

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY MAYOR FOR PLANNING AND ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT**

NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY (NOFA)

FY2019 Eastern Market Strategic Plan Grant

Grant Identification No.:	DMPED –BD019 - 2319
Background Information:	The Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development (DMPED) invites the submission of applications for the Eastern Market Competitive Grant. Funding for this grant is authorized from the Eastern Market Competitive Grant Act of 2019, passed as part of the 2019 Budget Support Act (D.C. Law 22-168, Sec. 2161).
Purpose of Grant Program:	The purpose of the Eastern Market Competitive Grant is to provide funds to conduct a comprehensive study of and strategic plan for the development of Eastern Market, which shall include an assessment of the challenges and opportunities in public market management and marketing, and recommendations of best practices for the management and marketing of Eastern Market.
Length of Award:	One year from date of grant execution.
Anticipated Number of Awards:	DMPED will award one grant of up to a maximum of \$300,000. Grant funds will be used to pay for firm hours and other expenses involved in conducting the study and creating the strategic plan.
Eligibility Criteria	Economic development and urban planning firms which are: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 501(c) (3) non-profit corporations.• For profit corporations, joint ventures, partnerships, and limited liability arrangements• A registered business in Good Standing with the DC Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs (DCRA), the DC Office of Tax and Revenue (OTR), the DC Department of Employment Services (DOES), and the federal Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
Availability of RFA:	The grant application will be released on June 21, 2019. The RFA will be posted on DMPED’s website
www.dmped.dc.gov),	

Grant Information Sessions:

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DMPED will host one information session. Once confirmed, details about the information session will be posted on website.

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Deadline for Electronic Submission:

Applicants must submit a completed online application to DMPED via the Blackbaud Giftsonline system by **Monday, July 22, 2019 at 12:00 PM**

DMPED reserves the right to issue addenda and/or amendments subsequent to the issuance of the NOFA or RFA, or to rescind the NOFA or RFA.