



2024 Community STAND NOFA Questions and Answers #1

(Q) Seeing that this grant opportunity is due on November 8th, I'm wondering if you or someone from your team might be able to join our meeting this Thursday at noon (MST) to share more information.

(A) Due to the rules of public procurement, we cannot accept any invitation to discuss the STAND program with any individual or group. All communications are centralized through the public pre-proposal meeting and public question and answer period.

(Q) Is this grant only for businesses in Denver?

(A) Yes, the organization must also be located in the City and County of Denver **and** within DURA's URAs or within ½ mile. Please refer to the map on the website (renewdenver.org/communityprograms) for location eligibility requirements.

(Q) I am interested in applying for the STAND program but I have a meeting conflict on 10/15 at 10:00 AM. Will there be a second meeting or will it be recorded? Or will FAQs be posted? Or can I schedule a quick meeting with you?

(A) The pre-proposal meeting is virtual and scheduled for 10/16/2024 at 10:00 AM. There will not be another pre-proposal meeting. The general information sheet is posted on the website: renewdenver.org/communityprograms/. The meeting will be recorded and posted to the website. Due to the rules of public procurement, we cannot accept any invitation to discuss the STAND program with any group. After reviewing the recording and the general information sheet, please submit any additional questions to communityprograms@renewdenver.org.

(Q) Are city agencies eligible to apply for this program? DPL is an independent agency of the City and County.

(A) Independent agencies of the City and County of Denver are not eligible. Eligible organizations include business improvement districts, nonprofits, and small businesses.

(Q) The application requirements include a \$2M cap on a business's gross income. The cap is only for a business, correct? Please clarify if a nonprofit within a URA applying for a project can have a budget larger than \$2M.

(A) Eligible businesses have gross income limits of \$2 Million. There is not a gross income limit for non-profits.

(Q) Can you share more information on this grant?

(A) All available information can be found on the website: renewdenver.org/communityprograms

Clarification: The deadline for question submission on the Community STAND program is October 24, 2024. However, DURA will release questions and answers on the following dates:

- 10/15/2024
- 10/18/2024
- 10/25/2024
- 11/1/2024