 2018
Department of Health (DC Health)	Improving Pediatric Asthma Outcomes Expansion	November 12, 2018
	Multi-Component Obesity Prevention in Targeted Settings	November 9, 2018

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Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

Core Health Information Exchange Capabilities for Providers (HCF). *Department of Health Care Finance* announces funds to support the design, development and installation (DDI) and Operations and Maintenance (O & M) of specific health information technology (HIT) and health information exchange (HIE) capabilities.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 11/16/2018
Funds: One award is available up to \$250,000
Contact: Michael Fraser at Michael.Fraser@dc.gov
Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD8277

Green Bank Development Phase II (DOEE). *Department of Energy and Environment* announces funds to support the best solutions to lay a foundation for the DC Green Bank.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations and private institutions of higher education
Deadline: 11/5/2018
Funds: \$250,000 is available for awards
Contact: Department of Energy And Environment at 2018GFAddevelopment.grants@dc.gov
Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD8276

Federal Opportunities

FY19 Farm to School Grant (DOA). *Department of Agriculture* announces funds to support the implementation of farm to school programs that improve access to local foods in eligible schools.

Eligibility: City or township governments, independent school districts, nonprofit organizations, DC government agencies and Local Educational Agencies
Deadline: 12/4/2018
Funds: \$7,500,000 is available for 105 awards
Contact: Carla Garcia at Carla.Garcia@usda.gov
Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=309362>
Grant ID: GD8278

Healthy Start Initiative: Eliminating Disparities in Perinatal Health (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to support programs that will improve health outcomes before, during, and after pregnancy, and reduce racial/ethnic differences in rates of infant death and adverse perinatal outcomes.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations and community-based organizations
Deadline: 11/27/2018

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Funds: \$95,000,000 is available for 100 awards
Contact: Benita Baker at MCHBHealthyStart@hrsa.gov
Website: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=307918>
Grant ID: GD8275

Foundation Opportunities

Educator Grant Program. *Air Force Association* announces funds to support programs designed to promote aerospace education activities in classrooms from kindergarten through twelfth grade.

Eligibility: Independent School Districts and Local Educational Agencies
Deadline: 12/15/2018
Funds: Forty awards are available up to \$500
Contact: Air Force Association
Website: <https://www.afa.org/education/k-12-educator-grants/>
Grant ID: GD8281

Creative Arts for Court-Involved Youth. *Progressive Life Center/Department of Youth Rehabilitation Services* announce funds to support qualified applicants to partner with Progressive Life Center and the Department of Youth Rehabilitation Services in the implementation and delivery of a comprehensive and coordinated system of programs and activities for court-involved youth and families that will include a wide range of programs that emphasize individual strengths, personal accountability, public safety, skill development, family involvement and community support. The Request for Applications will be released on Friday, October 19. All applicants are required to submit a Notice of Intent to Apply by November 2nd.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, for-profit organizations, small businesses and community-based organizations
Deadline: November 19, 2018
Pre-Application Meeting Information: A Pre-Application technical assistance workshop will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 1, 2018 at the Progressive Life Center, 1933 Montana Ave NE. Pre-registration for the workshop is required. RSVP to reserve a space by emailing Progressive Life Center at PLCRFP@plcntu.org
Funds: \$150,000 is available for one award
Contact: Progressive Life Center/Department of Youth Rehabilitation Services at PLCRFP@plcntu.org
Website: <https://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD8283

Film Festival and Education Programs. *Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences Foundation* announces funds to support programs that create culturally diverse viewing experiences, promote motion pictures as an art form, provide a platform for underrepresented artists, and cultivate new and dedicated audiences for theatrical films.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

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Deadline: 11/16/2018
Funds: Awards are available up to \$20,000
Contact: Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences Foundation
Website: <https://www.oscars.org/education-grants/grants>
Grant ID: GD8280

Quality of Life Grants. *Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation* announces funds to support a wide range of projects that will impact individuals living with paralysis and their families.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, nonprofit organizations, Hospitals, DC government agencies and Local Educational Agencies
Deadline: 10/31/2018
Funds: Awards are available up to \$25,000
Contact: Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation at (800) 225-0292
Website: <https://www.christopherreeve.org/get-support/grants-for-non-profits/application-process>
Grant ID: GD8279

Rainmakers Giving Circle. *Washington Area Women's Foundation* announces funds to support programs that serve economically vulnerable girls and young women aged 24 years or younger living in the District of Columbia; Prince George's County, MD; or Arlington, VA. helping them to develop useful life skills, improve their self-esteem and achieve their full potential.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 12/3/2018
Funds: Five awards are available up to \$15,000
Contact: Washington Area Women's Foundation at rainmakersgivingcircle@gmail.com
Website: <https://thewomensfoundation.org/rainmakers-giving-circle/>
Grant ID: GD8282

Additional Funding Resources and Announcements

Building a Budget, Understanding Allowable Expenses and Tying Cost Estimates into Budget Narratives Workshop. The DC Criminal Justice Coordinating Council's Grants Planning Committee cordially invites you to *Building a Budget, Understanding Allowable Expenses and Tying Cost Estimates into Budget Narratives*. This is the final training in the 2018 GPC Training Series, and will focus on helping government and non-profit partners understand best practices associated with building a program or grant-specific budget. Often given less attention than program narratives or project abstracts, budgets and budget narratives are critical to demonstrating that your organization understands what is needed to execute a proposed initiative or intervention. Through this training, attendees will hear directly from grant-makers on best practices, common mistakes, and tricks to improving your ability to build a budget for a fundable project. The Training will be held on, Wednesday, October 24th from 10AM-12PM at 441 4th Street NW, 11th Floor – Room 1117. To register visit <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/building-a-budget-understanding-allowable-expenses-and-tying-cost-estimates-into-budget-narratives-tickets-50688856735>.

Many Hands Foundation FY2019 Grant Applications. Nonprofit organizations serving women, children, and families in the Washington DC area are available to apply for the Many Hands Foundation 2019 grant award. Four

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grants are awarded each year up to \$100,000. Letters of Intent are required from organizations interested in applying for the grant. The Many Hands Grants committee reviews the LOI's and qualified organizations will be referred to one of four Focus Area Committees -- Education, Health, Housing and Job Readiness -- for further consideration. In April, each Focus Area Committee will request detailed financial information from the three organizations it considers best suited to receive the \$100,000 grant. In May, each committee will select one finalist to present to Many Hands donors for a vote. One organization will receive \$100,000. Other finalists will receive smaller grants. Last year, the smaller grants were \$40,500 each. For more information and to apply visit the "Apply for a Grant" section of the web site at www.manyhandsdc.org and complete the Letter of Intent form and Grant Application by October 26.

The Renewal Awards. The Renewal Awards program, sponsored by The Atlantic and the Allstate Insurance Company, was created to celebrate the social innovation demonstrated by nonprofit organizations that are finding creative solutions to America's most pressing problems. The program recognizes these organizations and individuals as they drive positive change in their communities, and helps them make an even bigger impact. Five winners will each receive \$20,000 in funding from Allstate; one of the winners will additionally be presented with the Allstate Youth Empowerment Award. The nomination deadline is November 30, 2018. To review the official rules and submit an online nomination visit <https://www.theatlantic.com/renewal-awards/>.

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

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 twelve months prior to the date of application are eligible to apply. Local Honorees are 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 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 are 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 6, 2018. Visit the Prudential website for online application information at <https://spirit.prudential.com/about/program-overview>

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.

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 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 or visit <https://www.benevon.com/dc-free-seminar/>

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

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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.

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. Workshops will be held 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

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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