

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT AWARDS / CONTRACTS / GRANTS

C Award C Contract G Grant	Requested Board Meeting Date: February 20, 2024
* = Mandatory, information must be provided	or Procurement Director Award:
*Contractor/Vendor Name/Grantor (DBA):	
NEHA-FDA Retail Flexible Funding Model Grant Program	

*Project Title/Description:

2024 Training Optional Add-On

*Purpose:

Attend the National Environmental Health Association (NEHA) Annual Education Conference (AEC) for Professional and Leadership Development, Food Safety Retail Program Standards Engagement, and present NEHA Leadership Academy final projects.

*Procurement Method:

N/A - grant award

*Program Goals/Predicted Outcomes:

The NEHA AEC will provide Consumer Health and Food Safety (CHFS) staff an opportunity to network with other jurisdictions, obtain a deeper understanding of food safety, uncover new learnings, and reinforce existing best practices.

*Public Benefit:

Attendance at the conferences will enhance CHFS staff's knowledge, skills, and ability to perform retail food and foodservice inspections to reduce foodborne illness within the community.

*Metrics Available to Measure Performance:

CHFS conference attendees will disseminate attained information and updates to the rest of the team during an all-staff meeting. CHFS will incorporate and apply acquired knowledge to improve the CHFS retail food program.

*Retroactive:

Yes. This grant begins 1/1/2024. However, the BOS meeting on 2/20/2024 is the earliest we could get the award to the BOS due to when the award arrived. If not accepted, the Department of Health will not have this funding to send staff to the annual conference.

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THE APPLICABLE SECTION(S) BELOW MUST BE COMPLETED

Click or tap the boxes to enter text. If not applicable, indicate "N/A". Make sure to complete mandatory (*) fields

Contract / Award Information			
Document Type:	Department Code:	Contract Number (i.e., 15-123):	_
Commencement Date:	Termination Date:	Prior Contract Number (Synergen/CMS): _	
Expense Amount \$*		Revenue Amount: \$	
*Funding Source(s) required:			
Funding from General Fund?	No If Yes \$	<u></u>	
Contract is fully or partially funded with Fed If Yes, is the Contract to a vendor or sub		⊂ No	
Were insurance or indemnity clauses modified of the state	fied? C Yes		
Vendor is using a Social Security Number? If Yes, attach the required form per Administra	☐ Yes ative Procedure 22-10.	C No	
Amendment / Revised Award Information	o <u>n</u>		
Document Type:	Department Code:	Contract Number (i.e., 15-123):	
Amendment No.:		AMS Version No.:	
Commencement Date:		New Termination Date:	
		Prior Contract No. (Synergen/CMS):	
C Expense C Revenue C Increase		Amount This Amendment: \$	
Is there revenue included? Yes	No If Yes \$		
*Funding Source(s) required:			
Funding from General Fund? Yes	No If Yes \$	%	
Grant/Amendment Information (for gra	nts acceptance and awar	ds)	
Document Type: <u>GTAW</u>	Department Code: <u>HD</u>	Grant Number (i.e., 15-123): <u>24-101</u>	
Commencement Date: 01/01/2024	Termination Date	e: <u>12/31/2024</u> Amendment Number: <u>00</u>	
Match Amount: \$		Revenue Amount: \$ <u>5,625.00</u>	
*All Funding Source(s) required: <u>US Foo</u>	d and Drug Administrati	on / Department of Health and Human Services	
*Match funding from General Fund?	Yes • No If Yes	\$	
*Match funding from other sources? Funding Source:	Yes • No If Yes	\$	
*If Federal funds are received, is funding Directly from federal government.	; coming directly from th	ne Federal government or passed through other orga	nization(s)?
Contact: Sharon Grant			
Department: <u>Health</u>	\	Telephone: <u>724-7842</u>	
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NEHA-FDA Retail Flexible Funding Model Grant Program Official Notice of Award for One-Year Grants

January 1, 2024

Grant Number: G-OATR-202308-04104

Application Type: 2024 Training Optional Add-On

Project Title: Attend the NEHA Annual Educational Conference (AEC) for Professional and Leadership Development, Program Standards Engagement, and to present NEHA Leadership Academy final projects. **Project Summary:** Pima County Health Department, Consumer Health and Food Safety (CHFS) is

requesting funding to send e staff members to attend NEHA's Annual Educational Conference & Exhibition in 2024. CHFS staff will be attending the NEHA AEC for Professional Development and Program Standards Engagement. Additionally, a CHFS management team member will present their NEHA Leadership Academy

final project at NEHA's AEC preconference workshop.

One-Year Award Amount: \$5,625.00 **Project Period:** 1/1/2024 to 12/31/2024

Unique Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN): U2FFD007358

CFDA Number: 93.103

Amanda Anderson Pima County Health Department 3950 S. Country Club Rd, 2301 Tucson, AZ 85714

Dear Amanda:

Your application has been approved for Attend the NEHA Annual Educational Conference (AEC) for Professional and Leadership Development, Program Standards Engagement, and to present NEHA Leadership Academy final projects. as part of the National Environmental Health Association (NEHA)-U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Retail Flexible Funding Model (RFFM) Grant Program, with funding provided by the FDA. Approval is based on review of the project plan and budget details in your submitted application.

As part of your application, your agency has made an assurance that it will comply with all applicable federal statutes and regulations in effect during the grant period, including applicable parts of 45 CFR Part 75. Acceptance of this award and/or any funds provided by the NEHA-FDA Retail Flexible Funding Model Grant Program acknowledges agreement with all the terms and conditions in this award letter.

The amount of \$5,625.00 represents the full amount of funds to which you are entitled. Grant awards are made with the understanding that NEHA-FDA Retail Flexible Funding Model Grant Program staff may require clarification of information within your application, as necessary, during the application, project, or reporting periods. These inquiries may be necessary to allow us to appropriately carry out our administrative responsibilities.

Specific Conditions of Your Award

In addition to the general Terms and Conditions of your award as listed below, the following are additional conditions specific to your award:

Although your application is approved, due to funding limitations, the amount of your award has been reduced to \$5,625. This reduction was necessary to allow all Track 3 Training requests to receive funding. Please reach out to the NEHA-FDA RFFM Grants Team to adjust the scope of your training if necessary.

Budget

To review specific details of the approved budget in your grant award, please log into the NEHA-FDA RFFM Grant Portal where you can view and print your grant (including your budget justifications) and your budget worksheets.

Total Award Amount: \$5,625.00

Budget changes are allowable but must be justified and approved in advance and in writing by the NEHA-FDA RFFM Grant Program Support Team. None of the funds in this award shall be used to pay the salary of an individual at a rate in excess of the current Executive Level II of the Federal Executive Pay Scale for any specific funding year.

Terms and Conditions

Your award is based on the project application referenced in this Notice of Award, submitted to and approved by NEHA. Payment is contingent on continued Federal Funding from the United States Food and Drug Administration, and is subject to the following terms and conditions:

The grantee must complete the full scope of work and all tasks outlined in the approved grant application by the Project End Date, unless NEHA grants a written exception. The recipient agrees to comply with the current FDA general terms and conditions (HHS Grant Policy Statement).

Restrictions on the expenditure of funds in federal appropriations acts apply to this award, to the extent those restrictions are applicable to subawards made under federal grants. Please refer to 2 CFR 200.400 for guidance on relevant cost principles.

For the complete Terms and Conditions of this award, including links to all relevant federal guidance, please see the **Reporting and Payments** link on the NEHA-FDA RFFM webpage (https://www.neha.org/retail-grants).

Reporting

Reports with due dates will be accessible by logging into the Grant Portal, found on the NEHA-FDA RFFM webpage. Reminders will be sent to the email address of your organization's Point of Contact regarding upcoming and past due reports.

Interim Progress Reports will be required each year for awards made through this program to assure that each funded project remains on track for timely completion. For one-year awards, an Interim Progress Report will be due halfway through the project period.

When all project objectives have been completed, a Final Project Report must be submitted through the online grant portal no later than 45 days after your Project End Date. As part of the final report, the grantee must provide a full accounting of all expenditures made with funds from this grant award accompanied by the required documentation.

For complete information on required reporting, please see the **Reporting and Payments** link on the NEHA-FDA RFFM webpage.

Reimbursement Requests

For one-year awards made through this grant program, payment is normally made on a reimbursement basis at the end of the project, following submission of all required reporting.

Advance payment is available for one-year awards when required by a jurisdiction. To request advance payment, please email an explanation to the **NEHA-FDA RFFM Grant Program Support Team** at retailgrants@neha.org. For additional details, please see the **Reporting and Payments** link on the NEHA-FDA RFFM webpage.

Unless otherwise requested, your first report will be the Interim Progress Report due halfway through the project period.

Recipient FDA Notice

As a reminder, recipients of funding through this program are required to assure that project activities achieve greater conformance with the FDA Voluntary National Retail Food Regulatory Program Standards (Retail

Program Standards). For additional information regarding the Retail Program Standards, please visit the FDA's official webpage at: https://www.fda.gov/food/retail-food-protection/voluntary-national-retail-food-regulatory-program-standards.

Allowable and Non-allowable Costs

For information on allowable and non-allowable costs, please refer to the **NEHA-FDA RFFM Grant Guidance** link on the NEHA-FDA RFFM webpage.

Base Grant Requirement

Once awards under the NEHA-FDA RFFM Grant Program have been made, all grantees must have an active Base Grant in place (either a Development Base Grant or a Maintenance and Advancement Base Grant) to remain eligible for open Optional Add-On Grants. During the performance period of open awards, if a Base Grant is cancelled for any reason (at the request of the Grantee or due to non-performance), all open Additional Add-On Grants may also be in jeopardy of cancellation.

For grantees that have been awarded both a Track 2 Development Base Grant (a one-year award) and a Capacity Building Grant (a three-year award), it is the awarded jurisdiction's responsibility to apply for Development Base Grants in years two and three of this grant program, to assure that their Capacity Building Grant remains eligible for continuation.

Travel Costs

Travel costs should adhere to the general guidelines found in the **NEHA-FDA RFFM Grant Guidance**. Contact the NEHA-FDA RFFM Grant Program Support Team with specific travel-related questions not covered in the guidance.

Financial Conflict of Interest

This award is subject to the Financial Conflict of Interest (FCOI) regulation at 42 CFR Part 50 Subpart F.

Contact us for Support

If you have questions about this award, please contact the NEHA-FDA RFFM Grant Program Support Team. Additionally, the FDA Retail Food Safety Specialist assigned to your geographic area is an integral part of your jurisdiction's successful completion of Retail Program Standards activities and is available to assist with your funded project.

NEHA-FDA RFFM Grant Program Support Team

retailgrants@neha.org

1-833-575-2404

FDA Retail Food Safety Specialist Contact Information

 $\underline{https://www.fda.gov/food/voluntary-national-retail-food-regulatory-program-standards/directory-fda-retail-food-specialists}$

We appreciate your ongoing commitment to achieving greater conformance with the Voluntary National Retail Food Regulatory Program Standards.

Sincerely,

David T. Dyjack, DrPH, CIH NEHA Executive Director