

NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY

Every four years Sourcewise is required to hold a competitive bid process (Request for Proposal/RFP) for Older Americans Act programs that receive an allocation of more than \$10,000. Sourcewise announces the availability of Older Americans Act funding for the Fiscal Year 2016 – 2017. The funding is as follows:

- Adult Day Care/Health Provides adult day care services \$100,000 available.
- Case Management Provides case management to elderly clients. Service to be provided in East San Jose and Mountain View - \$50,000 available (two contracts of \$25k each will be awarded).
- Legal Assistance Provides legal representation and education to older individuals in Santa Clara and must visit/serve each focal point at least once a month \$200,000 available.
- Transportation Provides transportation to the elderly. \$50,000 available.
- Congregate Meals Provides meals and nutrition education to seniors in a congregate setting \$1,315,000 available.
- Home Delivered Meals Provides home delivered meals to homebound elderly in Santa Clara County \$525,750 available.
- Disease Prevention & Health Promotion Provides preventative health services through evidence-based practice. One proposal will be accepted - \$90,000 available.
- Elder Abuse Prevention** Provides public education and training of elder abuse prevention \$21,200 available.
- Ombudsman Initiative** \$125,375 available.
- Ombudsman (Title III B) ** \$41,000 available.
- Ombudsman (Title VII) ** \$52,700 available.

All applicants must apply for a minimum of \$25k. Funding will be awarded on a competitive basis. Approved contracts may be renewed for three additional years.

Issue Date of Proposals

Contact <u>inguyen@mysourcewise.com</u> to receive a proposal packet(s). Hard copies will also be available at Sourcewise, 2115 The Alameda, San Jose, CA 95126.

Eligible Organizations

Public, non-profit or for-profit organizations located in Santa Clara County are eligible. Non-profit agencies must have a 501(c) 3 status and for-profit organizations must be legally incorporated to safeguard the interests of the State of California and Sourcewise. Contract awards made to profit-making organizations must be approved by the California Department of Aging.

^{**}Applicants must apply for all three Ombudsman funding and Elder Abuse Prevention funding.

Eligible Clients

Applicants must have established methods, other than the use of a means test, to provide services to all older persons age 60 or over. Applicants <u>must</u> place special emphasis on providing services to persons identified to be in the greatest economic and social need, and proportionate services for low-income minority elderly.

Technical Assistance

Bidder's Conference will be held at Sourcewise located at 2115 The Alameda, San Jose, CA 95126 on Wednesday, April 13, 2016 at 10:00 AM.

Proposal Due Date

Completed proposals must be submitted to Sourcewise on Friday, May 13, 2016 at 4:00 PM or will not be considered for funding.

Funding Availability

The final award of contract funds is subject to change based on the availability of Older Americans Act funds and Sourcewise planning process.

Program Period

July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017. Contracts may be renewed up to 3 years, at the discretion of Sourcewise.