



KCRHA

King County Regional Homelessness Authority

2023 Annual Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Updated 7/6/23

I. Overview

The King County Regional Homelessness Authority (KCRHA) is pleased to announce a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for all anticipated funding opportunities in 2023. Please note that these are anticipated opportunities and the schedule and subject matter may change over the course of the year. Once finalized, KCRHA will issue detailed funding opportunities for each investment as the release dates approach.

KCRHA seeks to collaborate with a diversity of service providers across Seattle/King County in accordance with KCRHA's [Theory of Change](#), in order to extend the Seattle/King County continuum of comprehensive, person-centered housing solutions.

What To Expect in 2023

Homelessness System Re-Procurement Process

In alignment with the [KCRHA 5-Year Plan](#), the majority of KCRHA's existing portfolio of homelessness services contracts will be re-procured beginning in 2023, for new contracts in 2024. Guided by KCRHA's Theory of Change, KCRHA is using data, proven practices, and community feedback to design a homelessness response system that will help people thrive.

As part of its community engagement strategy, KCRHA will embark on extensive engagement in Q2 of 2023 with people with lived expertise of homelessness, current KCRHA contractors, funders, and other subject matter experts in order to identify opportunities for system alignment, transformation, updated metrics, and programmatic changes, which are essential to the goal of significantly reducing unsheltered homelessness across our region. The purpose of this process is to build an equitable, community, and data-driven homelessness response system, so that any person who is experiencing homelessness in any city or sub-region in King County can access robust services that are culturally relevant and responsive, person-centered and healing-based, and located in the community the person calls "home".

Please email RFP@KCRHA.org if you would like to join our mailing list for these engagements.

If you are interested in serving on an upcoming funding application review panel, please complete this [RFP Rater Request Form](#).

Seattle-King County Continuum of Care

As the new Seattle-King County Continuum of Care, US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) related investments will not be included in the re-procurement process, instead, it will undergo its usual annual renewal process which coincides with HUD’s Notice of Available Funding (NOFA) process.

FY2023 Quarter 1

1. Rental Assistance Fiscal Agent Request for Proposal (RFP)

| 2023 Funding Opportunity | Anticipated Funding Process Release* | Anticipated Funding Available* | Anticipated Contract Start Date | Anticipated Funding Process |
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| Rental Assistance Fiscal Agent | February 2023 | up to \$10 million | April 2023 | Request for Funding Proposal (RFP) |

2. Youth Homelessness Demonstration Program (YHDP) Behavioral Health Supportive Services Only - Peer Life Coach Request for Qualifications (RFQ)

| 2023 Funding Opportunity | Anticipated Funding Process Release* | Anticipated Funding Available* | Anticipated Contract Start Date | Anticipated Funding Process |
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| YHDP Behavioral Health Supportive Services Only | February 9, 2023 | \$93,898 | April 2023 May 2023 | Request for Qualifications (RFQ) |

3. (System Re-procurement) Geographic-Based Outreach Services Request for Proposal (RFP)

| 2023 Funding Opportunity | Anticipated Funding Process Release* | Anticipated Funding Available* | Anticipated Contract Start Date | Anticipated Funding Process |
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| Outreach Services | February 2023 | Up to \$3.9 million | June 2023 | Request for Funding Proposal (RFP) |

4. Permanent Housing & Support Services Request for Proposals (RFP)

| 2023 Funding Opportunity | Anticipated Funding Process Release Date* | Anticipated Funding Amount Available* | Anticipated Contract Start Date | Anticipated Funding Process Type |
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| Permanent Housing & Support Services | February 2023 | Up to \$12,649,583 (2023) \$12,385,420 (ongoing) | April 1, 2023 July 2023 | Request for Proposal (RFP) |
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FY2023 Quarter 2

1. RV Safe Lot Expansion

| 2023 Funding Opportunity | Anticipated Funding Process Release Date* | Anticipated Funding Amount Available* | Anticipated Contract Start Date | Anticipated Funding Process Type |
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| RV Safe Lot Expansion | May 2023 | Up to \$5 million | June 2023 July 2023 | Request for Proposal (RFP) |

2. Tiny Home Village/ Non-congregate Shelter Expansion

| 2023 Funding Opportunity | Anticipated Funding Process Release Date* | Anticipated Funding Amount Available* | Anticipated Contract Start Date | Anticipated Funding Process Type |
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| Tiny Home Village/ Non-congregate Shelter Expansion | April 2023 June 2023 | Up to \$2.8 million | May 2023 July 2023 | Request for Proposal (RFP) |

~~3. RV Repair Services and Storage Request for Proposal (RFP) ON HOLD~~

| 2023 Funding Opportunity | Anticipated Funding Process Release Date* | Anticipated Funding Amount Available* | Anticipated Contract Start Date | Anticipated Funding Process Type |
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| RV Services and Storage | March 2023 | Up to \$1 million (FY2023, one-time) | May 2023 | Request for Proposal (RFP) |

FY2023 Quarter 3

- KCRHA determined it is necessary to extend the timeline for the system-wide re-procurement of its current contracts until 2024. The only re-procurement process that will take place in Q3 of 2023 is the Culturally/ Population Specific Outreach Request for Proposal (RFP) which is anticipated to be released in August 2023 for new contracts to begin in January 2024. Please details about the process and

updated timeline will become available in December of 2023. Please continue to monitor www.kcrha.org for more information and future funding opportunities.

In Q3 of 2023, KCRHA anticipates releasing re-procurement opportunities in the program areas outlined below which are currently contracted for services through December 31, 2023. Please note that more information will become available about each funding opportunity as soon as it is available.* KCRHA will announce more details about the re-procurement strategy and a schedule of procurements that will take place in Q3 for new contracts to begin in 2024 (based on fund source and cycle).

| Program Area | Anticipated Funding Opportunity Release Date |
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| Emergency Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Culturally/ Population Specific Outreach ● Day Centers ● Hygiene Centers ● Housing Navigation ● Tiny House Villages ● Emergency Shelter ● Enhanced Shelter ● Safe Parking | July 2023–Sept 2023 |
| Housing and Housing Stability Programs (non-CoG Funded) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Regional Access Points ● Prevention ● Diversion ● Rapid Rehousing ● Transitional Housing | July 2023–Sept 2023 |

Please continue to monitor www.kcrha.org for ongoing updates and information about this funding opportunity. If you have questions, please email RFP@kcrha.org.