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Grant Preparation & Technical Assistance Training













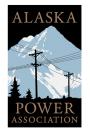












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Welcome and Introductions

Goals

- Improve your organization's ability to find & respond to the most relevant federal grants
- Provide background of the technical aspects of infrastructure grants and what resources are available to complete necessary analyses
- Provide resources and tools for further development of your grant preparation capacity

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Making the Most of the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law

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Pre-Application Process and Planning

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Sustainability Model

Laurie Wolf, The Foraker Group

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Alexandra McKay, Vice President of Programs amckay@rasmuson.org

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Matching Needs and Eligibility to Opportunities

Aurah Landau, HDR

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Break until 10:30 AM

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Grant Application – Leading Up to and Responding to the NOFO

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Lunch until 1:00 PM

We will reconvene with further grant preparation training

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Grant Application – Technical Analyses

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Break until 2:15 PM

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Q&A: Federal Grant Project Management

Moderated by: Rachel Morse, United Way of Anchorage

- Aurah Landau, HDR
- Zoe Olson, The Foraker Group
- Joan Hermann, Alaska Project Solutions
- Jay Ford & Adam Quinlan, Tilson Technology Management, Inc.

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Q&A: Federal Grant Project Management

- How do you develop a project scope for a federal infrastructure grant proposal? Does this change for a planning versus construction grant?
- What kind of capacity do I need for multi-year projects? How do I build a project team?
- How do I handle unexpected changes during project implementation?
- What tools can I use to collect the data and information I need for reporting?

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Closing — Available Resources

- The Foraker Group
 - Sustainability Model
 - Pre-Development Online Toolkit
- Rasmuson Foundation
 - Broadband Support
- Alaska Municipal League
 - Grant Writer Hotline & HDR Technical Assistance
 - AKFederalFunding.org Grant Writer & Engineering Pools
- Alaska Federation of Natives
 - AFN Community Navigators

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Other Resources

On AKFederalFunding.org:

- Find news, grant announcements, resources, and trainings/events
- Sign up for AK Federal Funding Bulletin

In the Room:

AK Infrastructure Coordinating Committee Members

Other websites:

- Build.gov
- DOT&PF IIJA site

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