

CITY OF JERSEY CITY PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Jersey City is accepting proposals for Homeless Prevention and Rapid Re-housing Program (HPRP) funds. The purpose of this Request for Proposals (RFP) is to provide Jersey City residents with services pursuant to the eligible activities under HPRP guidelines. The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has allocated \$2,676,991 to the City of Jersey City under HPRP.

Jersey City Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP) funds will be used for the following eligible homelessness prevention activities:

Eligible Activity	Use	Percentage	Total
Financial Assistance	Short and medium term rental assistance. Includes security deposits, utility payments and deposits and housing related relocation assistance. May also include emergency assistance.	37.4%	\$1,000,000
Housing Relocation and Stabilization Services	Case management, outreach, housing location, legal services, credit repair and mediation.	7.1%	\$190,029
Rapid Re-Housing	Housing and supportive services for homeless households. Families will be immediately housed and provided diversified supportive services.	49.0%	\$1,311,726
Data Collection	Reserved for DCD to renew and/or set-up HMIS Data System for eligible applicants	2.0%	\$53,540
Program Administration	Administrative costs related to HPRP award. Maximum is 3% per eligible applicant.	3.0%	\$80,310
Jersey City Administration	Reserved for DCD administrative costs.	1.5%	\$41,386
		TOTAL	\$2,676,991

A minimum of 60% of these funds must be expended within the first two (2) years.

Allocation of Funds

The City will award Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program (HPRP) funds to eligible non-profit agencies through a public Request for Proposals (RFP) / Application process.

Request for Proposals applications may be obtained from the City's web site – www.jerseycitynj.gov

The deadline for submission of proposals is Friday, July 10, 2009 at 4:00 P.M. No proposals will be accepted after this date. Proposals must be hand delivered to:

**Department of Housing, Economic Development & Commerce
Division of Community Development (DCD)
30 Montgomery Street – Suite 404
Jersey City, New Jersey 07302**

For further information, please contact the Division of Community Development at 201-547-6910.

**Jerramiah T. Healy
Mayor**