

FY26 PSN RFA Questions

Question	Date Received	Date Responded	Applicant	Can this be answered by referring to the RFA? If so, where in the RFA can the answer be found?	Answer for Q&A doc	Date Posted to Website
<p>1. How much funding is available? What is the expected grant award size?</p> <p>2. Have you gotten this funding in the past or is this new funding? The RFA title says “Supplemental” -- are these dollars left over from another year or is this new special funding?</p> <p>3. How many awards do you anticipate making?</p> <p>4. Is OVSJG most interested in funding re-entry programming through this RFA or are broader violence</p>	12/18/25			<p>No. 4 Page 4 of RFA executive summary</p> <p>No 5. Page 6 Section 2. Funding Opportunity Descriptions 2.1 Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN)</p>	<p>1- OVSJG does not currently announce total amount of available funds on any of requests for applications. Funds are awarded is based on availability and eligibility.</p> <p>2- Not special funding. It is supplement because it is out of our RFA cycle.</p>	

<p>prevention programs also given equal consideration?</p> <p>5. Are there specific programmatic outputs or outcomes you're interested in seeing grantees address (i.e., reduced recidivism)?</p>					<p>3- Depends on how many applicants</p> <p>4- Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN) activities, including implementing effective programs and strategies that enable PSN task forces to prevent, respond to, and reduce violent crimes; identifying high crime areas; and fostering effective collaboration with affected communities</p> <p>5- No 5. Page 6 Section 2. Funding Opportunity Descriptions 2.1 Project Safe Neighborhoods</p>	
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I am inquiring about whether the District of Columbia Courts are an eligible applicant for the FY26 Project Safe Neighborhood Request for Applications , or if it's only open to community-based non-profit agencies.	12/12/2025		District of Columbia Courts		Yes District Courts can apply for the grant	
Good morning, I have two questions regarding this grant opportunity. 1) In the RFA, there are multiple places that say that applications will automatically be rejected if a financial audit from the most recent fiscal year is not	12/15/25				<p>1- 2024 audit can be submitted.</p> <p>2- OVSJG does not currently announce total amount of available funds on any of requests for applications. Funds are awarded is</p>	

<p>included. I was hoping to get clarification on what is considered the "most recent fiscal year." We are a Jan 1-Dec. 31 calendar year organization, and therefore have just had our 2024 financial audit completed in October of 2025, making it our most recent. Since this grant proposal is due in January 2026 and the project period is April through September 2026, the grant period would be over before we have a 2025 financial audit completed. For purposes of this grant, could we consider our 2024 audit as the most recent fiscal year? Or would we be ineligible to apply?</p>					<p>based on availability and eligibility.</p>	
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2) What is the amount that can be requested for this grant?						
<p>Hello,</p> <p>Is there a funding amount per grantee for this RFA?</p> <p>Specifically what is the amount allowable for the grant application?</p>	12/15/25				<p>1OVSJG does not currently announce total amount of available funds on any of requests for applications. Funds are awarded is based on availability and eligibility.</p>	
<p>Good morning,</p> <p>I hope all is well. Our organization is applying for the Supplemental Reentry project grant. If we do not have an audited financial statement. Can we submit a profit and loss statement?</p>	12/6/25			Refer to page 13 in the RFA		
<p>Hello OVSJG Grants Team,</p>	12/19/25		Helen's Transitional House LLC.	Refer1.3 Application Deadline	Application is to be submitted in GovGrants	

<p>We plan to submit an application under the FY 2026 Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN) RFA through GovGrants on behalf of Helen’s Transitional House LLC.</p> <p>Can you please confirm whether any pre-approval is required prior to submission, or if submission through GovGrants alone is sufficient?</p> <p>Thank you,</p> <p>Andre Williams</p> <p>Executive Director, Helen’s Transitional House LLC</p>						
<p>On behalf of Collaborative Solutions for</p>					<p>1- You can select to serve one o of</p>	

<p>communities, I am submitting the following questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Could you please advise whether applicants are required to serve all the geographic areas identified in the RFA, or if they may select a subset of those areas? 2. The funding title includes "Reentry." Please clarify whether project activities may include reentry services, or if the funding is limited solely to violence prevention efforts intended to 				<p>No. 2 Page 4 of RFA executive summary</p> <p>No 5. Page 6</p> <p>Section 2. Funding Opportunity Descriptions 2.1 Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN)</p>	<p>the neighborhoods listed.</p> <p>2- Funding is for Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN) activities, including implementing effective programs and strategies that enable PSN task forces to prevent, respond to, and reduce violent crimes; identifying high crime areas; and fostering effective collaboration with affected communities.</p>	
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<p>support safe neighborhoods.</p> <p>Thank you.</p> <p><i>Rosemarie Downer, Ph.D. Grant Writer Collaborative Solutions for Communities</i></p>						
<p>Hello,</p> <p>We noticed you have posted answers to the questions on your website.</p> <p>Question #5 here was not answered earlier today, but I did notice you just posted a new document with an answer that references info in the RFA. Thank you.</p> <p><i>Further, on Question #2, can you provide greater clarity? You stated that it is "Not special funding. It is supplement because it is out of our RFA cycle." Can you clarify the</i></p>	<p>12/31/25</p>				<p>Please refer to Section 2. Funding Opportunity Descriptions 2.1 Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN) Page 6.</p>	

<i>source of the funds? Is it federal or local? Part of a formula grant or another program?</i>						
Thank you, Bridget						