



Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA)
2024 South King County Severe Weather Response
Request for Proposal (RFP)
September 30, 2024

Overview

The King County Regional Homelessness Authority (KCRHA) is pleased to announce a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) to support the region’s emergency response to severe weather conditions and individuals experiencing unsheltered homelessness in South King County. This funding opportunity is designated for extreme cold weather, hot weather, and smoke conditions, as well as related services and supplies.

Up to \$70,000 in existing funding will be allocated through this upcoming RFP. The KCRHA expects to award up to ten (10) local contract awards to be implemented in November of 2024. If you have questions, please email RFP@kcrha.org.

Guided by KCRHA’s [Theory of Change](#), the KCRHA Severe Weather Policy, and the priorities identified in the Five Year [Plan](#) the 2024 South King County¹ Severe Weather Response RFP is intended to extend the organizations that will:

- Offer a safe, dignified temporary overnight emergency shelter where unhoused individuals and families can take respite from the elements; avoiding snow, heat, smoke and other severe weather events in South King County;
- Provide adequate staffing, supplies, immediate response to emergency conditions, and a dignified environment which fosters health and safety during critical weather incidents;
- Provide services grounded in a Housing First, Trauma-Informed, holistic support;
- The severe weather response will serve families, youth and young adults, and single adults of all genders who are over the age of 18;
- Advance equity for Black, Indigenous, and other people of color as well as individuals who identify as LGBTQ+ and individuals with disabilities.

2024 Funding Opportunity	Anticipated Process Release Date	Anticipated Funding Available	Funding Process Type	RFP Due Date	Anticipated Contract Start
South King County Severe Weather Response	September 2024	Up to \$70,000	Request for Proposal (RFP)	October 2024	November 2024

¹ South King County Encompasses Algona, Auburn, Black Diamond, Burien, Covington, Des Moines, Enumclaw, Federal Way, Kent, Maple Valley, Newcastle, Normandy Park, Pacific, Renton, SeaTac, Tukwila, and unincorporated areas south of Seattle, including but not limited to East Federal Way, Fairwood, Hobart, Skyway, White Center
 King County Regional Homelessness Authority

**These are estimated funding process release dates and funding amounts, and both are subject to change. Please visit kcrha.org regularly for formal funding opportunity announcements.*