



CONGRESSMAN PETERS' OCTOBER GRANTS NEWSLETTER

Opportunities in:

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In this Newsletter

This summary of federal funding announcements, brought to you by the Office of Congressman Scott Peters, is a service aimed at helping constituents of the 52nd Congressional District become aware of funding opportunities through our nation's federal grant-making agencies.

Recent Federal Funding Awarded in the 52nd Congressional District

San Diego Metropolitan Transit System:
\$18,000,000
Department of Transportation

Alzheimer's Association of San Diego:
\$1,000,000
Department of Health and Human Services

Novoron Biosciences:
\$353,100
Department of Health and Human Services

Ocean Discovery Institute:
\$217,237
Department of Health and Human Services

Please do not hesitate to contact me (Robert.Phillpott@mail.house.gov) with any questions or comments.

If you would like to sign up for Scott's general e-newsletter, click [here](#).

If you would like to opt out of this newsletter, feel free to send me an email and notify me.



Congressman Peters tours the headquarters of the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, MD.

Things to keep in mind as you apply for federal funding

The U.S Census Bureau is now offering workshops to advise grant seekers on the basics of incorporating census data into a grant proposal. For more information, or to request a workshop for your organization, call 888-806-6389, or send an email to largo.pds.list@census.gov. More information is available on their website, at www.census.gov/regions/los_angeles.

We encourage you to visit the Grants Assistance section of Congressman Peters' website (<http://scottpeters.house.gov/services/additional-services-and-resources/grants>) to learn of upcoming workshops throughout the district. Members of the Congressman's staff are also in attendance at these workshops and look forward to speaking with you about how our office may be able to support your federal grant application.

Things to keep in mind as you apply for federal funding

Because not all federal grant-making agencies list grant opportunities each month, you are encouraged to visit www.grants.gov, the federal web site that allows users to electronically find and apply for current competitive grant opportunities from all federal grant-making agencies. In addition, users may sign up for email updates to receive new grant postings via email as soon as they become available.

Application deadlines and guidelines may change. Please check with the awarding agency before applying.



Registration

Before you apply for a grant you must complete the Grant.gov registration process. The registration process can take anywhere from three business days to four weeks, which is why it is important to register early. Please refer to the [Organization Registration Checklist](#) for extra assistance with the registration process. Registering with the System for Award Management (SAM) is completely free of charge – there is no fee for you to register or to renew/update your organization's information. Please click [here](#) for more information about SAM.

Current Federal Grant Opportunities

Arts & Culture

Institute of Museums and Library Services

Museums for America

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 1, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 195

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$21,457,000

CFDA Number: 45.301— Museums for America

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=MFA-FY16>

Institute of Museum and Library Services

National Leadership Grants for Museums

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 1, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 25

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$8,000,000

CFDA Number: 45.312— National Leadership Grants

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=NLG-MUSEUMS-FY16>

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Museum Grants for African American History and Culture

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 1, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 15

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$1,481,000

CFDA Number: 45.309—Museum Grants for African American History and Culture

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=AAHC-FY16>

Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

2015 Specialty Crop Multi-State Program

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 14, 2016

Expected Number of Awards: 10

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,000,000

CFDA Number: 10.170— Specialty Crop Block Grant Program

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=USDA-AMS-SCMP-2015>

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

National Clean Plant Network Cooperative Agreements Program

Current Closing Date for Applications: Nov 18, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 9

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$5,000,000

CFDA Number: 10.025— Plant and Animal Disease, Pest Control, and Animal Care

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=USDA-GRANTS-090915-001>

Community Service & Development

Agency for International Development (USAID-Guatemala City)

Communities Leading Development

Current Closing Date for Applications: Nov 9, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 1

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$50,000,000

CFDA Number: 98.001—USAID Foreign Assistance for Programs Overseas

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=RFA-520-15-000009>

Department of Housing and Urban Development

General Section to HUD's Fiscal Year 2016 Notice[s] of Funding Availability

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 30, 2016

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a

CFDA Number: n/a

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=FR-6000-N-01>

Education

Department of Education

Institute of Education Sciences (IES): Education Research: Low-Cost, Short-Duration Evaluation of Education Interventions

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 12, 2016

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$1,000,000

CFDA Number: 84.304—Education Research, Development and Dissemination

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=ED-GRANTS-092815-001>

National Institutes of Health

Limited Competition: Childhood Cancer Survivor Study

Current Closing Date for Applications: Feb 8, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 1

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$4,310,000

CFDA Number: 93.395— Cancer Treatment Research

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=RFA-CA-15-502>

Education continued

Department of Commerce

FY16 Nancy Foster Scholarship Program

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 10, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 4

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$500,000

CFDA Number: 11.429— Marine Sanctuary Program

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=NOAA-NOS-ONMS-2016-2004680>

Energy

Department of Energy, Golden Field Office

Solutions to Improve the Energy Efficiency of U.S. Small and Medium Commercial Buildings

Current Closing Date for Applications: n/a

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a

CFDA Number: 81.086— Conservation Research and Development

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=DE-FOA-0001389>

Department of Energy, Golden Field Office

Photovoltaics Research and Development

Current Closing Date for Applications: Oct 19, 2015 (1st) Jan 1, 2016 (2nd)

Expected Number of Awards: 35

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$20,000,000

CFDA Number: 81.087— Renewable Energy Research and Development

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=DE-FOA-0001387>

Department of Energy, Golden Field Office

Building Energy Efficiency Frontiers and Innovation Technologies

Current Closing Date for Applications: n/a

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a

CFDA Number: 81.086— Conservation Research and Development

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=DE-FOA-0001413>

Environment

National Institutes of Health

Household Air Pollution (HAP) Health Outcomes Trial (UM1)

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 19, 2016

Expected Number of Awards: 1

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a (award ceiling: \$5,075,000)

CFDA Number: 93.113— Environmental Health

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=RFA-HL-16-012>

Department of Commerce

2016 Ecological Effects of Sea Level Rise Program— Advancing Predictive Capabilities to Evaluate Natural and Nature-based Features

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 8, 2016

Expected Number of Awards: 4

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$1,200,000

CFDA Number: 11.478— Center for Sponsored Coastal Ocean Research. For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=NOAA-NOS-NCCOS>

Environment continued

Department of Commerce

Ocean Exploration 2016 Funding Opportunity

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 8, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 10

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,000,000

CFDA Number: 11.011—Ocean Exploration

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=NOAA-OAR-OER>

Health & Human Services

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Expansion of HIV Care and Prevention

Current Closing Date for Applications: Nov 30, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a

CFDA Number: 93.067—Global AIDS

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=133003CONT16>

National Institutes of Health

Novel Approaches to Diagnosing Alzheimer's Disease

Current Closing Date for Applications: Sep 7, 2018

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a

CFDA Number: 93.866—Aging Research

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=PAR-15-359>

Health Resources and Services Administration

Social and Behavioral Interventions to Increase Organ Donation

Closing Date for Applications: Dec 15, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$2,950,000

CFDA Number: 93.134—Grants to Increase Organ Donations

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=HRSA-16-072>

National Institutes of Health

NIH Director's New Innovator Award Program

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 16, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$80,000,000

CFDA Number: 93.310—Trans-NIH Research Support

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=RFA-RM-13-007>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

ACHEVING AN AIDS FREE GENERATION

Closing Date for Applications: Nov 30, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a

CFDA Number: 93.067—Global AIDS

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=153102CONT16>

Housing

Department of Housing and Urban Development

Continuum of Care NOFA

Current Closing Date for Applications: Nov 20, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a

CFDA Number: 14.267—Continuum of Care Program

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=FR-5900-N-25>

Department of Housing and Urban Development

General Section to HUD's Fiscal Year 2016 Notice[s] of Funding Availability

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 30, 2016

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a

CFDA Number: n/a

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=FR-6000-N-01>

Justice

International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs

DNA Forensic Technology Development

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 4, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a (award ceiling: \$2,000,000)

CFDA Number: 19.703—Criminal Justice Systems

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=INLEA-INLCJ-16-002>

International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs

Forensics Training Partnership Program

Current Closing Date for Applications: Oct 30, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 2

Estimated Total Program Funding: n/a

CFDA Number: 19.703—Criminal Justice Systems

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=INL-15CA0057>

Labor

Bureau of International Labor Affairs

Improving Labor Law Enforcement in the Kingdom of Lesotho

Current Closing Date for Applications: Oct 8, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 5

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$1,000,000

CFDA Number: 17.401—International Labor Programs

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=FOA-IILAB-15-12>

Bureau of International Labor Affairs

Building the Capacity of Workers' Organizations in Peru

Current Closing Date for Applications: Oct 8, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 1

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$1,000,000

CFDA Number: 17.401 -- International Labor Programs

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=FOA-IILAB-15-04>

Transportation

Department of Transportation— DOT/Federal Transit Administration
Solicitation of Project Proposals for the Low or No Emission Vehicle Deployment
Program

Current Closing Date for Applications: Nov 23, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: n/a

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$22,500,000

CFDA Number: 20.514—Public Transportation Research, Technical Assistance, and
Training

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=FTA-2015-006-TRI>

Department of Transportation—DOT/Federal Highway Administration
Ladders of Opportunity Initiative: Pilot On-the-Job-Training Supportive Services

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 23, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 6

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,000,000

CFDA Number: 20.205—Highway Planning and Construction

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=FHWA-HCR-1601>

Department of Transportation— DOT/Federal Highway Administration
Pilot Deployment of the Center-to-Center Reference Implementation

Current Closing Date for Applications: Nov 3, 2015

Expected Number of Awards: 1

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$180,000

CFDA Number: 20.200—Highway Research and Development Program

For more information, go to:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=DTFH6116RA00001>