DC Department of Employment Services

Office of Wage Hour

Public Education Program Round 2

Request For Applications (RFA)

RFA No.: DOES-PEP2-2019

RFA Release Date: February 22nd, 2019

Pre-Application Meeting

Location: 4058 Minnesota Avenue, NE, Washington, DC 20019

Room: 5201

Date & Time: March 5th, 2019 at 11:00am

(Please email OGAGRANTS@dc.gov if you will be attending the pre-application meeting.)

Letter of Intent Deadline: March 7th, 2019 by 5:00 pm

Application Submission Deadline:

March 21st, 2019 by 5:00 pm

Applications shall be submitted electronically through the Grants Management Portal, click here: Grants Management System

PAPER APPLICATIONS, LATE OR INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED
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Section A: Funding Opportunity Description

Scope

The Department of Employment Services (DOES), Office of Wage-Hour (OWH) is developing a community-based public education program, involving the non-profit community. Two non-profits may be selected annually, and will be assigned 2 to 4 wards in the District for which they will be trained and required to perform outreach to District employees, employers, and residents to raise awareness for DOES OWH and to inform the community of wage laws, employee commuter benefits, and First Source requirements. DOES OWH will require grantees to participate in trainings and submit monthly reports detailing the number of businesses, employees and residents contacted.

Each application should include a two to five page program narrative (page count does not include the organizational chart, staffing plans, staff resumes, budget, budget attachments or program addendums).

Background

This grant opportunity is intended to increase outreach efforts and raise awareness of the District’s wage laws and inform residents and employees of proper procedures to file a claim, when their rights are violated. By utilizing the non-profit community, DOES OWH will be able to tap into an already existing network that engages with residents and employees daily. DOES, OWH currently has $120,000 in funding available. This grant opportunity will provide non-profits with the necessary tools needed to facilitate public education forums for employers, employees and residents, provide referrals for employees interested in filing a claim, and build a more open relationship with residents, employees and employers.

In an effort to expand DOES OWH outreach efforts to some of the District’s most vulnerable communities, this program will also include collaboration with other District agencies including the Mayor’s Office of Asian/Pacific Islander Affairs (MOAPIA) and the Mayor’s Office of Latino Affairs (MOLA).

Office of Wage Hour – Public Education Program Grant

The objective of the program is to increase the public awareness regarding employee rights and employer responsibilities regarding wage laws and benefits. The organizations selected must have a proven track record for implementing effective outreach strategies to the public in the District of Columbia, convening stakeholders, holding public meetings, and working in partnerships in a collaborative manner. The two selected grantees will be required to report data detailing the number of referrals received, contacts made with employers, employees, and residents, and planned events. Non-profits selected will be responsible for performing their work in their assigned wards and each nonprofit will be responsible for four wards – which will be assigned by DOES. Additionally, grantees will be responsible for facilitating joint evening events with DOES OWH, where intakes will also be performed. Organizations will also be required to submit a work plan and schedule of proposed events.

Grantees shall incorporate the provided DOES logos, taglines, identifiers and/or other branding on all products, programs, activities, services, resources and related property and materials funded by DOES.

Each program must include and detail the following outreach elements for a) employees, employers and b) the broader public:

1. Diverse and underserved communities
2. Outreach and public education strategies
3. Media and promotion
4. Employer education and outreach  
   a. Small Businesses  
5. Approach and strategies to share information and referrals with DOES  
6. Language capacity [English, Spanish, and other languages as needed]  
7. Grant management and reporting  
   a. Organization and staff qualifications  
8. Collaborative strategies for working with the District  

Rights and Responsibilities  
The grantee shall not assign or otherwise transfer any rights, duties, obligations or interest in the agreement or arising hereunder to any person, entity or entities whatsoever without the prior written consent of DOES.  

Outcomes  
Organizations that are selected for this grant opportunity are responsible for the following outcomes:  

- Make contact with a minimum of 250 employers and 500 employees within the year.  
- Expand and diversify outreach by providing translation services for Latino and Asian/Pacific Islander communities during events.  
- Provide a minimum of 250 District employers with required notices and information regarding wage laws.  
- Assist DOES OWH with providing support to other District agencies through strategic outreach. (Grantees must have the capacity to give businesses a full training on the wage law requirements once they have received training from the Office of Wage-Hour)  

Training  
Once organizations are selected for program participation, each will be required to participate in an extensive training conducted by DOES OWH consisting of wage law education, operation parameters and orientation.  

Timeline  
Please submit a draft timeline of events, conferences, or meetings to be potentially held for employers, employees and residents offsite and/or at your D.C. office.  

Source of Grant Funding  
The funds are made available through District of Columbia appropriations. Funding for grant awards is contingent upon availability of funds. This RFA does not commit DOES to make a grant award. DOES maintains the right to adjust the number of grant awards and grant award amounts based on funding availability. Grant funds shall only be used to support activities specifically outlined in the scope of this RFA and included in the applicant’s submission.  

DOES may suspend or terminate an outstanding RFA, pursuant to its own grant-making policies or any applicable local or federal regulation or requirement.
Anticipated Number of Awards

DOES intends to grant up to two awards. DOES, however reserves the right to make additional awards or no awards pending availability of funds.

Total Amount of Funding to be Awarded

The total amount of funding that DOES anticipates to be available for award is $120,000. Please see chart below for details:

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<th>Grant Name</th>
<th>Maximum Grant Award</th>
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<td>Public Education Program</td>
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The responses to this RFA must be reasonable and appropriate based on the information provided within this RFA.

Period of Performance

The “Office of Wage-Hour Public Education Program” will operate from the date of award through 12 months thereafter. The Department of Employment Services reserves the sole right to exercise a single option beyond the original period of performance contingent upon the availability of funding and satisfactory performance from the grantee.

Location Requirements

For the purpose of this RFA, all applicants must currently hold office space in the District of Columbia and be able to provide program services in the District of Columbia. Each applicant must provide legal proof of ownership or occupancy of the site that will be used to host events.

Adequate proof of ownership or occupancy that may be submitted includes the following:

- Certificate of Occupancy issued by the Department of Consumer & Regulatory Affairs (DCRA) that shows the location has sufficient space to host the events proposed by the applicant;
- Building lease or rental agreement that is current and valid.

The applicant must submit written notice of any site changes within 24 hours of the proposed change. DOES must approve any site changes, prior to the proposed change.

Grant Making Authority

DOES maintains the right to issue grant awards via the “Workforce Job Development Grant-Making Authority Act of 2012.” DOES also maintains the right to adjust the number of grant awards and grant award amounts based on funding availability. Funding for the award is contingent on availability of funds. The following are the Department of Employment Services rights and responsibilities:

- The Agency reserves the right to accept or deny any or all applications if the Agency determines it is in the best interest of the Agency to do so. The Agency shall notify the applicant if it rejects that applicant's proposal. The Agency may suspend or terminate an outstanding RFA pursuant to its own grant making rule(s) or any applicable federal regulation or requirement.
The Agency reserves the right to issue addenda and/or amendments subsequent to the issuance of the RFA, or to rescind the RFA.

The Agency shall not be liable for any costs incurred in the preparation of applications in response to the RFA. Applicant agrees that all costs incurred in developing the application are the applicant’s sole responsibility.

The Agency may conduct pre-award on-site visits to verify information submitted in the application and to determine if the applicant’s facilities are appropriate for the services intended.

The Agency may enter into negotiations with an applicant and adopt a firm funding amount or other revision of the applicant’s proposal that may result from negotiations.

The Agency may use past performance data in determining an award, if an applicant was awarded a previous grant within the agency.

Section B: General Provisions

Eligibility Information

All potential applicants must submit a “Letter of Intent” (LOI), which should at a minimum contain the following components: 1) organization contact information, description of your organization, statement of the need outlined in the RFA, explanation of how your project will address and solve the stated need, and a brief discussion of any other funding sources. The LOI should not exceed two pages.

The eligibility criteria are as follows:

1. The proposed grantee must be a D.C. based nonprofit who operates in the District and have substantial experience in the following areas:
   a) Developing and launching new programs
   b) Servicing vulnerable residents, neighborhoods, and wards
   c) Outreach activities to local business and communities
   d) Supporting groups in outreach initiatives
   e) Promoting Public Education
   f) Managing grants and reporting (financial and programmatic)

2. Possess the internal capacity and expertise to fulfill the outcomes identified for this program

3. Be fiscally sound, and

4. Have adequate office and training space to accommodate potential community events and program needs.

Monitoring

Specific monitoring and progress report schedules will be established, agreed upon, and included in the Grant Agreement. DOES staff is responsible for monitoring and evaluating the program, and may also make periodic scheduled and unscheduled visits to worksite and event locations.
During site visits, the Grantee is required to provide access to facilities, records, and staff, as deemed necessary by DOES for monitoring purposes. DOES monitoring may involve observation, interviews, and collection and review of reports, documents and data to determine the Grantee’s level of compliance with federal and/or District requirements and to identify specifically whether the Grantee’s operational, financial, and management systems and practices are adequate to account for grant funds in accordance with federal and/or District requirements.

**Audits**

The Grantee must maintain and provide documentation related to this program for three years after submission of the final payment. At any time before final payment and three years thereafter, DOES may have the Grantee’s invoices, vouchers and statements of cost audited. Any payment may be reduced by amounts found by DOES not to constitute allowable costs as adjusted for prior overpayment or underpayment. In the event that the District has made all payments to the Grantee and an overpayment is found, the Grantee shall reimburse the District for said overpayment within thirty days, after written notification.

The Grantee shall establish and maintain books, records, and documents (including electronic storage media) in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and Practices, which sufficiently and properly reflect all revenues and expenditures of grant funds awarded by the District pursuant to this solicitation.

The Grantee shall grant reasonable access to DOES, the D.C. Auditor, any applicable federal department, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives to any books, documents, papers and records (including computer records or electronic storage media) of the Grantee that are directly pertinent to charges to the program, in order to conduct audits and examinations and to make excerpts, transcripts and photocopies. This right of access also includes timely and reasonable access to Grantees’ personnel for the purpose of interviews and discussions related to such documents.

**Nondiscrimination in the Delivery of Services**

In accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, and the District of Columbia Human Rights Act of 1977, as amended, no person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability, marital status, personal appearance, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, family responsibilities, genetic information, matriculation, or political affiliation, be denied the benefits of or be subjected to discrimination under any program activity receiving government funds.

In accordance with DC Language Access Act, individuals shall be provided equal access and participation in public services, programs, and activities held in the District of Columbia if they cannot or have limited capacity to speak, read, or write English.

**Other Applicable Laws**

The Grantee shall comply with all applicable District and federal statutes and regulations as may be amended from time to time. These statutes and regulations include:

- The Hatch Act, 5 U.S.C. § 7321 et seq.
- The Clean Air Act (Subgrants over $100,000) 42 USC § 7401 et seq.
• The Hobbs Act (Anti-Corruption), 18 U.S.C. § 1951
• Equal Pay Act of 1963, 29 U.S.C. § 206(d)
• Age Discrimination Act of 1975, 42 U.S.C. § 6101 et seq.
• Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. § 1001 et seq.
• Executive Order 12459 (Debarment, Suspension and Exclusion)
• Assurance of Nondiscrimination and Equal Opportunity as found in 29 CFR § 34.20
• Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq.
• Living Wage Act of 2006, D.C. Official Code § 2-220.01 et seq.
• Workforce Intermediary Establishment and Reform of First Source Amendment Act of 2011, D.C. Official Code 2-219.01 et seq.

Section C: Application Format

Technical

The application should be double-spaced pages, typed in 12 point Times New Roman font with 1-inch margins.

Applicant Profile

Each application must include an Application Profile, which identifies the applicant type of organization, program service area and the amount of the funds requested.

Table of Contents

Each application must include a Table of Contents. The Table of Contents must list major sections of the application with a quick reference page indexing those sections.

Applicant Summary

Each application must include an Application Summary. This section of the application must summarize the major components of the application.

Program Narrative

The applicant must provide a full description of how the program will be carried out by responding to the application requirements in Section F. The three (3) main components of the program narrative are:

• Organizational Profile
• Employees, Employers and Resident Profile
• Program Description
Past Performance

Please provide any prior awarded contract or grant, evaluations and/or data that would highlight your organizations past performance and capability of successfully completing the stated program requirements.

Budget Narrative

All applicants must submit an itemized budget and a budget narrative for all funds requested. The budget narrative should serve as an independent document that clearly outlines all proposed expenditures for the grant and does not count against the page limit outlined for the program narrative. For all applicants requesting capacity-building funds, this request should be submitted with a separate budget and budget narrative from the program-funding request. Both the capacity building and the program budget narratives must include timelines for expenditure of funds. For applicants that request capacity-building funds, applicants should note in their budget narrative their understanding that program-funding award is contingent upon DOES confirming completion of the capacity-building activities.

Budget narratives must detail how funds will be expended towards the program goals, as outlined in the program narrative. The budget section should also contain assurances that no funds received as a result of this grant will be used to supplant any formula funds dedicated towards the targeted population, administrative efforts, or other regularly occurring activities. All budget narratives must identify the average cost per target group – employees, employers and residents.

Section D: Program Narrative

Program Narrative (2 to 5 pages)

This section applies to each of the strategic categories and is where you clearly describe your proposed program in detail. Please ensure that you include each of the following:

Organization Profile

- State the mission of your organization.
- Describe the history of your organization (year founded and by whom) and its size (budget and staff). Describe the experience your organization and staff have to deliver the proposed program.

Employees, Employers and Residents Profile

- Describe the number of employees, employers and residents your organization will serve under this grant for the year.
- Describe how your programming is designed to provide quality service outlined within this RFA.
- Describe your experience working with the targeted population. Describe the anticipated challenges and the strategies to overcome them.

Program Description

- Identify and describe how your organization will deliver the desired service. (See Section A). Describe how your organization has historically provided programming or services.
- Describe how your organization will meet the performance deliverables outlined in this RFA. What specific activities, strategies, and projects will employees, employers and residents be engaged in throughout the program.
- Provide a description of proposed sites where program activities will be conducted. If additional sites will be used to conduct the program, please describe how these sites will be acquired and utilized.
- Describe how your organization will partner with DOES to educate the business community and residential community.

Section E: Application Review and Scoring

Review Panel

A review panel will be composed of a minimum of three individuals who have been selected for their unique experience and expertise in workforce and business development, data analysis, evaluation, and social services planning and implementation. The review panel will review, score, and rank each application using the Technical Rating Scale in Table 1 against the established Scoring Criteria in Table 2.

Table 1: Technical Rating Scale

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<td>Fails to meet minimum requirements, (e.g., no demonstrated capacity); major deficiencies which are not correctable; Applicant did not address the factor</td>
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<td>Poor</td>
<td>Marginally meets minimum requirements; major deficiencies which may be correctable</td>
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<td>Minimally Acceptable</td>
<td>Marginally meets minimum requirements; minor deficiencies which may be correctable</td>
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<td>Acceptable</td>
<td>Meets requirements; no deficiencies</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>Good</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>Excellent</td>
<td>Exceeds most, if not all, requirements; no deficiencies</td>
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The technical rating is a weighting mechanism that will be applied to the point value for each scoring criterion to determine the applicant’s score for each criterion. The applicant’s total technical score will be determined by adding the applicant’s score in each scoring criterion. For example, if a scoring criterion has a point value range of zero (0) to forty (40) points, using the Technical Rating Scale above, and the District evaluates the applicant’s response as “Good,” then the score for that criterion is 4/5 of 40 or 32.

Scoring Criteria

The review panel will review all applications that pass an initial internal checklist of required application components. Responsive applications will be evaluated strictly in accordance with the requirements stated in this RFA.
Each reviewer will independently review and objectively score applications against the specific scoring criteria outlined in Table 2, based on a 100-point scale.

- **Organization Profile** 10 points
- **Employees, Employers and Residents Profile** 20 points
- **Program Description** 40 points
- **Past Performance** 15 points
- **Budget and Budget Narrative** 15 points

Table 2: Scoring Criteria

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<td>The extent to which the applicant has described how the proposed programming is designed to provide quality outreach, promoting public education and servicing vulnerable residents and neighborhoods.</td>
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<td><strong>Program Description</strong></td>
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<td>The extent to which the applicant has described their proposed program.</td>
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<td>The extent to which the applicant has provided a description of proposed sites where program activities will be carried out. Applicants must specify if sites have been secured at the time of this proposal.</td>
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<td>The extent to which the applicant has allocated the funds (i.e., per group – employees employers and residents).</td>
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Section F: Application Submission Information

How to Request an Application Package

- Application package can also be found at [www.does.dc.gov](http://www.does.dc.gov)
- If the application package cannot be accessed at the above websites, then Applicants may request the application via email: ogagrants@dc.gov

Application Preparation

DOES shall not be liable for any costs incurred in the preparation of applications in response to the RFA. Applicant agrees that all costs incurred in developing the application are the applicant’s sole responsibility.

Submission Date and Time

In order to be considered for funding, complete applications must be received electronically via Grants Management System: [Click here](#)

Applications received after 5:00 p.m. est. on March 21st, 2019 will not be considered for funding.

Section G: Award Administration Information

Award Notices

Each applicant, whether successful or unsuccessful, will receive notification of the final decision on the application. Letters of notification or any other correspondence addressing selection for award do not provide authorization to begin the program.

Applicants who are selected for funding may be required to respond in a satisfactory manner to conditions that may be placed on the application before funding can proceed. DOES may enter into negotiations with an applicant and adopt a firm funding amount or other revision of the application that may result from negotiations.

The Grant Agreement sets forth the amount of funds granted, the terms and conditions of the award, the effective date of the award, the budget period for which initial support will be given, and the total program period for which support is awarded. The Grant Agreement shall be signed by the DOES Director or designee. The Grant Agreement will be sent to the applicant’s contact that is authorized to sign the Grant Agreement and reflects the only authorizing document. The Grant Agreement will be sent prior to the start date and a meeting between the Grantee and DOES will occur shortly after the Grant Agreement is fully executed. All awardees will be held to a minimum level of effort to effectively execute the grant and meet the designated goals and deliverables outlined in this RFA. More specifics on the “minimum level of effort” will be specified in the grant agreement.

Appeal

Non-Responsiveness Determination

In order to ensure a fair and equitable appeals process, all responsiveness determination appeals will be reviewed and decided solely by the DOES General Counsel. Appeals must be in writing and addressed
to: DOES General Counsel, 4058 Minnesota Avenue NE, Suite #5800, Washington DC 20019. Appeals may also be submitted via email to doesappeals@dc.gov with the subject heading “Appeal of Grant Responsiveness Determination”. Appeals of the responsiveness determination must be received by the General Counsel within two business days of the responsiveness determination notice.

If an applicant communicates with program staff regarding an appeal of the responsiveness determination, the appeal may be dismissed with prejudice, and the applicant may be precluded from consideration for future grant opportunities.

Appeals must contain the basis for the appeal request and identify any factors that oppose the responsiveness determination. The appeal process will consider the submitted application and the responsiveness determination. Additional information not included within the original submitted application will not be considered during the appeal process, unless specifically requested by the DOES General Counsel. The DOES General Counsel may coordinate a meeting to address the appeal. The General Counsel will issue a written appeal decision. The decision of the General Counsel may only be overturned by the DOES Director.

Grant Award Selection

In order to ensure a fair and equitable appeals process, all grant award selection appeals will be reviewed and decided solely by the DOES General Counsel. Appeals must be in writing and addressed to: DOES General Counsel, 4058 Minnesota Avenue NE, Suite #5800, Washington DC 20019. Appeals may also be submitted via email to doesappeals@dc.gov with the subject heading “Appeal of Grant Award Selection”. Appeals of the grant award selection must be received by the General Counsel within two business days of the award selection notice.

If an applicant communicates with program staff regarding an appeal of the grant award selection, the appeal may be dismissed with prejudice, and the applicant may be precluded from consideration for future grant opportunities.

Appeals must contain the basis for the appeal request and identify any factors that oppose the grant award selection. The appeal process will consider the submitted application and the grantees selected. Additional information not included within the original submitted application will not be considered during the appeal process, unless specifically requested by the DOES General Counsel. The DOES General Counsel may coordinate a meeting to address the appeal. The General Counsel will issue a written appeal decision. The decision of the General Counsel may only be overturned by the DOES Director.

Grantee Program Compliance

Prior to the start of the program, Grantees must successfully complete the following:

- DOES technical site visit inspection;
- DOES Supervisor Orientation;
- All DOES mandatory meetings.

Grantee Reporting and Deliverables

The required program deliverables for the target groups are described below and should be submitted in accordance with the timeline below.
### Reporting

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<td>Submit referrals for investigations</td>
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<td>Report summarizing events held, employees and employers engaged, and referrals received.</td>
<td>Monthly</td>
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<td>Notification of planned events, conferences, and sessions</td>
<td>Monthly</td>
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<td>Collect and report data on encounters with limited or non-English proficient (LEP/NEP) individuals.</td>
<td>Quarterly</td>
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### Deliverable(s)

1. Make contact with a minimum of 250 businesses and 500 employees within the year.
2. Expand and diversify outreach by providing more translation services for Latino and Asian/Pacific Islander communities during events.
   - Provide oral interpretation services to LEP/NEP customers using telephonic interpretation, in-person interpretation or qualified/certified bilingual staff.
   - Translate vital documents into languages that meet the 3% or 500 threshold of individuals served or likely to be served.
   - Provide Language Access Compliance training to all personnel using training provided or approved by the DC Office of Humans rights.
   - Certify in writing that language access compliance requirements will be satisfied.
3. Provide a minimum of 250 District employers with required notices and information regarding wage laws.
4. Assist DOES OWH with providing support to other District agencies through strategic outreach.
5. Attend conferences, meetings, and trainings as required.

All program reports and deliverables must be submitted per the schedule provided above and final program deliverables must be submitted to DOES no later than the end of the grant.

DOES will have sole ownership and control of all deliverables. The Grantee must receive written permission from DOES to use or distribute any product from this program, prior to the proposed use or distribution.

### Program Launch

Before grantee can begin programming they must receive official documentation from The Office of Grants Administration.

### Grantee Payment

The total amount of the grant award shall not exceed the amount specified within the Grant Agreement. There are two (2) payment categories listed below each representing a specific percentage of the total grant amount:
PAYMENT #1 – Base Amount: Grantees that successfully complete the pre-program sit visit, attend the mandatory pre-program training(s) and orientation will be eligible to submit an invoice for the base payment amount.

PAYMENT #2 – The remaining 75% of the grant award will be issued out on a monthly reimbursement basis until the end of the grant period. Each month’s payout will be determined by the eligible expenses and documentation provided by the grantee.

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If the Grantee does not comply with the Grant Agreement, applicable federal and District laws and regulations, then the Grant Agreement may be terminated or the award amount reduced for under performance or non-performance at the discretion of the Grant Monitor and/or Grants Officer.

**Anti-Deficiency Considerations**

The Grantee must acknowledge and agree that the commitment to fulfill financial obligations of any kind pursuant to any and all provisions of a grant award, or any subsequent award shall remain subject to the provisions of (i) the federal Anti-Deficiency Act, 31 U.S.C. §§1341, 1342, 1349, 1351, (ii) the District of Columbia Anti-Deficiency Act, D.C. Official Code §§ 47-355.01-355.08 (2001), (iii) D.C. Official Code § 47-105 (2001), and (iv) D.C. Official Code § 1-204.46, as the foregoing statutes may be amended from time to time, regardless of whether a particular obligation has been expressly so conditioned.

**Section H: Contacts**

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**Section I: Additional Documents Required for Submission**

The following documents are also required to be included in your grant submission. An application with the below required documents will be deemed non-responsive and will not be eligible for award.

**Documents provided by DOES**

- Statement of Certification
- Non-Closure Document
- Disclosure Document

**Documents to be provided by applicant**

- Current D.C. Business License
- IRS W-9 Form
• IRS Tax Certification
• Latest Tax Return
• Letter of support from Chairman of Board
• Itemized Budget
• Proof of District Occupancy
• Insurance Certificate
• Staffing Plan
• Resumes for key and essential staff
• Organizational Chart

Section J: Reference Materials Attached

• Minimum Wage Poster
• ASSLA Poster
• DOES OWH – Living Wage Poster
• Building Services Act Poster
• Tip Portal Reporting Requirements
• Wage Theft Prevention Amendment Act of 2014
• Sustainable DC Omnibus Amendment Act of 2014
• Notice of Hire Template
• First Source Program Fact Sheet