

Vance County Juvenile Crime Prevention Council

Request for Proposals

\$160,352

Anticipated County Allocation

10%

Required Local Match Rate

February 25, 2018

Date Advertised

The Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) has studied the risk factors and needs of Juvenile Court involved youth in this county and hereby publishes this Request for Proposals. The JCPC anticipates funds from the NC Dept. of Public Safety, Division of Juvenile Justice in the amount stated above to fund the program types specified below. Such programs will serve delinquent and at-risk youth for the state **fiscal year 2018-2019** beginning on, or after, **July 1, 2018**. The use of these funds in this county **requires a local match** in the amount specified above.

The JCPC will consider proposals for the following needed programs:

Mentoring	Parent/Family Skill Building	Teen Court
Mediation/ Conflict Resolution	Vocational Skill Building	Interpersonal Skill-building
Tutoring/ Academic Enhancement	Family Therapy	Wraparound Svs/ Case Management
Community Service/Restitution	Substance Abuse Education	Emergency Shelter
Gang Prevention/Intervention		

Proposed program services should target the following risk factors for delinquency or repeat delinquency:

In FY 2016-2017 there were 55 youth who came to the attention of juvenile court with 81 complaints. 23% were reported to have 2 or 3 prior referrals for undisciplined or delinquent behavior; 83% of youth at intake were reported to have either moderate or serious school behavior problems; 70% of youth lacked pro-social peer involvement with 5% were gang member or associated with gang. Risk assessment indicated that 30% of parents were willing but unable to supervise.

Programs should address the following concerns as reported in the Needs Assessments for adjudicated youth:

Peer Domain: 14% of youth at intake were rejected by positive peers; 26% had some association with delinquent peers; 19% had regular association with delinquent peers and 5% youth identifying with gangs or gang association.

Individual Domain: 24% of youth reported at intake as needing more substance abuse assessment/ treatment services. 46% or 43 youth identified as needing more mental health assessment.

Family Domain: 60% of youth at intake suggest parents have marginal or inadequate parenting skills; 67% of youth come from families who have criminal histories or are under active court supervision and 33% of youth at intake came from homes where there was domestic discord.

School Domain: 23% of youth at intake are functioning below grade level. Youth are in need of academic skill development. Youth are truant and/or exhibiting behaviors that result in multiple suspensions with data showing that for FY 16-17, 81% of youth at juvenile intake had moderate to serious school behavioral problems.

Applicants are being sought that are able to address items below:

1. Program services compatible with research that are shown to be effective with juvenile offenders.
2. Program services are outcome-based.
3. The program has an evaluation component.
4. Program services detect gang participation and divert individuals from gang participation.

Local public agencies, 501(c)(3) non-profit corporations and local housing authorities are invited to submit applications to provide services addressing the above elements.

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JCPC Chairperson or Designee

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In order to apply for FY 2018-2019 JCPC funding, you must complete and submit your application online by accessing NC ALLIES. Please read and follow all instructions at the following link:

<https://CP.NCDJDP.ORG/CP>

You may find additional self-help videos to assist you on the NCALLIES webpage by clicking on the HELP tab.

After submitting the application electronically, print and submit hard copies to the address below if instructed to do so by the county JCPC. Private non-profits are also required to submit the following forms or your application is considered incomplete: 1) No Over Due Tax form, 2) Notorized Conflict of Interest Statement Template, 3) The Non-profit's Conflict of Interest Policy and 4) Proof of 501(c)(3) status.

NOTE: For further information, or technical assistance about applying for JCPC funds in this county, contact Eddie Crews, Div. of Juvenile Justice Area Consultant, at (919-214-2348) or walter.crews@ncdps.gov

Deadline for Application is: **March 27, 2018** by 5 P.M.

Mail or deliver applications to: Deliver to Juvenile Services, 300 S. Garnett Street, 3rd Floor, Henderson, NC 27536 or Mail to P.O. Box 1341 Henderson, NC 27536

Number of original copies to submit: 5 Telephone: 252-425-2631