

Center for Urban Responses to Environmental Stressors



Community Outreach and Engagement Core (COEC)

Detroit-Based Grant Program Application

Purpose:

The purpose of this program is to support and/or help initiate small-scale action, intervention, or research-based initiatives focused on environmental heath concerns in the City of Detroit. Four mini-grants for up to \$5,000 will be awarded.

Eligibility: Eligible organizations must serve or be located within the City of Detroit.

Selection Criteria: Please do not exceed 3 (single spaced) pages for entire application.

Applications will be evaluated based on:

- Application is thoroughly completed
- Application does not exceed 3 pages (12 point font, single spaced)
- Demonstration of environmental health concern within the City of Detroit
- Designated to coordinate project
- Benefit to Detroit community is evident
- Narrative responses demonstrate community impact and how funds will help achieve stated goals and stated issue
- Timeline and funding are adequate for applicant

Application Due: February 1, 2017

Announcement of Award: February 15, 2017

Project Start Date: March 1, 2017

Submit application via email to carrieleach@wayne.edu with subject: "Detroit-Based Grant Program Application"

Grant Program Coordinator:

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The CURES COEC requests the submission of electronic proposals with 1) a cover letter (one page); and, 2) application that describes the following (up to three single-spaced pages):

- 1. **Cover letter** (please include in cover letter):
 - Organization name and contact person for mini-grant
 - Address, City, State, ZIP, telephone, and email
 - Statement of qualification
 - Project relevance to organization
- 2. **Application** (Please list 22 items below numerically and respond):





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- 1. Name of organization
- 2. Mailing address
- 3. Name of primary contact for project
- 4. Title of primary contact for project
- 5. Primary contact phone number
- 6. Primary contact email
- 7. Name of financial official
- **8.** Financial official's phone number
- **9.** Financial official's email
- **10.** Type of organization, re community-based, religious, school, healthcare, etc.
- 11. Organizations mission statement
- 12. Environmental health topic
- 13. Project title
- **14.** Summary of project (<500 words)
- 15. How you found out about the CURES COEC Detroit-Based Grant Program?
- **16.** If funds are awarded, is project staff willing to attend a final meeting to share results/impact of project at CURES meeting? Yes/No
- **17.** If funds needed for project exceed award, does your organization have funds to supplement the project if needed? Yes/No

Proposal Narrative Responses: (Please do not exceed 500 words. Please do not exceed 3 single-spaced pages for items 1-22).

- **18.** Please describe the issue you aim to address and how your proposed project aims to address said issue.
- **19.** Please describe in detail how the program will be conducted including the activities and events that will take place.
- **20.** Please describe the project staff roles and feasibility and/or capacity to begin the project by March 1.
- **21.** What perceived barriers are there to carrying out the project? How might you overcome those barriers?
- **22.** Please provide an explanation of how the funds will be used if awarded, re supplies, printing, participant incentives, food, etc.

