

WHAT'S NEW FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2021 SOLID WASTE GRANTS PROGRAM APPLICATION

Grant Workshop:
Thursday, March 19, 2020
H-GAC Conference Room A
Second Floor
1:30 PM to 3:30 PM

The workshop will provide time for applicants to ask questions regarding their applications and proposed projects, and will include:

- Overview of the Solid Waste Grant Program
- How to Complete the Online Application
- Important Deadlines and Future Requirements
- Question / Answer Session

Applicants requiring further assistance will need to schedule an individual assistance appointment. First time applicants **are strongly encouraged to attend the March 19th workshop.**

Grants are awarded on a competitive basis. A project or service funded under this program must be consistent with the Regional Solid Waste Management Plan and must be intended to implement the goals, objectives, and priorities established in the Regional Solid Waste Management Plan, available at:

<http://www.h-gac.com/community/recycling/documents/regional-solid-waste-management-plan-vol-1.pdf>

NEW FOR FY2021 REQUEST FOR PROJECT APPLICATION

CHANGES TO THE SCORING PROCESS

Applicants will not make a presentation to or answer questions from the Scoring Committee. Applications will be scored based only on the written application and any associated attachments.

ELIGIBLE PROJECT CATEGORIES

For FY21, the Solid Waste Management Committee, a Board appointed committee of H-GAC, had concerns that 10 months was too short a timeframe to allow for adequate implementation of certain types of grants. As a result, the committee has chosen to only offer grants to the following project types:

- Local Enforcement
- Litter and Illegal Dumping Cleanup and Community Collection Events
- Source Reduction and Recycling
- Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)
- Education and Training Projects
- Other Types of Projects

MINIMUM FUNDING REQUEST

There is no minimum funding request for the FY21 solid waste grant application.

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