

AHFC Competitive Grants for Public Housing

FY2011 Request: \$1,100,000

Reference No: 6350

AP/AL: Appropriation
Category: Health/Human Services
Location: Statewide
House District: Statewide (HD 1-40)
Estimated Project Dates: 07/01/2010 - 06/30/2015

Project Type: Life / Health / Safety
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Brief Summary and Statement of Need:

This request is for Federal (HUD) and Corporate match (AHFC) grant funds. AHFC will apply for HUD grants that target the housing needs of low-income and special needs groups such as: senior citizens, the mentally ill, disabled, or the homeless. AHFC will also apply for grants to prevent crime and substance abuse in public housing and assist public housing families in attaining economic self-sufficiency. When required, AHFC will provide the needed match. Some of the funds received will be passed through to local non-profit sub-grantee organizations that deliver housing and/or services.

Funding:	FY2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	Total
AHFC Div	\$350,000						\$350,000
Fed Rcpts	\$750,000						\$750,000
Total:	\$1,100,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,100,000

<input type="checkbox"/> State Match Required	<input type="checkbox"/> One-Time Project	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - new	<input type="checkbox"/> Phased - underway	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On-Going
0% = Minimum State Match % Required		<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health Bill	

Operating & Maintenance Costs:

	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Staff</u>
Project Development:	0	0
Ongoing Operating:	0	0
One-Time Startup:	0	
Totals:	0	0

Additional Information / Prior Funding History:

FY2010 - \$750,000 Federal and \$250,000 AHFC Div; FY2009 - \$750,000 Federal and \$250,000 AHFC Div; FY2008 - \$750,000 Federal and \$250,000 AHFC Div; FY2007 - \$750,000 Federal and \$250,000 AHFC Div; FY2006 - \$750,000 Federal and \$250,000 AHFC Div; FY2005 - \$750,000 Federal and \$250,000 AHFC Div; FY2004 - \$750,000 Federal and \$250,000 AHFC Div; FY2003 - \$750,000 Federal and \$250,000 AHFC Div.

Project Description/Justification:

The purpose of this program is to allow AHFC to apply for HUD, other federal agency, and private foundation grants that target the housing needs of low-income and special needs groups who live in public and/or assisted housing. When required, AHFC will provide the needed match. Some of the funds received will be passed through to local non-profit sub-grantee organizations that deliver housing and/or services to public housing residents.

The projected outcomes are:

- Match requirements for federal grants such as:
- Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) Coordinator and case workers;
- Senior Services Coordinator;

- Resident Opportunities and Supportive Services (ROSS) grant.
- Match for operating budget dollars used for direct provision of services, such as after-school programs and public housing developments and resident computer training labs.

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AHFC will apply for grants and utilize those grant funds to target services to families and persons who are eligible for public and/or assisted housing. Grant funds within this category may be used to prevent and reduce crime and substance abuse in public housing and to aid PHD-assisted families to attain economic self-sufficiency. When required as a condition of funding, AHFC may provide the needed match. Examples of previous grantors include the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, the Department of Education, U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development, and the U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services.

This project also enables AHFC to receive additional housing assistance from HUD in the form of Section 8 vouchers. Some of the funds received may be passed through to local non-profits of government agencies to deliver the appropriate services throughout the state.