

## 2017-2018 Human Services Funding

The Human Services Funders Collaborative, consisting of seventeen cities from South, North and East King County have joined together to use a common application process to receive requests for human services funding for 2017-2018 at [Share1app](#) . The application process opened on March 2, 2016, and will close April 7, 2016. All applications are due no later than April 7, 2016 at 4:30 p.m., Pacific Time.

### APPROXIMATE FUNDING AVAILABLE

In 2015-2016 City of Renton allocated approximately \$567,038 per year. The City does not anticipate a significant increase in available General Fund dollars for 2017-2018. We are not allocating Community Development Block Grant funds or capital funds.

### FUNDING CRITERIA

In general, the City of Renton recognizes the need to support agencies that meet basic human service needs and welcomes applications from agencies that provide such services to Renton residents. You do not need to be a 501c(3) agency to apply. In addition, the committee will use the City of Renton [Community Needs Assessment for Human Services and Housing](#) and the City of Renton [Human Services Strategic Plan](#) to guide its funding decisions.

In order to be considered for funding, agencies must:

1. Address one of the Renton priority human service and housing area of needs as identified in the Needs Assessment
  - Economic Opportunity
  - Basic Needs for Families
  - Health & Wellness
  - Available, Quality Housing
  - Neighborhood Opportunity
2. Request a minimum of \$7,500 per program per year.
3. Programs that have not received funding from Renton in the past will be limited to funding of \$7,500 per year.
4. Meet minimum insurance requirements.
5. Be willing and able to accept reimbursement for funds.
6. Regularly track and submit required reports regarding services and demographics.
7. Submit an application on time that has:
  - a) All the questions answered;
  - b) All of the attachment uploads (or an explanation of why there is not a particular

- attachment); and  
c) The required supplemental information.

**APPLICATION SUBMITTAL INFORMATION - ADDITIONAL REQUIRED ATTACHMENT FOR RENTON**

In addition to the standard required attachments, please upload an attachment containing the Agency Name, Program Name, and identify under which of the above five areas of need the program best qualifies. Applications will be grouped and reviewed with other applications in the same need category.

**APPLICATION ASSISTANCE**

City of Renton staff is available to help with any questions related to the City's process and/or answer questions you may have about the content of the application. Please direct requests to Dianne Utecht at [dutecht@rentonwa.gov](mailto:dutecht@rentonwa.gov) (425) 430-6655 or Karen Bergsvik at [kbergsvik@rentonwa.gov](mailto:kbergsvik@rentonwa.gov) (425) 430-6652. Dianne will also be available to assist with application feedback through April 1, 2016.

In addition, the [Share1](#) help page has a number of resources to assist you with your application.

Please review the supplemental pages for all cities to which you plan to apply.