

Question and Answer

Reentry/Rerooting Indigenous Community Healing RFP Updated 3/20/20

2020 Request for Proposal

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1	Submission	The four-page narrative limit is limiting. Would you consider changing the limit?	Yes, we can change the four-page limit on the narrative. Please review the funding webpage for the latest updates.
2	Funding	How secure is the funding?	<p>Approximately \$250,000 is available for 2.5 years through this RFP. In 2020 \$50,000 is available. The remaining \$200,000 will be available in subsequent years, up to December 31, 2022.</p> <p>While it is the City's intention to renew agreements resulting from this funding opportunity on an annual basis through the 2022 calendar year, future funding will be contingent upon performance and funding availability.</p>
3	Funding	Are there any exclusions in terms of the budget, that the city would not fund? For example, we're thinking of budgeting some money for client financial assistance and shoes for clients coming out of prison so they can go to work.	Awarded agency(ies) will need to work with City of Seattle staff to approve the final program budget. Client support service assistance for items such as shoes is an allowable budget expense.
4	Proposal	For the purpose of the grant would it be possible to apply as two orgs, with one org being the Lead?	Yes. Note that only one agency (lead) can submit a proposal and be named on all required documents. If your program plans to work in partnership with another organization, include that in your proposal narrative. If the partnership includes a subcontract, include that in the proposed budget. The awarded agency will be the sole recipient of contract funds and will need to adhere to all contracting requirements. Partner agencies must sign application cover sheet which lead agency submits.
5	Proposal	There is a possibility that COVID-19 could last for months. Would we need to account for that?	Please refer to the guidelines and application to submit a successful proposal. Once an agency(ies) has been selected, City of Seattle staff will work accordingly with the awardee(s) to make any appropriate adjustments to the program and program requirements in the contract.
6	Submission	(Can) folks have more time to apply?	Yes, the application deadline will be extended. For the latest up-to-date information on the due date, please review the funding webpage .
7	Performance Commitments	I'm reading page 6 of the G&A, in the performance commitments, "awardees required to develop...". Is	Awarded agency(ies) will work with City of Seattle staff that are knowledgeable and experienced with performance strategies and data. Both

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		there gonna be someone from the city staff that understands what this will take...that will bear fruit?	the awarded agency(ies) and City of Seattle staff will work together during July – September 2020 to create meaningful performance measurements for 2021 contract(s).
8	Funding	It was stated that this funded was contingent on availability, is that correct?	See question 2