Grant Preparation & Technical Assistance Training
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
Making the Most of the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law
Pre-Application Process and Planning
Sustainability Model

Laurie Wolf, The Foraker Group
Matching Needs and Eligibility to Opportunities

Aurah Landau, HDR
Break until 10:30 AM
Grant Application – Leading Up to and Responding to the NOFO
Lunch until 1:00 PM

We will reconvene with further grant preparation training
Grant Application – Technical Analyses
Break until 2:15 PM
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.
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?
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
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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