



2021 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA)

Overview

The King County Regional Homelessness Authority (RHA) is pleased to announce a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for **Non-Congregate Alternatives to Shelter**.

Guided by RHA's [Theory of Change](#), the Non-Congregate Alternatives to Shelter RFP is intended to extend Seattle's continuum of comprehensive, person-centered shelter solutions. The RHA expects to award funds for up to three projects that will:

- Ensure people living without shelter are safe and healthy, and prevent the spread of diseases such as COVID-19.
- Provide safe alternatives to encampments for people experiencing unsheltered homelessness in Seattle through the development of non-congregate shelters that emphasize rapid exits to permanent housing.
- Promote system transformation to rapidly transition individuals out of non-congregate shelters and into permanent housing.

Additionally, the RFP applicants may apply for one or more RFP categories relevant to their organization's area of expertise. RFP application categories will include:

- Property Acquisition and/or Site Development
- Program Operations
- Behavioral Health Services
- Housing Search Services

2021 Funding Opportunities	Anticipated Funding Process Release	Anticipated Funding Available	Anticipated Contract Start Date	Anticipated Funding Process
2021 Non-Congregate Alternatives to Shelter.	December 2021	Up to \$2,400,000	1 st Quarter of 2022	Request for Funding Proposal (RFP)

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