

May 18, 2018

To All Interested Parties:

I am pleased to announce the availability of up to \$6,433,578 of General Fund for the Gender-based Violence Survivor Services: Advocacy, Shelter/Housing, and Therapeutic Services. Funding awards will be made for the period of January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019. Contracts after the initial period will be contingent upon successful performance and funding availability.

The Gender-based Violence Survivor Services: Advocacy, Shelter/Housing, and Therapeutic Services Request for Proposal (RFP) Guidelines and Application documents define investment results, requirements, and the process for application submission and selection. Please plan to attend one of the two information session(s) listed below to review the RFP and ask questions. Please bring a paper copy of the RFP as no copies will be provided during the information sessions.

| Date | Time | Location |
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| Wednesday, May 30, 2018 | 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. | Bitter Lake Community Center, |
| | | Multi-purpose Room |
| | | 13035 Linden Ave. North |
| | | Seattle, WA 98133 |
| Thursday, May 31, 2018 | 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. | 2100 Building, |
| | | Board Room |
| | | 2100 24 th Ave S. |
| | | Seattle, WA 98144 |

This RFP is an open and competitive process. Completed application packets are due by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Friday, June 29, 2018. Applications may be submitted electronically via HSD's Online Submission System at: http://web6.seattle.gov/hsd/rfi/index.aspx. Alternately, an original application packet may be hand-delivered to: Seattle Human Services Department RFP — Gender-based Violence Survivor Services: Advocacy, Shelter/Housing, and Therapeutic Services, ATTN: Jenn Ozawa, 700 5th Avenue, Suite 5800 (58th floor) or mailed to: Seattle Human Services Department, RFP— Gender-based Violence Survivor Services: Advocacy, Shelter/Housing, and Therapeutic Services, ATTN: Jenn Ozawa, P.O. Box 34215, Seattle, WA 98124-4215.

Copies of this RFP may be downloaded from: http://www.seattle.gov/humanservices/funding-and-reports/funding-opportunities. If you would like to receive a copy of the RFP in the mail or by email, please contact Jenn Ozawa at (206) 684-4007 or by email at Jenn.Ozawa@seattle.gov.

Sincerely,

Audrey Buehring, Deputy Director Human Services Department