CDBG-CV Program Funding NOFA Questions and Answers

1. Is there a percentage of the total we are asking for allocated to salaries? If so what would that percentage be?

Staff time must be charged based on the time spent on the activity and timecards completed. Any other allocation method is not acceptable.

2. Is there a formula we need to use when calculating the salaries like tax, medical etc?

The city does not have a formula to calculate those items.

3. Are we able to submit a multi-year budget?

Yes, if your organization is applying for a large grant amount that will be allocated over several years then a multi-year budget would be useful in showing how the funds will be spent.

4. Do applicants for the CARES ACT need to be registered as a 501-c(3) to qualify for funding?

Organizations need to be 501 c3 to qualify or apply through a fiscal agent. However, faith-based organizations are eligible to apply and there is no federal requirement to be a 501 c3. Faith based organizations may not use CDBG/CDBG-CV funds to support religious activities.