

Dear applicant,

Thank you for your patience as we navigate the launch of the new Supportive Housing Services program.

As you know, our year-one approved budget of \$10M is much smaller than was originally expected. Several of you have contacted Clackamas County staff to share that the application you submitted does not correlate with current funding levels and you would appreciate the opportunity to re-apply based on current funding realities.

To ensure all interested parties have the opportunity to re-apply we have made the decision to terminate the existing RFP. We apologize for any negative impact this decision may have on your agency and are committed to full program implementation as soon as funding levels permit.

Limited year-one funding will prioritize previously homeless disabled seniors who were housed in the prior year using term-limited Health Share/Kaiser funding, or folks in non-congregate shelter (motels) that were housed using temporary covid-19 related funding. We will be issuing a procurement in the near future for services to assist us in ensuring these folks remain housed and transition to permanent supportive housing.

In addition to this limited procurement for year-one work, we hope to issue a broader procurement in the near future to establish a list of qualified organizations as we work to roll out additional programs as funding arrives.

We hope you will consider applying to work with us through one of these future opportunities, as the work you do is very important to ensuring a healthy Clackamas County.