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What is the name of your project proposal? \*

Kids Farmers Market

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

\$125,000

What is your total project budget? \*

\$295,000

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:**

The Kids Farmers Market program (KFM) provides Yolo County's elementary-school-aged children access to local produce and nutrition education. Students enjoy fruits and vegetables procured directly from local farmers in the area. Nearly 2,600 households receive locally-grown

produce every month at 12 school sites across Yolo County. At least twice-monthly, students are guided during or after-school to learn about, sample, and select their own fruits and vegetables, sometimes using play money to simultaneously provide insight into the economic value of nutritious food and its impact upon the food system and our economy. Children return home from school with more than 12 pounds of healthy produce for their families, setting the stage for a more food secure future for Yolo County's next generation.

#### ARP FUNDING PROJECT PROPOSAL DESCRIPTION:

The Kids Farmers Market Program of Yolo Food Bank has been one of our most popular and successful programs. With this ARP funding, we are looking to take our signature program for children food security to the next level by also tying in aspects of agricultural worker food security as well. Collaboration, Innovation, and aligning with all aspects of the Yolo County 2020-2025 Strategic Plan are what makes up this project proposal.

First, with this ARP funding, we plan on expanding into the Agricultural Food Security space by expanding our KFM program and distributions to all of the Migrant Camps and Centers throughout Yolo County. These migrant centers are an essential service, as many of our food system workers are able to leave their children at these facilities to be taken care of and educated while their parents head to the fields for a long day harvesting the food we eat. Bringing our existing KFM program to the children in these migrant camps will have a tremendous impact not only on their nutrition education and health. Ensuring that the children of our food system workers are taken care of helps ensure a flourishing agricultural system and further adds to having thriving residents throughout Yolo County.

We also plan on collaborating with many new and impactful partners. Fiery Ginger Farm will be helping us pilot a new program which will create a "farm to school" experience. Rather than donating directly to the Food Bank, Fiery Ginger will be dropping off produce directly to the KFM sites at our schools. This will encourage stronger agricultural partnerships with a focus on small, diverse, and local farmers. We have also been contacted by the Office of the California Governor. First Partner Jennifer Siebel Newsome wishes to support the program in this new iteration and plans on coming out to volunteer at KFM distributions, which will be a great PR not only for YFB but for the county. We are also in the midst of a major expansion of our KFM program as it has been so successful that Woodland Joint Unified School District has asked that we expand to 6 more of their schools, bringing our total KFM sites to 18! We will need additional resources to ensure a successful expansion.

YFB would also like to invest funds in purchasing reusable bags for students, to incentivize them to start being more environmentally conscious and aware. They will be encouraged to bring their bags back each time rather than us handing out bags that go to waste.

Purchasing produce specifically for the children we serve is crucial as kids have specific and unique needs. We also plan on investing in more culturally appropriate foods for the children of our Ag workers and beyond.

Lastly, having funding to partially cover personnel and salary costs would aid a great deal in keeping Kids Farmers Market staffed and running.

#### PROPOSED PROJECT BUDGET

Food Procurement (Produce) - \$65,000.00  
KFM Program Coordinator - \$30,000.00  
Volunteer Coordinator - \$10,000.00  
Warehouse Driver - \$10,000.00  
Warehouse Associate - \$8,000.00  
Reusable Bags - \$2,000.00  
TOTAL ARP FUNDING REQUEST: \$125,000.00

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

Approximately 2,600 children each month and their families.

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

200,000 pounds

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

Each child who participates in our KFM distributions can take home approximately 12 pounds of healthy produce to their families each month.

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

11/15/2022



Name of Project Lead \*

Steven Loya, Yolo Food Bank Senior Director of Development and Communications

Email of Project Lead \*

steven@yolofoodbank.org

Phone Number of Project Lead \*

(530) 574-4813

Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

- Woodland
- West Sacramento
- Davis
- Clarksburg
- Esparto
- Knights Landing
- Winters
- Other

\*

Woodland - 50% | West Sacramento - 15% | Davis - 20% | Esparto - 5% | Winters - 5% | Other - 5%

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

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Ned Spang, Secretary – UC, Davis

Kate Stille – Nugget Markets

Jonathan Reyes – UC, Davis

Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

California First Partner Jennifer Siebel Newsom

All Yolo County Migrant Camps/Centers

Fiery Ginger Farm

Birch Lane Elementary

Elkhorn Village Elementary School

Esparto Elementary School

Korematsu Elementary School

Marguerite Montgomery Elementary School

Prairie Elementary School

Riverbank Elementary School

Westfield Village Elementary

Whitehead Elementary School

YMCA Winters

YMCA Woodland

YMCA Yolo County - College St.

Expansion to an additional 6 school sites in the Woodland Joint Unified School District (WJUSD)

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$125,000 | Infrastructure: \$2,000 - 2% | Personnel: \$58,000 - 46% | Overhead (Food): \$65,000 - 52%

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$125,000 | Children: \$100,000 - 80% | Ag Workers: \$25,000 - 20%

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

All remaining funds for this program will be raised through private funds from individuals, businesses, and other partnerships throughout the county. A minimum of \$100,000 additional funds will be raised, up to \$225,000 or more depending on the level of funding from this second round of ARP funding. We also have a portion of the \$380,000 (~\$70,000) that was raised during our successful Big Day of Giving campaign for our new Flipping the Food System Initiative that can be used for the migrant camp/center portion of this program.

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What is the name of your project proposal? \*

Eat Home Yolo

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

\$250,000

What is your total project budget? \*

\$775,000

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:**

Eat Home Yolo provides equitable access to free, fresh food for our senior, low income, mobility-restricted, and homebound neighbors throughout Yolo County. Conceived at the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020 as an emergency response, this program now serves nearly 500

households through home deliveries and 800 households at 22 community housing distributions each month. Our goal is to meet the needs of each individual's unique circumstances through two distinct distribution models:

**Home Deliveries:**

Offering food deliveries – fresh produce and shelf stable pantry items – every other week, to individual's homes. Dozens of dedicated Yolo Food Bank volunteers and three of our partner organizations — Farm Fresh To You, Mercy Coalition of West Sacramento, and Food 4U Foundation — make this effort possible delivering nutritious food every other week directly to residents' doors.

**Community Distributions:**

Private food distributions at 22 senior and affordable housing communities throughout Yolo County.

**ARP FUNDING PROJECT PROPOSAL DESCRIPTION:**

Eat Home Yolo is an essential program that was born out of the pandemic. Additional funding is crucial to keep this essential program running, especially since this was only intended to be a temporary program upon initial conception. Our hope is to invest ARP into not only sustaining Eat Home Yolo, but expanding it to have an even great impact on our senior population and other homebound residents.

First, we have an extreme need to hire an additional driver that will be fully dedicated as a home delivery driver for this program. We also hope to purchase an additional delivery van that will also be dedicated for this specific program. As of now, staff across YFB and other partner organizations does the best they can on a week by week basis to staff this program. And if any one piece cannot keep their commitment for any reason, other staff must step up or seniors deliveries are at risk of their much needed and relied upon food deliveries being late. Having an additional dedicated driver for this program would be a game changer.

Although we are fairly well covered on food from donations and recovery operations, there is a great need to purchase specific foods that are more ideal and suitable specifically for our senior population. Currently, our seniors get whatever food we have that our normal constituents also receive. But we have heard feedback that often times much of the food we are able to give out is not ideal for what seniors need not only accessibility wise, but nutritionally as well. \$50,000 for food procurement would allow us to have a level of choice and customization that we would be able to provide to the seniors and homebound populations that we serve.

We also wish to continue to invest in and expand upon our efforts to survey all households across Yolo County. We are currently working with the Institute of Social Research (ISR) at California State University, Sacramento who are experts in surveying and data analysis. They are in the process of helping us with a survey that was born out of our successful Flipping the Food System Initiative from Big Day of Giving, which is focused on general food insecurity data collection from all households across the county. \$60,000 would allow us to expand on these efforts and include an emphasis on understanding the needs of our senior, low income, mobility-restricted, and homebound neighbors throughout Yolo County.

Lastly, having funding to partially cover personnel and salary costs would aid a great deal in

keeping Eat Home Yolo staffed and running.

PROPOSED PROJECT BUDGET

Countywide Survey - \$60,000.00

Food Procurement (Senior Focused) - \$50,000.00

Sprinter Van Purchase - \$50,000.00

Dedicated EHY Warehouse Driver - \$38,000.00

EHY Program Coordinator - \$30,000.00

Volunteer Coordinator - \$10,000.00

Warehouse Associate - \$8,000.00

Sprinter Van Wrapping - \$4,000.00

TOTAL ARP FUNDING REQUEST: \$250,000.00

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

Approximately 1,300 seniors each month

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

250,000 pounds

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

Approximately 24,000 individual deliveries annually consisting of one produce box and a bag of dry goods

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

11/15/2022



Name of Project Lead \*

Steven Loya, Yolo Food Bank Senior Director of Development and Communications

Email of Project Lead \*

steven@yolofoodbank.org

Phone Number of Project Lead \*

(530) 574-4813

Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

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- Winters
- Other

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Woodland - 32% | West Sacramento - 36% | Davis - 21% | Clarksburg - 1% | Esparto - 4% | Knights Landing - 1% | Winters - 1% | Other - 3%

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Ned Spang, Secretary – UC, Davis

Kate Stille – Nugget Markets

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Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

Farm Fresh To You  
Mercy Coalition of West Sacramento  
Food 4U Foundation  
Institute of Social Research (ISR) at California State University, Sacramento  
All county senior advocacy and support organizations (Ex: Yolo Healthy Aging Alliance, Meals on Wheels Yolo, etc.)  
Bartlett Commons  
Country Vila Mobile Estates  
Davisville Apartments  
Eskaton Wilson Manor  
Leisureville Community Association  
Mutual Housing at Moore Village  
Mutual Housing at Spring Lake  
Mutual Housing at Owendale Apartments  
Mutual Housing at Owendale  
Mutual Housing at Springlake  
Mutual Housing at Twin Pines  
Parkside at Sycamore  
Rancho Yolo Senior Community  
Rochdale Grange Affordable Housing  
Sycamore Pointe Apartments  
The Woodmark Apartments  
Valhalla Mobile Home Club  
West Capitol Courtyard  
West Capitol Courtyard Apartments  
West Gateway Place Apartments  
Winters Senior Apartments

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Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$250,000 | Infrastructure: \$114,000 - 46% | Personnel: \$86,000 - 34% | Overhead (Food): \$50,000 - 20%

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$250,000 | Seniors: \$250,000 - 100%

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

All remaining funds for this program will be raised through private funds from individuals, businesses, and other partnerships throughout the county. A minimum of \$125,000 additional funds will be raised, up to \$350,000 or more depending on the level of funding from this second round of ARP funding. Our partner Farm Fresh to You also provides approximately \$400,000 worth of food, materials, and services in a tremendous partnership with Yolo Food Bank for the Eat Home Yolo program.

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What is the name of your project proposal? \*

Recovery Cafe West Sacramento

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

\$80,210

What is your total project budget? \*

\$286,380

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

Please see full program description emailed to Madison York per email instructions 9/23/22.

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

100 to 130 unique individuals in 12 months.

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

N/A

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

5,000 hot meals; 2,000 instant breakfasts; 1,500 emergency food bags. In addition, with the food and fellowship of the cafe as an incentive and encouragement, Recovery Cafe West Sac anticipates more than 1,200 group interactions (attendance) in Recovery Circles and the School for Recovery offerings; and more than 200 interactions in JAM Academy workforce development offerings.

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

12/1/2022



Name of Project Lead \*

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Email of Project Lead \*

don@wsmercycoalition.org

Phone Number of Project Lead \*

916-997-6332

Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

- Woodland
- West Sacramento
- Davis
- Clarksburg
- Esparto
- Knights Landing
- Winters
- Other

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West Sacramento 95%, Davis 2%, Woodland 2%, Clarksburg 1%.

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

Mercy Coalition Board of Directors  
Aleecia Gutierrez, California Energy Commission (Chair)  
Anna Darzins, Volunteers of America (Vice Chair)  
Brandon Hooker, California Employment Development Dept. (Treasurer)  
Erin McEwen, Mutual Housing California (Secretary)  
Dr. Karen LeGrand, Sierra College  
Alicia David, Cal Fire  
Sandy Kim, UC Davis

Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

City of West Sacramento: partial funding some staffing through Edible Food Recovery (contracts being finalized)  
Yolo County YoloWorks!: partial funding 1 staffing position  
Yolo Food Bank: discount purchases and edible food recovery partnership  
Grocery Outlet: edible food recovery partnership  
Community Lutheran Church: host site for Recovery Cafe West Sacramento  
Collings Teen Center: host site for cafe commercial kitchen

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$80,210. Infrastructure: \$38,700 (48.2%); Personnel: \$34,220 (42.7%); Overhead: \$7,290 (9%)

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Seniors: 50% Children: 0% Rural: 0%

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

Recovery Cafe Network 2022 Capacity Grant: \$50,000 (awarded and 80% disbursed) City of West Sacramento Edible Food Recovery Contract: \$26,000 (affirmed; contracts being finalized). Recovery Cafe Network 2023 Capacity Grant: \$50,000 (earmarked; available 7/1/23).

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What is the name of your project proposal? \*

Three Sisters Gardens Community Giving

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

Three Sisters Gardens (TSG) is requesting \$200,000 from Yolo County to fund our Community Giving program.

What is your total project budget? \*

TSG's total operational budget is \$958,858 of which \$848,000 is funded. We are requesting an additional \$200,000 in funding from Yolo County to ensure we can operate our current Community Giving programs through Fall 2023.

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

Three Sisters Gardens (TSG) is applying for Yolo County ARP Food Security funding to expand the reach of our programs throughout the Broderick area and beyond. This summer alone, TSG donated over 12,000 lbs of fresh, organic produce to the community through weekly Free Farm Stands, donations to Yolo Food Bank, and donations to Meals on Wheels. TSG is seeking funding to grow our team in order to grow our programs.

TSG has been creating a Youth Leadership Development Program that provides living-wage part-time green job opportunities for "at-promise" youth. These youth are essential to daily farm activities from planting to running the weekly Free Farm Stands. TSG's Community Giving program would not be possible without the youth. In return, TSG provides job skills, work experience, a \$15/hour stipend, and community connection to the youth – a safe alternative to activities that could land them in trouble with the law. TSG has previously worked with the Yolo County Probation Department to provide paid work opportunities for paroled youth.

TSG is expanding its Community Giving efforts to include two schools in the Broderick/Bryte area where most students participate in their school's free lunch program. By working with Riverbank Elementary School and Elkhorn Village Elementary School, TSG is able to provide farm fresh, organic produce to low-income students that would not otherwise have access to healthy food options. School meal programs are essential to meeting the nutritional needs of the students dependent on them since that may be their only guaranteed meal each day. By offering healthy organic options, TSG can help meet these nutritional needs.

The contribution from Yolo County would ensure that TSG continues to expand its weekly Community Giving programs through the support of additional staff and youth stipends, farm supplies (i.e. tools, seeds), and a farm vehicle to meet increasing demand. Increased staffing is paramount for TSG to continue to expand its program and its impact on the greater Broderick/Bryte community.

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

This program will serve at least 2670 people in the community.

- 1500 adults (including seniors) reached through Community Giving via Free Farm Stands, Yolo Food Bank, and Meals on Wheels donations
- 1170 children reached through Riverbank Elementary School and Elkhorn Village Elementary School via free lunch program.
- 20 youth via Youth Leadership Development Program.

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

Approximately 48,000 pounds.

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

NA

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

11/1/2022



Name of Project Lead \*

Alfred Melbourne

Email of Project Lead \*

alfred@3sistersgardens.com

Phone Number of Project Lead \*

(916)291-8595

Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

- Woodland
- West Sacramento
- Davis
- Clarksburg
- Esparto
- Knights Landing
- Winters
- Other

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Woodland - 5% West Sacramento - 75% Davis - 5% Clarksburg - 4% Esparto - 1% Knights Landing - 1% Winters - 4% Other - 5%

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

No sponsoring agency.  
Three Sisters Gardens Board Members:  
Founder - Alfred Melbourne  
Secretary - Kelsey Brewer  
Board Member - Dean Johansson  
Board Member - Clarence Young

Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

Yolo Food Bank, Meals on Wheels, Elkhorn Village Elementary School, and Riverbank Elementary School.

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$200,000 Infrastructure: \$30,000 - 15% Personnel: \$160,000 - 80% Overhead: \$10,000 - 5%

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$200,000 Seniors: \$100,000 - 50% Children: \$100,000 - 50%

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

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Anonymous

05:03

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What is the name of your project proposal? \*

The Davis Night Market

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

\$6000

What is your total project budget? \*

\$6000

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

The Night Market is an environmentally sustainable and community-based initiative that recovers excess high-quality prepared food from retail establishments and restaurants and directly redistributes it to feed local communities in need daily, directly addressing both food waste and food insecurity. We lower the barriers involved in both food donation and collection, creating radically accessible community-level food redistribution networks. In contrast to other food recovery organizations, we do not require proof of need for community members to receive food donations, thus reducing social stigma and barriers associated with food access. Surplus cooked food, such as that produced by restaurants or supermarkets, needs to be quickly redistributed to remain high quality and meet local food safety requirements, therefore our strategy is to host an ongoing public event, the "Davis Night Market", where pre-packaged recovered food is distributed freely to anyone who attends immediately after collection. These events are curated with lights and music to provide a safe and inviting environment where community members, including those most marginalized, can interact with each other. The goal is to encourage people to view collecting excess food as a positive experience and to reduce the stigma around food insecurity, all while dramatically increasing access. The food recoveries we perform are fully sustainable as we use bike carts for cargo and transportation and compostable waxed carton boxes for packaging. In this way, we also bring environmental awareness to the issues associated with food waste and transportation while tapping into Davis's prominent biking culture.

The Night Market reaches out directly to restaurants and establishes a dynamic relationship with local businesses. Additionally, community recognizability is fostered through face-to-face interaction between employees of local businesses and Night Market volunteers. Operating at a hyperlocal scale, we are able to recover nutritious food that might be beneath the quantity threshold for larger organizations. We provide easy and immediate avenues for donors to donate their excess through email, Instagram, or a phone hotline, organizing rapid same-day food recovery through our pool of trained volunteers. To ensure minimal effort on the part of restaurants in reducing their food waste, volunteers routinely recover and, when necessary, package the untouched leftover food. Our donors include the Davis Food Co-op, Village Bakery, Sophia's Thai Kitchen, Chipotle, Peet's Coffee, Philz, Starbucks, Noah's Bagels, the Davis Farmer's Market vendors, the UCD Student Farm, the UCD Dining Commons, and the excess from Davis Community Meals.

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

An average of 25 people/day= 125 people/week = 6500 people/year

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

An average of 80 LB/day = 400 LB/week = 20800 LB/year

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

An average of 25 meals/day= 125 meals/week = 6500 meals/year

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

10/1/2022



Name of Project Lead \*

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Phone Number of Project Lead \*

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- Woodland
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- Winters
- Other

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· Woodland:2% · West Sacramento · Davis:98% · Clarksburg · Esparto · Knights Landing · Winters · Other

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

Ernst Oehninger, Valerie Weinborn, Sabrina Denton, Anna Kawiecki

Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

Davis Freedge, Davis Community Meals, Food Recovery Network, UC Davis Family Group, Tuesday Table, STEAC food closet, the Davis Bike Collective.

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Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$6000 Infrastructure: \$6,000 - 100% Personnel: \$0 -0% Overhead: \$0 - 0%

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$6,000 Seniors: \$1,800 - 30% Children: \$1,200 - 20% Rural: \$0 - 0%

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

## View results

Respondent

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Anonymous

72:53

Time to complete

What is the name of your project proposal? \*

Meals on Wheels Yolo County - "Operation Accelerate: Driving Kitchen Capacity"

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

\$500,000

What is your total project budget? \*

\$1,000,000

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

Nearly 550 food insecure seniors currently are nourished by MOW Yolo with 5 meals weekly & shelf-stable weekend foods as needed. MOW Yolo scrambled quickly to address previous underperformance exacerbated by COVID-19 by dramatically accelerating & expanding service since January, spawning the launch of "Operation Accelerate." In less than 9 months, this has

resulted in 40% more seniors receiving deliveries, menu choice in the face of medical or cultural dietary needs, & the initiation of meal access in previously unserved rural communities, such as Dunnigan and Clarksburg. In addition to nutritious meals, healthy outcomes are further supported by the presence of a friendly delivery driver at the front door, boosting mental health & providing an important wellness check-in.

This upward trajectory is under threat, however, due to the limited capacity of the current Central Kitchen on N. East Street in Woodland. Producing the current 11,000 meals per month already requires innovation & the implementation of multiple service delivery models to achieve. Other than a few pending collaborative commitments, MOW Yolo is having to apply the brakes in the kitchen & within the coming weeks will once again need to implement a wait list until additional, appropriate commercial kitchen space can be secured & funded. It is our goal that these vulnerable seniors not linger on this list for long. But financial assistance is needed for MOW Yolo to continue to transform the outlook for senior food security and healthy outcomes countywide.

The "Driving Kitchen Capacity" phase of the "Operation Accelerate" initiative is intended to address the urgent need for more kitchen space to reach the initiative's current goal of 800 seniors served, as well as ensure continued growth up to a service census of approximately 1,250. When the poverty rate in Yolo County is "overlaid" on the senior population of the county, there are at least 8,000 seniors living in poverty & likely food insecure as a result. This means that a 2-year plan to serve up to 1,250 seniors is critical to positive health outcomes for this population, allowing more aging adults to age in place in their own homes, avoid medical interventions, reduce hospitalizations, enjoy mental wellness, & an overall higher quality of life.

Because the need for kitchen capacity is urgent, & because administrative, programmatic, & philanthropic functions at MOW Yolo remain more immature than ideal, a financial "bridge" is needed over the next 2 years to keep meals flowing & expanded to all seniors in need, while the fortitude is built for longer-term solutions & stabilized funding for appropriate permanent facilities & the infrastructure & staffing needed to propel them. This request for ARP support would provide the following toward that end:

- The ability to lease kitchen space to supplement the current location. The second kitchen is envisioned as providing for the production of 700 or more additional meals per day.
- Infrastructure for the additional kitchen as needed to equip it to meet requirements of a robust senior nutrition program, as well as ensure the continuity of the existing kitchen.
- Increase the budget for raw food and supplies related to food production & delivery & adequate storage, congruent with the continued service increase.
- Supplement our staff – particularly kitchen management, chef, & aide positions – to support the increased activity.
- The opportunity for a more focused vision & strategic planning to occur, setting forth a more solid trajectory for MOW Yolo's impact over the next 5-10 years.

While the pandemic clearly created new hurdles & intensified existing deficits in MOW Yolo's capabilities, the project provides a unique & transformational opportunity to uplift the prowess & the promise of this nonprofit to nourish more seniors, more nutritiously & more equitably, & for all of us to be proud of how our county cares for its vulnerable aging residents.

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

1,250 food insecure/mobility-limited Yolo County seniors; i.e. - 700 new meal recipients in addition to better serving the 550 currently nourished.

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

500,000 pounds of food annually, primarily in the form of prepared meals. Over the next two+ years, this will total >1,000,000 pounds of food.

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

325,000 meals per year; >650,000 meals over the next two+ years.

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

11/30/2022



Name of Project Lead \*

Joy Cohan

Email of Project Lead \*

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Phone Number of Project Lead \*

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Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

- Woodland
- West Sacramento
- Davis
- Clarksburg
- Esparto
- Knights Landing
- Winters
- Other

\*

Woodland = 27%, West Sacramento = 30%, Davis = 20%, Clarksburg = 2%, Esparto = 6%, Knights Landing = 2%, Winters = 9%, Other = 4%

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

Chair - Eric Miller  
Vice Chair - Bridget Levich  
Treasurer - Jim Odusola  
Interim Secretary - Michelle Weiss  
Immediate Past Chair - Dr. James Barrett  
Other Board members - Vicki Faye, Marc Thompson, Ryan Frings, Karen McClellan

Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

Via the formation of a Senior Food Security Work Group, extensive conversations have taken place with Yolo Food Bank (YFB) and Yolo Healthy Aging Alliance (YHAA) over the past six months to maximize coordination of food security services for seniors countywide, and particularly for isolated seniors in rural areas of the county. At this time, given the goals of all three organizations, it seems that the best opportunities for collaboration around potential ARP round 2 funding are for MOW Yolo to prioritize food purchases from YFB whenever feasible using these funds, and for MOW Yolo to continue to make meal recipients aware of YHAA Mobile Meals events using outreach materials/info provided by YHAA. MOW Yolo intends to continue to encourage periodic meetings of the Work Group in order to encourage these collaborative actions, as well as others that might emerge or make sense over the time frame for this potential funding.

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$500,000. Infrastructure: \$100,000 – 20%. Personnel: \$150,000 – 30%. Overhead (kitchen facility leases): \$250,000 – 50%

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Of the total \$500,000 requested: Seniors: 100% of the funds requested serve this population.  
Rural Communities: 15% of the funds requested are specific to increasing home-delivered meals and related food access to seniors in rural communities.

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

MOW Yolo is actively seeking to increase private philanthropic investment in the organization. Based upon results over the past calendar year to date, approximately \$1,000,000 in revenue in this category is anticipated in each of the next two years, serving to match with ARP funds to elevate capacity and create and continue the transformational change required to increase the delivery of nutrition by nearly 150% to Yolo County seniors over current service levels.

## View results

Respondent

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Anonymous

15:24

Time to complete

What is the name of your project proposal? \*

Growing Yolo County Farm to School: Assessing Needs & Opportunities to Expand Farm to School Programming for All Yolo County Students

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

\$35,000

What is your total project budget? \*

\$35,000

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

There are over 29,000 students in Yolo County K-12 schools, yet the proven benefits of farm to school programming, such as improved student health, increased engagement and positive attitudes about school and learning, and enhanced academic achievement are available to only a fraction of our students. A newly formed nonprofit, Yolo County Farm to School, has as its mission to address this shortfall and work with schools, food service professionals, local farmers, local food hubs and community members to bring farm to school to more children and families throughout Yolo County, particularly in smaller schools and more rural communities.

We are asking for \$35,000 to conduct a comprehensive needs assessment in all schools in Yolo County. We want to learn about existing programs and pinpoint gaps by 1) Identifying schools that have farm to school programs, describing the scope of their program, and determining how many students participate. 2) Identifying schools that do not have programs and determining how many students are missing out on a farm to school program. 3) Identifying schools that have experiential activities for students and describing them, such as school gardens, culinary arts, or farm field trips. Through the assessment of each existing farm to school program we will 1) Learn about school food service policies for procuring local farm produce. 2) Learn about school food service meal planning processes, including career education and training, that are in place to enhance the use of local produce. 3) Learn about communication pathways and relationships between local farmers, local food hubs and school food service professionals. 4) Learn how schools are implementing food education to help students understand how food impacts health, culture, biodiversity, and climate. 5) Learn how local interest groups and stakeholders support the farm to school program in their community.

Once compiled and analyzed, this assessment of needs will guide Yolo County Farm to School as we establish our priorities and craft a strategic plan for public outreach about our mission and for coalition building with partners, school districts, and local farmers—all aimed at enabling us to create resources and networks, and to share best practices to expand farm to school programming throughout Yolo County.

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

We will be surveying schools in Yolo County with a total enrollment of over 29,000 students, and dozens of local farmers and the food hubs in Yolo County.

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

N/A

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

N/A

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

1/1/2023



Name of Project Lead \*

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Phone Number of Project Lead \*

530-304-3147

Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

- Woodland
- West Sacramento
- Davis
- Clarksburg
- Esparto
- Knights Landing
- Winters
- Other

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Our calculation is based on the number of schools in each community and farmers that could service them-- Woodland 27.1%; West Sacramento 20.3%; Davis 30.5%; Clarksburg 3.4%; Esparto 6.8% ; Knights Landing 1.7% ; Winters 10.2%; Other -0-

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

Randii Macnear  
Cathy Olsen  
Ann Daniel

Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

We will seek input from the experienced leaders of the Davis Farm to School program and the Winters Farm to School program as well as professionals at the Davis Joint Unified School District and Winters Joint Unified School District. We will also seek input from the Spork Food Hub and the Yolo Food Hub development team. They have insights and experiences that will inform our needs assessment and strategic plan for the entire county.

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$35,000: Infrastructure: \$17,050—49%; Personnel: \$16,000—46%; Overhead: \$1,950—5%

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$35,000: Children: \$21,000 - 60%; Rural: \$12,250 - 35%; Seniors: \$1,750 - 5%;

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

Contributions include office supplies/computer, storage, day to day meeting rooms, office support, consultant time, travel, printing.

## View results

Respondent

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Anonymous

43:13

Time to complete

What is the name of your project proposal? \*

Salad Bar for Rural Seniors

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

The total requested contribution of Yolo County is \$6,500.

What is your total project budget? \*

The total project budget is \$9,000.

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

For nearly 2 decades RISE, Incorporated has provided a Senior Citizen Recreation Program in Esparto. The program operates two times per week. This project proposal is requesting 100% equipment to help serve our rural Seniors with regular meals. We are requesting a durable salad bar, ice making machine, and various kitchen utensils that will allow our RISE team to provide consistent healthy meal options to our rural senior residents. This one time investment will allow our RISE Community Service Center to provide seamless meal options to our rural seniors and community for years to come.

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

We currently have approximately 25 rural Senior participants who attend our program each Tuesday and Thursday. The program operates year round and will serve approximately 2,600 meals directly to our most vulnerable rural senior citizens. Moreover, RISE also operates a wide range of children's youth programs. Access to a Salad Bar will allow us to provide direct food services to our rural youth as well.

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

Our plan is not not directly provide delivery services at the moment. However, having access to this equipment may provide future opportunities to do so. Currently, the plan is to provide meals on site to rural seniors and youth at our RISE Community Service Center.

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

NA

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

11/1/2022



Name of Project Lead \*

Dr. Tico Zendejas

Email of Project Lead \*

tico@riseinc.org

Phone Number of Project Lead \*

530-787-4110

Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

- Woodland
- West Sacramento
- Davis
- Clarksburg
- Esparto
- Knights Landing
- Winters
- Other

\*

100% to the rural residents of Madison, Esparto, and Capay Valley.

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

Lupe Trejo - Board President  
Woody Fridae - Vice President  
Cathie Wicks - Secretary  
Elizabeth Conn-Ossenfort  
Marcela Heredia

Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

Esparto Elementary School  
Esparto Middle School  
Esparto High School  
SunRISE Child Development Center  
UC Davis Cooperative Extension

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

\$6,500 - 100% Infrastructure (Equipment Cost) RISE is providing the in-kind personnel cost

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Rural Seniors - 75% Rural Children - 25%

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

Our matching funds come from a Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation grant. This proposal request is for 100% equipment. The matching funds will provide funding support for the staffing to place order, set up new program/services, etc... Approximately \$2,500 of staffing time is our match.

## View results

Respondent

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Anonymous

22:25

Time to complete

What is the name of your project proposal? \*

Mutual Housing Food Security Services

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

\$40,000

What is your total project budget? \*

\$85000

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

Mutual Housing California was formed in 1988 as a partnership of neighborhood residents, businesses, housing advocates, and local government dedicated to improving housing opportunities for low- to moderate-income (LMI) families. We operate twenty-one affordable housing sites across the region that provide a safe place to live for more than 1,100 LMI families

from diverse backgrounds. We work beyond bricks and mortar to stabilize neighborhoods through our Community Development programs, providing comprehensive, wrap-around services and leadership development opportunities. In particular, our seven properties in Yolo County provide affordable housing, supportive services, and community building programs for seniors, agricultural workers, children, and their families. One of our properties, Mutual Housing at Spring Lake in Woodland houses 101 agricultural workers and their families.

Our Community Development team has been providing periodic food distribution services, health and wellness education, and building food security and sustainability among households through community gardens. Since the onset of the pandemic, we realized that many of our residents were struggling without adequate food. Families were having difficulty feeding children due to increasing inflation and limited options for low-cost meals their families had come to rely on. Agricultural workers at our Spring Lake property sometimes couldn't get to a grocery store if someone in the household was sick or had lost income due to limited income.

Studies have shown that lack of food access has a severe impact on the health and wellbeing of low-income residents. People unable to afford to live in more affluent neighborhoods often struggle with challenges related to a variety of community-level health-related factors, including access to healthy food. Our residents have limited access to sources of nutritious food, such as supermarkets that sell fresh produce and other healthful food options. The needs of our residents have been escalated by the continued impact of COVID-19 due to higher-than-normal inflation rates, increased unemployment, and supply chain issues that make food inaccessible. Food distribution has also been a challenge due to limited staff capacity to reach more households and lack of access to storage and pantry spaces.

Our Community Development team saw this need and started working more closely with Yolo Food Bank to bring food bags, boxes, and other resources to our sites. Yolo Food Bank partners with Community Development staff to ensure that our seniors, children, and agricultural workers receive food to compensate for lack of access and emergency situations. In addition, we have been continuing to offer food and nutrition cooking classes to encourage families to prepare healthy recipes. We have also supported seniors and families to build sustainable community gardens to meet additional needs for their households.

Our goal is to increase health and wellness of over 125 residents by improving access to healthy food options and meals. We will be doing this by developing Food Pantries at the housing sites to provide more storage spaces and provide more emergency food when required. Overall, the outcome of this work is to eliminate barriers to healthy and nutritional foods for seniors, children, and agricultural workers in our 7 properties in Yolo County. In the long-term, we expect this will improve the health, financial stability, and educational outcomes of our residents. The \$40,000 requested for this grant will help us accomplish the following:

- 1) Purchase of storage equipment such as storage cabinets, commercial refrigerators, bags to create on-site capacity to hold food at these sites;
- 2) Purchase low-cost healthy food from Yolo Food Bank and other partners;
- 3) Provide staffing to ensure food is purchased, stored, and distributed effectively.

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

We estimate to serve a total of 290 people in 125 Households. Each of these households are below 60% AMI. Almost 40% of residents are children, and 34% are Hispanic.

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

We intend to deliver over 2,000 bags of food for the 125 households, averaging 2 lbs. per bag and totaling 4,000 lbs.

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

We will deliver over 2,500 meals by the end of 12 months.

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

11/1/2022



Name of Project Lead \*

Megan La, Program Coordinator

Email of Project Lead \*

megan@mutualhousing.com

Phone Number of Project Lead \*

(916) 403-5245

Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

- Woodland
- West Sacramento
- Davis
- Clarksburg
- Esparto
- Knights Landing
- Winters
- Other

\*

Woodland: 37%, Davis: 63%

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

1. Cathy Creswell, Chair, provides housing, planning, and legislative services through her consulting firm, Creswell Consulting.
2. Jennifer Higley-Chapman, vice chair, Paraeducator III, Davis Joint Unified School District
3. Tricia Stevens, secretary, Consulting Planner, MIG, Inc.
4. Corinne Morrison, treasurer, EVP & CFO, Summit view Child & Family Services, Inc.
5. Greg Chew (County Appointee), Senior Planner, Sacramento Area Council of Governments (SACOG)
6. Allison Joe, Chief of Staff, City of Sacramento District 5, Sacramento City Council
7. Andrea Noble, resident leader at Mutual Housing on the Greenway in South Sacramento active member of SEIU local 2015
8. Charlene Jones, resident leader at Mutual Housing on the Greenway in South Sacramento and active member of Residents United Network (RUN)
9. Elizabeth Reynaga, resident leader at Westerner Mutual Housing Community in Sacramento County, a community of mobile homeowners
10. Latoiche Adams (R), Research Associate I - Kaiser Permanente, resident leader and active member of Mutual Housing Resident Impact Committee.
11. Karen Naungayan, Deputy Director of External Affairs at California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank (IBank)

Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

Yolo Food Bank

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$40,000: Infrastructure – 40% Includes \$9,750 (storage, refrigerators) + \$6,500 (food purchased) = \$16,250. Personnel – 60% costing \$23,750 (50% FTE Program Coordinator). Overhead – 0%. Overhead and other administrative costs will be covered in our match.

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

1) 25% (73) seniors, 2) 50% (145) children-35% (102) rural families, 3) 25% (73) former agricultural workers

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

As our total budget for Mutual Housing's Food Security Services in Yolo County is \$85,000 and we are requesting \$40,000, we expect to provide a match for the additional \$45,000. The match will cover supervision, staff benefits and taxes, travel, training, administrative overhead, and other supplies. These funds will come from fees we generate at our affordable housing properties for resident services, and organizational fees we receive from new housing developments that provide support to our Community Development work. We appreciate the opportunity to apply for funding under the ARPA Food Security Grant with Yolo County. We look forward to our continued partnership and support for LMI residents in the region. Our program staff will continue to provide oversight and track improvement in service delivery, increased sustainability among supported households, and decreased financial burdens on households, ensuring this grant achieves the desired impact. At the close out of the project, we would like to provide a final report containing a summary of the process and highlighting the outcomes, findings, lessons learned and best practices, and how the assistance improved health and wellbeing of residents will be shared with the County. For questions, please contact Brenda Meyer, Grants Manager, at [grants@mutualhousing.com](mailto:grants@mutualhousing.com).

## View results

Respondent

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Anonymous

149:04

Time to complete

What is the name of your project proposal? \*

FUN - Families Understanding Nutrition

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

\$125,500

What is your total project budget? \*

\$175,500

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

In 2021, 10.2% of households in the United States had some level of food insecurity (USDA, 2022), and these rates are even higher in Yolo County. According to Feeding America (2022), 13.3% of the population of Yolo County is food insecure with 25% of that population being ineligible for SNAP due to income restrictions. Further complicating the issue of food insecurity is

the level of health or nutritional literacy, with only 37% of adult participants in a recent government study having “adequate” health literacy (CDC, 2022). Low levels of health literacy have a detrimental effect on individuals’ understanding and utilization of health information, including that related to nutrition.

In order to combat low levels of health (and specifically nutritional) literacy as well as address the epidemic of food insecurity in California (and Yolo County specifically), we at Elica Health Centers are proposing FUN – Families Understanding Nutrition. FUN is an ongoing series of seminars designed to educate families on nutritional literacy and healthy food options at a reasonable price. All families will be welcome to participate, with a special focus on children ages 3-10.

The program will be provided in English, with future programming in Spanish and Russian, which will encompass a large portion of residents in the West Sacramento area. The program will be run under the clinical supervision of a registered dietitian (Oksana Rutkevich, RD), and will include pre- and post-test evaluation of participants’ knowledge as it relates to nutrition and balanced eating (e.g., Diamond, 2007).

Participants will be provided with easy recipes, cooking demonstrations, and nutritional information to help families make informed decisions about their own nutritional needs. Importantly, participants will also be provided with food to take home to make the recipes on their own, as well as supplemental cooking utensils and nutritious snacks.

Topics such as school lunches, easy weeknight meals, affordable healthy foods including snacks, food budgeting, and nutrition labels will be discussed. Special attention will be paid in nutrition spotlights on iron, vitamin D, added sugar, sodium, saturated fat, and calcium. Instructors will also incorporate important information on resources in the Yolo County area as well as physical activity. Children will be invited to participate in games and activities targeted toward their age group, to make learning about nutrition fun and engaging.

A general breakdown of the curriculum is as follows, with specifics available upon request:

1. What does it mean to eat healthy?
2. Snacking
3. Planning meals for the week and making a shopping list
4. Understanding nutrition labels
5. Eating from all food groups and ingredient substitutions
6. The importance of physical activity

CDC. (2022). Health literacy. Retrieved September 14, 2022 from <https://www.cdc.gov/healthliteracy/researchevaluate/food-literacy.html>

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How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

100 families (approx. 400 people)

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

Est. 6,000

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

N/A

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

2/1/2023



Name of Project Lead \*

Kristen Hatten, Ph.D.

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Phone Number of Project Lead \*

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Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

- Woodland
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- Other

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West Sacramento 100% with the possibility of expansion

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

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Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

None at this time.

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$125,500; Infrastructure cost: \$52,500 (42%); Personnel and Salary Costs: \$60,000 (49%); Overhead: \$13,000 (10%)

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$125,500; Children: \$125,500 (100%). Seniors may also benefit as members of involved families.

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

Elica Health Centers can contribute \$50,000.

## View results

Respondent

3

Anonymous

94:00

Time to complete

What is the name of your project proposal? \*

STEAC (Short Term Emergency Aid Committee) Food Delivery Program

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

\$10,000

What is your total project budget? \*

Total Feeding the Hungry budget = \$142,298

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

Feeding the Hungry Program: STEAC's Feeding the Hungry Program provides food to local residents through four main programs: (1) Food Pantry Program - provides a week's worth of food for each individual in a family as often as twice a month; (2) Food Packs for Kids Program - provides a weekly bag of nutritious snacks to low-income students at three local school sites; (3)

Homeless Packs – homeless individuals receive one bag of appropriate food once a week; and (4) Food Delivery Program (consists of three subprograms) – Rural Innovations in Social Economics (RISE) Food Distribution Program, Senior Delivery Program and Empower Yolo Delivery Program. Food is also delivered to migrant camps for a portion of the year (see details below). To the extent possible, food packs for all programs are customized specific to the client's cultural and nutrition needs. In 2021-22, STEAC's Feeding the Hungry Program helped 8,491 families (duplicated) comprised of 10,892 individuals.

Food Delivery Program: STEAC is applying for a \$10,000 grant to support its Food Delivery Program. In describing the impact of the pandemic on local food insecurity, a recent article from Feeding America noted that the most vulnerable members of society, in particular seniors, are in a position to fare the worst. In response to the pandemic, STEAC's expanded its Food Delivery Program, using COVID-safe protocols, with a particular emphasis on reaching out to seniors who suddenly found themselves vulnerable coming in person to STEAC's Food Pantry. In 2021-22, the Food Delivery Program helped 1,576 families duplicated, comprised of 2,311 individuals. Food Delivery subprogram specifics are outlined below:

#### 1. Senior Delivery Program –

How The Program Works: Created in response to the pandemic, this program, using COVID-safe protocols, delivers food to low-income seniors at three different sites once a month: Eleanor Roosevelt Circle (ERC), Creekside Apartments and Cesar Chavez Plaza (CCP). This requires volunteers to: (1) purchase food; (2) make trips to the Yolo Food Bank, STEAC's Dixon warehouse, and STEAC's Food Pantry; and (3) pack and deliver food boxes. To minimize the handling of food items, STEAC delivers boxes of bulk food to each site. The site contact then distributes food to program recipients. Each individual served receives the equivalent of 15 meals. STEAC provides canned and packaged nonperishable items (fruit, vegetables, tuna, beans, peanut butter, jelly, etc.) and perishable items (meat, cheese, butter, etc.). In addition, STEAC purchases food at a discount from the Yolo Food Bank, allowing us to stretch our dollars, making the most of our funds.

#### 2. Empower Yolo Delivery Program –

How The Program Works: Prior to the pandemic, a group of roughly 30 low-income seniors were regularly referred to STEAC's Food Pantry by Empower Yolo. In response to the pandemic-related issues, this group of seniors no longer felt safe coming to the Food Pantry. To accommodate their concerns, STEAC established a monthly food delivery program to Empower Yolo. Additionally, as this predominantly Asian group of senior clients preferred fresh produce to shelf stable foods, STEAC was able to accommodate their dietary/cultural needs by customizing their food packs. This is one example of how STEAC tailors food packs to meet the client's needs.

#### 3. Rural Innovations in Social Economics (RISE) Food Distribution Program –

How The Program Works: In 2017, STEAC worked with RISE (Rural Innovations in Social Economics) to respond to the needs of rural families, suddenly without a publicly funded food source and access to a food pantry. Each month, volunteers pack and deliver shelf-stable food to the help 25-30 families at the Winter's RISE site.

Impact of Pandemic on Seniors: This section was cut off by the grant application. I sent the full response for this question to Madison York.

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

In 2023, STEAC anticipates its Food Delivery Program will serve roughly 1,580 families (duplicated) made up of 2,300 individuals.

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

In 2023, it is estimated the Food Delivery Program will deliver 94,400 pounds of food.

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

In 2023, it is estimated the Food Delivery Program will deliver the equivalent of 34,670 meals.

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

1/1/2023



Name of Project Lead \*

Kim Andrup

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Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

- Woodland
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- Other

\*

Davis 66%; Winters 34%

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

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Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

Food distribution goes to:

Eleanor Roosevelt Circle (ERC), Creekside Apartments, Cesar Chavez Plaza, Empower Yolo, RISE and migrant camps.

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$10,000: Infrastructure: \$800 - 8% (this does not include the value of donated food)

Personnel: \$4,200 - 42% Overhead: \$5,000 - 50%

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Total: \$10,000; Seniors: \$6,600 - 66%; Rural: \$3,400 - 34%; Children: We serve 373 children annually through the Food Delivery Program – they are a subset of the Rural Community figure so a percentage of the overall total for children would not apply.

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

We don't have matching funds. However, this is an ongoing program. STEAC fundraises to fill funding gaps each year.

## View results

Respondent

2

Anonymous

14:25

Time to complete

What is the name of your project proposal? \*

Mercy Peddlers

What is the total contribution you are requesting from the county for your proposal? \*

5,000

What is your total project budget? \*

5,000

Please describe your project proposal in detail? \*

Mercy Peddlers is a non~profit run by Sister Libby formerly director of Loaves and Fishes. The objective is to provide basic practical food packages to homeless residents in the greater Yolo. We often provide out of pocket expense to full fill the food needs of those less unfortunate.

How many people do you estimate your pilot will serve? \*

1000

How many pounds of food do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

Varies at least 200 lbs.

How many meals do you estimate your program will deliver?

Enter NA if not applicable. \*

1500 +

Please enter the date funding is needed to start your project? \*

8/15/2022



Name of Project Lead \*

Christine Flett

Email of Project Lead \*

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Phone Number of Project Lead \*

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Please enter percentage of region served with your funding as percentage. Meaning what percentage of your program will these dollars serve by region. All percentages must equal 100% total.

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100 percent will go to homeless food needs in Yolo County..

Please list the board members of your sponsoring agency. Please also list any co-sponsoring agencies and their board members: \*

Sister Libby, Christine Flett, Mercy Peddlers.

Please list any other partners, groups or organizations that are involved with this proposal?

Example: You are planning on doing food distributions through a local elementary school. You would list that elementary school. \*

Mercy Peddlers is all locally citizens that donate time and resources.

Please insert dollar total requested, amount / percentage to **Infrastructure Costs** (equipment or materials), amount / percentage to **Personnel and Salary Costs** and amount / percentage of **Overhead Costs**.

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Infrastructure: \$100,000 - 33%

Personnel: \$100,000 - 33%

Overhead: \$100,000 - 33% \*

5,000 Infrastructure.

What percentage of your proposal serves the following priority populations (**Seniors, Children, Rural Communities** and **Ag Workers**)?

Example:

Total: \$300,000

Seniors: \$100,000 - 33%

Children: \$100,000 - 33%

Rural: \$100,000 - 33% \*

Homeless 100 percent

Would you be willing to survey recipients of the services this request funds as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to include Yolo County's sponsorship on marketing, outreach and community materials as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to invite Yolo County Board Members and Staff to see your sponsored events in action as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Would you be willing to conduct an evaluation of your grant activities at the end of your program as part of the grant requirement? \*

Yes

No

Other

Does your proposal include matching funds or contributions from non-county sources? \*

Yes

No

Other

If yes on matching funds, please describe below:

N/A