



NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY AND RELEASE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

DATE: June 10, 2022

TO: California Cities, Counties, School Districts, Nonprofit Nongovernmental Organizations, and Federally Recognized Indian Tribes.

FROM: Kathleen T. Howard, Executive Director

SUBJECT: AVAILABILITY OF FUNDING FOR THE TITLE II GRANT PROGRAM

The Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) and the State Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (SACJJDP) are announcing the release of the Title II Grant Program Request for Proposals (RFP).

The Juvenile Justice Reform Act (JJRA) of 2018 is the federal statute that establishes the Title II Grant Program. The U.S. Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) administers the grant, in part, by awarding grants to states to support delinquency prevention and juvenile justice system improvements. The target population for the Title II Grant Program are people who are at-risk and/or have been under the jurisdiction of the juvenile justice system and are under the age of 26. The Title II Grant program will fund programs that address Aftercare/Reentry, Alternatives to Detention, Community-Based Programs and Services, Diversion, Job Training, and/or Mentoring, Counseling, and Training Programs.

Applicants for Title II Grant Program awards must be local government agencies, nonprofit nongovernmental organizations, or Federally recognized Indian Tribes (See RFP for specific eligibility criteria). Government agency includes individual agencies or departments within a City and County or a School District. For this RFP, a County Board of Education is considered a School District. Government agencies or Indian Tribes are required to pass through a minimum of 70% of grant funding to at least one direct service provider. A direct service provider must be a non-governmental organization. An Indian Tribe can satisfy the pass-through requirement if the Indian Tribe provides direct services.

Total funding for this Title II Grant Program is \$4,000,000 annually over the course of the grant term, which is January 1, 2023, through December 31, 2025. Funding is contingent upon OJJDP Title II awards and amounts not yet known. The maximum amount of funding available per grant is \$350,000 annually.

Proposals must be received by the BSCC by **5:00 p.m. on August 12, 2022**. A copy of the RFP is available on the BSCC at <u>http://www.bscc.ca.gov/s_titleiigrant</u>

The BSCC staff cannot assist the applicant or its partners with the actual preparation of the proposal. Any technical questions concerning the RFP, the proposal process, or programmatic issues must be submitted by email to: jj_grants@bscc.ca.gov