

## **COMMUNITY REVIEWERS** FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. Are you specifically looking for Project Managers with experience reviewing grants, or are you also interested in people with experience in other fields?

We are looking for both. If you have experience/expertise that covers more than one area, you would reflect that in the application. For example, if you worked as a project manager in the private sector specializing in health, you would provide a summary of your relevant Subject Matter Expertise and Project Management experience within the application.

2. Will you sign one contract as a reviewer or will you have to sign multiple contracts?

You will sign a separate contract for each grant program you are engaged for as a reviewer since each program will have a different scope of work and you will be vetted for any conflicts of interest each time.

3. Are these pure grants or are there going to be cooperative agreements?

These are all anticipated to be pure grants that will result in grant agreements as the County does not yet have a cooperative agreement mechanism.

4. Is there any cost share matching expected from the grantee?

It's going to depend on the grant program. This is why reviewers will be required to complete two trainings: a general one and a grant program-specific one, which will let you know what the needs and standards, including if there are any cost share requirements that you should be paying attention to as a reviewer.

- 5. Is there a sample contract with terms and conditions that reviewers are expected to sign? Yes, a sample contract and invoice template will be posted on the application page when finalized.
- 6. Are all trainings going to be online? Yes.
- If I were a grant reviewer for this year, would that preclude me from being an applicant or a reviewer in a future grant program?
  No.
- 8. If I conducted a small survey for nonprofit in 2019 that applied for a specific grant program, would I be able to serve as a reviewer for that grant program?

According to County ethics laws, you would not be able to be a reviewer for any program that organization applies for as your previous work with them presents a conflict of interest.

