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Re: Notice of Funding for Continuum of Care projects

Date: Friday, July 1, 2016

The Department of Housing and Urban Development has opened its competition for Fiscal Year 2016-2017 Continuum of Care (CoC) grants. CoC grants are available primarily for renewal of existing Permanent Supportive Housing and Transitional Housing programs that serve the homeless population of San Joaquin County, but are also available for programs that only offer support services to the homeless population. New programs are being considered only if they are funded through a process of reallocating funds from an existing program. Renewal grants are not guaranteed funding.

Rules, instructions and relevant resources for applying for CoC funds are available through the following links:

- <a href="https://www.hudexchange.info/e-snaps/fy-2016-coc-program-nofa-coc-program-competition">https://www.hudexchange.info/e-snaps/fy-2016-coc-program-nofa-coc-program-competition</a>
- http://www.sjgov.org/commdev

All projects proposals to be funded with CoC grants must be submitted to the CoC Lead Agency, which is the San Joaquin County Community Development Department, no later than July 22, 2016. The department will review all applications and submit them to the CoC Grant Review Committee for evaluation, scoring and ranking according to priorities established by HUD and the CoC. Applicants will be notified of their projects' ranking no later than August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016. The rankings will also be posted on the County's website or can be obtained through the San Joaquin Community Development Department on request.

A meeting will be scheduled on July 13, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. at the San Joaquin County Community Development Department Conference Room A, located at 1810 E. Hazelton Avenue in Stockton for all prospective project applicants to ask questions regarding the specific application process and discuss CoC strategy for the overall application.

Questions regarding this notice can be directed to Chris Becerra of the San Joaquin Community Development Department at (209) 468-3157, <a href="mailto:cbecerra@sjgov.org">cbecerra@sjgov.org</a> or 1810 E. Hazelton Avenue, Stockton, CA 95205.