

Community Incentive Grant Program (CIG) Application Instructions and Application

Justice Reinvestment Initiative Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections

Funding Opportunity Title:	FY23 Community Incentive Grant Program
NOFA Number:	2022-09
Estimated Total Program Funding	\$2,300,000
Posted Date:	September 20, 2022
Closing Date for Applications	October 20, 2022, 4:30 PM CT

Application Instructions

Eligible community organizations who are interested in providing services requested under the FY2023 Community Incentive Grant Program NOFA must submit the following application and related appendixes for consideration.

The application must be submitted electronically via the DOC – JRI Grant Application Portal (Wizehive) on or before the date and time specified in the Schedule of Events (NOFA Section 3.2 Schedule of Events). FAX, mail, and/or e-mail submissions shall not be accepted.

To apply electronically via the DOC – JRI Grant Application Portal (Wizehive), please follow the instructions below. All questions regarding Wizehive (e.g. logging in, uploading documents, submitting application) can be directed to the JRI Office via email at jrimonitoring@la.gov.

Submitting Applications via Wizehive

Creating A Wizehive Login and Wizehive Profile

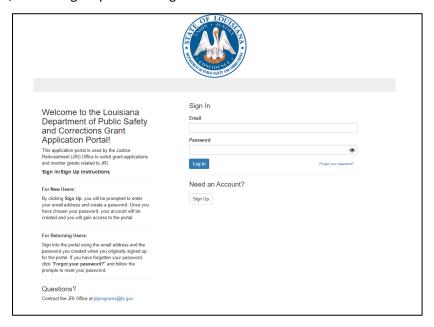
Step 1: Navigate to the DOC – JRI Grant Application Portal (Wizehive) by going to:

https://webportalapp.com/sp/login/state_of_louisiana_dept_of_public_safety_and_corrections

Bookmark this link for future use. This hyperlink is also available on the <u>DOC – JRI website</u>.

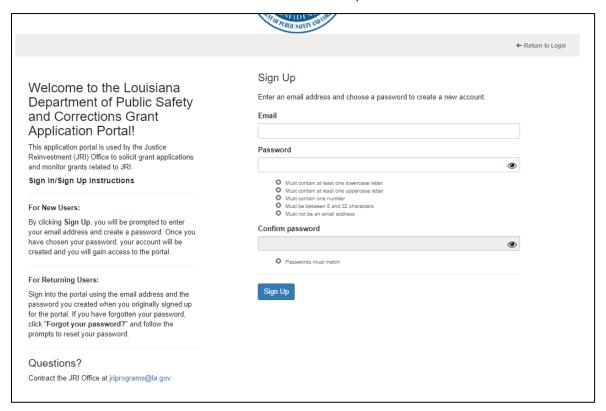
Step 2: <u>You will need to sign-up and Create an Account</u>, even if you have been awarded a CIG grant during the FY2020 NOFA, or the FY2019 RFP for the Community Incentive Grant.

To Create an Account, select "Sign-Up" on the login screen.



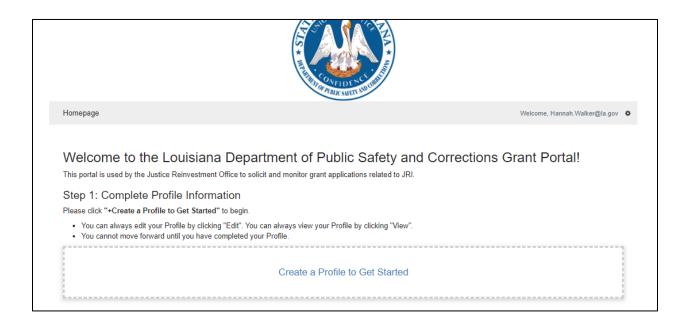


Step 3: You will be asked to enter an email address and choose a password to create a new account.

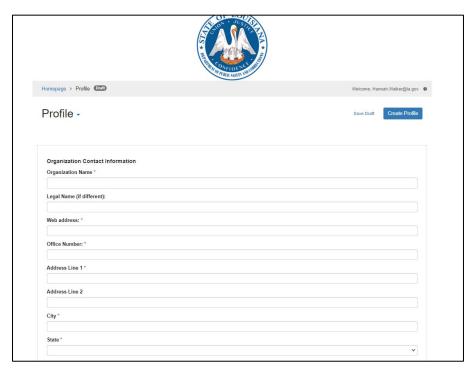


Once you've entered your email and password, select "Sign Up." You've now created a Wizehive Account. You will be taken to the Homepage, where you will be asked to Complete Profile Information.

Step 4: Complete the Profile Information by clicking "Create a Profile to Get Started." You MUST create a Profile in order to get access to the DOC CIG Grant Application.



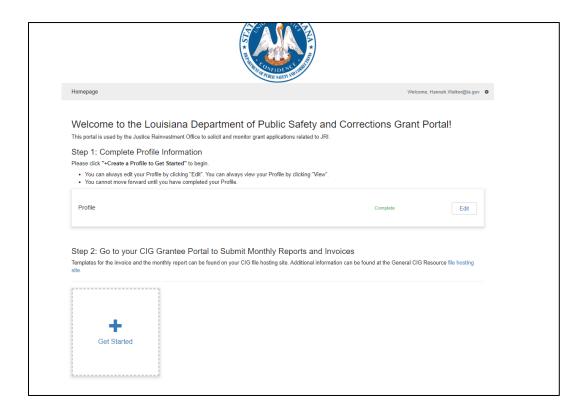
The profile information will ask you for basic contact information. Complete all the information, especially the required fields marked with an asterisk (*). Once you've entered all your information, select the "Create Profile" button.



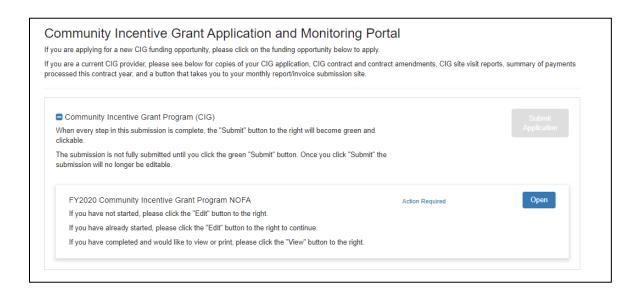
When you click "Create Profile" you will be taken back to the homepage to begin your CIG application.

Starting a CIG Application

Step 5. To start an application, click the "Get Started" in the box



Step 6. You will see the Community Incentive Grant funding opportunity listed. Click "Open" to start an application.



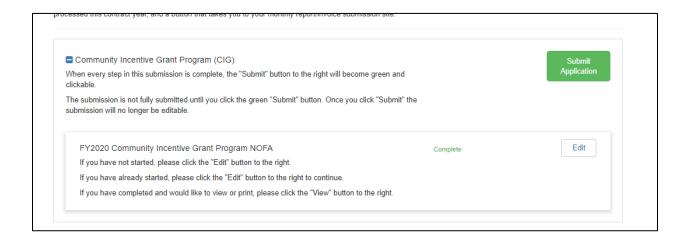
Step 7. Complete all the fields in the application. You must complete all required fields (*) in the application. All templates needed to complete the application can be found on the <u>DOC website</u>, or within the body of the application on Wizehive.



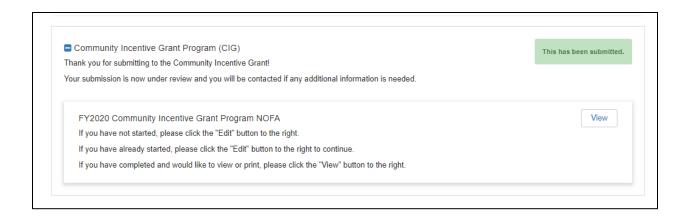
You can save a draft of your application by clicking "Save Draft"

Once you've completed all the required fields, and uploaded all required attachments, you can click the button "Mark Complete"

Step 8. When you select "Mark Complete," you will be taken back to the homepage, and you will see a green "Submit Application" button. **YOU MUST CLICK THIS BUTTON IN ORDER TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION.** Please make sure that your application is complete and final before submitting. You will not be able to make changes once you hit the Submit Application button.

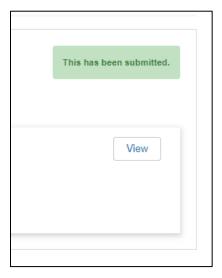


Step 9. To confirm that you have successfully submitted your application, ensure that your "Submit Application" green button now reads "This has been submitted"



Step 10. You will receive an auto-email from the Wizehive team indicating that you've successfully submitted your application.

You can always see and print what you submitted by clicking the "View" button.



Other Application Instructions

Any application submitted incomplete or missing required information will be subject to disqualification.

The Applicant will hold all contracting responsibilities and liabilities and if applicable, the organization officially submitting the application on behalf of parish-wide collaborative effort among several sub-contractors. The entity identified in the organization contact information section of this application will be considered the official applicant.

Applicants should include enough information to satisfy evaluators that the applicant has the appropriate experience, knowledge and qualifications to perform the services as proposed.

Instructions for Appendix

Applicants should upload all appendixes as required to the application submission via Wizehive. The electronic version should be a PDF and labeled with the proper appendix name (i.e. Appendix A – Past Performance References). The following are instructions for completing each appendix.

To ensure all components of the application is submitted, it is highly suggested to utilize the checklist provided below. This checklist is for information purposes only to ensure that all proper documentation has been uploaded.

Application Item	Required
Cover Letter (signature required)	Yes
Official Application	Yes
Appendix A- Past Performance References	Yes
Appendix B- Budget and Budget Narrative	Yes
Appendix C- Certification Statements (signature required)	Yes
Appendix D- Financial Statements	Yes
Appendix E- Non-profit Status (signature required)	If applicable
Appendix F-Organization Overview	If applicable
Appendix G- Collaborative Partnerships	If applicable
Appendix H- Project Timeline	Yes
Appendix I- Logic Model	Yes

Appendix A- Past Performance References

Provide three (3) references from previous contractual work that is in similar size and scope to the proposed project. If three (3) references are not available due to the applicant's lack of contractual experience of similar size and scope, they should include a statement stating such and provide organization references that can speak to the quality of services performed, timeliness of the work performed, cost control and overall customer satisfaction.

Appendix B- Budget Worksheet and Budget Narrative

The applicant shall specify costs, including all anticipated costs for successful implementation of all deliverables outlined using the attached budget template. Failure to submit a completed Appendix B may result in the application being disqualified.

The budget shall remain the same with few revisions for the term of the grant agreement including any renewals. Monies may be moved between categories upon approval of DPS&C.

The budget should set forth the costs as follows:

- Allowable costs associated with staff, services, supplies, meetings, transportation, and other activities relative to achieving outlined goals
- A detailed budget describing each line item and purpose of funding said item. Personnel costs must include job title, number of hours estimated, and hourly rate.
- Details on any additional funding outside of DPS&C being used to support this proposal; including source, amount and purpose of funds.

The proposed budget should be complete, cost effective, and allowable (i.e. reasonable, allocable, and necessary for project activities). Under each budget category, the budget narrative should thoroughly and clearly describe each line item stated within the budget and the purpose of said item. The narrative should also explain how the applicant estimated and calculated all cost, and how those costs are necessary to the completion of the proposed project.

Leverage:

If applicable, identify additional funding leverage (cash or in-kind) including name of source, amount, purpose of funds, and ending date. Verification of additional funding leverage (i.e. award letter, letter of commitment, etc.) is required and must be attached to this Appendix.

Applications with a blended funding stream (i.e. multiple sources of financial support) will be given strong consideration. Requested funds stipulated in Appendix B will be evaluated and scored during the evaluation process and will be tracked during the award period.

Any modification or loss of leverage sources shall not negate the responsibility to provide services as specified with the awarded contract.

The majority of funding must be used for services provided to justice-involved individuals.

Appendix C- Certification Statement

The applicant must sign and submit Appendix C, the Certification Statement.

Appendix D- Financial Statements

The applicant must ensure that its application contains sufficient information for DPS&C to make its determination by presenting acceptable evidence to perform the proposed services/programs.

The applicant shall include copies of <u>audited financial statements</u>, for each of the last three (3) years, including at least a balance sheet and profit and loss statement, or other appropriate documentation, which would demonstrate to DPS&C the Applicant's financial resources sufficient to conduct the project. The financial statements shall be reviewed and assessed by a staff member of DPS&C who is a Certified Public Accountant licensed in Louisiana.

Appendix E- Non-profit Status (if applicable)

If applicant is considered a non-profit with federal tax-exempt status (ie 501 (c)(3)), the following must be attached to the application as Appendix E:

Proof of non-profit status

A certified copy of a board resolution granting signature authorization on behalf of the board, dated within the past twelve (12) months. An example of a board resolution has been provided in Appendix E.

Appendix F-Organization Overview

List of all personnel considered key to the success of the project. Detailed information should include:

- Job title and description, including the percentage of time allocated to the project (level of effort), anticipated duration of involvement, location of position and the number of personnel per job title.
- Resumes of all known key staff should be included. Resumes should illustrate staff's previous technical
 and functional experience in projects of similar scope and size; and educational background,
 certification, licenses, special skills, etc.

If collaborating with a project team, the following must be also be attached as Appendix F1:

- A list of all organizations on the project team including company name, physical and mailing address, contact name and phone number.
- If organization is considered a sub-contractor, a Memorandum of Understanding or a Letter of Partnership must be attached to this Appendix.
- If organization is providing financial leverage, include proof of leverage in Appendix B.
- An organizational chart may be added for illustration purposes (optional)
- A comprehensive plan to illustrate results from a community assessment conducted and its subsequent results (optional).
- Veteran and Hudson Initiative Program Verification Documents (if applicable)

This does not include organizations or individuals who are considered partners in a referral capacity.

Appendix G-Collaborative Partnerships (if applicable)

List all community partnerships relevant to the implementation of the proposed project using the attached template. This does include organizations or individuals who are considered partners in a referral capacity. Sample template has been provided. Additional sheets can be added to continue listing partnerships as needed.

Appendix H- Project Timeline

Schedule of planning and implementation for a period of one year including administrative set-up, time needed for full implementation, enrollment of unduplicated participants, deliverables to be accomplished in the first year. Sample template has been provided.

Appendix I- Logic Model

Develop a logic model detailing how measurable objectives are related to project goals.

¹ For the purpose of this application and related NOFA, a project team are a group of organizations/individuals that are essential to the implementation of the proposed program who would be considered a subcontractor.

Community Incentive Grant Program Application

A. Cover Letter

A cover letter should accompany the grant application on the applicant's business letter head explaining the intent of the applicant.

At a minimum, the cover letter should include the following:

- Title of project or program;
- A one or two sentence description of the proposed initiative, including the number of criminal justiceinvolved citizens to be served on an annual basis;
- Annual amount of funding requested from the DPS&C;
- Name of person authorized to negotiate the contract and make decisions for the organization including telephone number and email address;
- Authorized person's original signature and submittal date.

B. Applicant Information

Note: The following questions are available on the Wizehive grant application portal. Please do not complete the application within Adobe PDF. This PDF is for planning and preparation purposes only.

Select one. The organization must fall under one of these categories in order to be eligible to receive funding:

A nonprofit community organizations*
Local governmental entity

Organization Contact Information			
Organization Name:		Office Number:	
Legal Name (if different):		Vendor Number:	
Federal Tax ID:		LDR Number:	
Address:		_	
City:		State:	Zip:
Primary Contact			
Name:	E	Email Address:	
Title:	P	Phone Number:	
Person Authorized to Negotiate Contract (if different than primary contact)			
Name:	E	Email Address:	
Title:	P	Phone Number:	

^{*}Applicants that select nonprofit community organization must submit Appendix E with the application.

Web address: Office Number:			
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State:	Zip:		
Primary Contact			
Email Address:			
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² If determined to be in best interest of the State, payments may be made to the Applicant for professional, personal, consulting, and social services contracts in advance of services being performed if certain conditions are met, in accordance with RS: 39.1613. Conditions include, but are not limited to, that the requester is a nonprofit, that an advance is necessary to provide services at the lowest total cost, and there is no other cost-effective source of such advance funding.

C. Organization Overview and Capacity

Applicants should clearly describe their ability to implement the proposed project from the organizational structure level.

Lea	ad Organization
1)	What agency or organization will serve as the project lead? Include a brief summary of relevant qualifications. (Note-the organization serving as lead does not have to be the applicant, however the lead will be held accountable to the applicant as they hold the contracting responsibilities and liabilities)
2)	Give a short description of your organization's background as it relates to the proposed project.

3)	Specifically, what characteristics makes the <u>lead organization</u> uniquely positioned to implement the
	proposed project? Include relevant experience serving the target population and/or providing the services proposed in response to this NOFA.
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	ganization (or Project Team) Background and Experience
4)	Will you have collaborative partnerships that will be paid subcontractors?
	YES, Answer questions 5 & 6
	NO, Skip to Section D- Project Design
5)	If YES, Identify each organization and their role within the project team.

6)	Describe the project team's years of relevant experience serving the target population and/or providing
	the services proposed in response to this NOFA.

D. Project Design

This section should include specific details of what the proposed project will address, how the project will be implemented and its impact within the community.

1) Select parish where apply)	post-release services will be p	rovided (select all that	
Bossier	Calcasieu	Lafayette 🗌	Lafourche
Ouachita	Rapides	Terrebonne	
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3)	How will the proposed project address the goals of JRI and LA-PRI?
	Include how services will be designed to assist justice-involved individuals to reduce the recidivism rate in selected parishes (establishing a law-abiding life, build self-sufficiency, reconnect with family and contribute to their communities).
4)	Potential Challenges
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5)	List of specific activities and services to be provided by either the applicant and/or project team, including how delivery of those services will be implemented. If applicable, note any costs to participants.

6)	Lis	t specific anticipated outputs and outcomes for the proposed program. Examples include:
	1.	Serve up to participants returning toParish.
	2.	Of those of participants served,% will complete the proposed program.
		Of those completing the program% will not recidivate during the months following
		release from prison.
	4	Of the participants who complete the proposed program,% will meet at least three goals in their
	т.	Plan in six months; two of which meet the following needs:
		a. Housing
		b. Employment
		c. Substance Abuse
		Of those completing [specific service/skill],% will show an increase in [specific service/skill].
	The	e anticipated outputs and outcomes must include specific services noted in Question 5.

7)	The target population has been defined as:
-	High/moderate risk for recidivism and/or high need and one of the following:
	• Serving a hard labor (felony) sentence under the custody of DPS&C and are with six (6) months of their
	release date from incarceration or on parole supervision and are within six (6) months of their release
	date.
	If your organization would like to further define the target population for the proposed program, please
	identify the participant requirements here (gender, age, offense history, etc.).
	Otherwise, enter "Same as defined above".
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 11) Length of program: Describe the following: What is the proposed length of the program including number of sessions per participant and over what length of time? Program length shall not exceed one (1) year (pre-release and post-release). If a participant engagement overlaps between contract years, the participant is only counted once in the primary year and ineligible to be counted in two separate contract years. What constitutes successful program completion? Define when a participant is considered not complete due to lack of engagement (as known as inactive).
12) Dowticinant Engagement
 12) Participant Engagement Describe how justice-involved individuals will be engaged throughout the process (point of initial contact through closeout/program completion. It should be noted that participant engagement shall be limited to: No more than six (6) months prior to release from a DOC facility with services limited to no more than 20% pre-release; or
 On parole supervision and are within six (6) months of their release date from state incarceration

13) What accommodations will be made to ensure accessibility to participants with varying schedulin needs (i.e. would case management be offered after hours or relocated to a participant's home if necessary?)	
14) Performance Measurement Plan	
Detail how proposed outcomes identified in question 6 will be measured for effectiveness.	
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15) How will you measure the positive or negative changes in your participants? What type of instruments will you use to determine those changes? (i.e. Arizona Self Sufficiency Matrix)
16) Approach to Project Management:
Describe the intent on documenting services provided to participants and how participant progress will be monitored and assessed. This section should also describe the approach and strategy for program oversight, training, management, and quality assurance. Include the plan to document activities performed by staff funded by this grant as well.

 17) Describe how the project team will be organizationally structured for operation and program administration and how those structures will support service implementation. Components should include: Identification of project lead(s) including person's name, title, organization, phone number and email address; Plans for supervision of program employees and overall project team; Distribution of participant related casework; Technical assistance/training.
18) Participant Identification: It is the intent of DOC to identify participants for the Contractor (currently in state custody). In the event this information is not available from DOC, the Applicant should have a plan for identifying and selecting participants. Applicants should include a plan of access to the population: this may include collaborating with state prisons or local jails or Probation & Parole districts to do in reach and/or accept referrals. This could also include working with local reentry coalitions, community coordinators, or the courts to identify participants.

Appendix A- Past Performance References

Reference #1		
Organization Name:		
Address:		
Contact Name:		Email Address:
Title:		Phone Number:
Type of Contract/Work	k Performed (brief description, including	length of contract or time on project):
Reference #2		
Organization Name:		
Address:		
Contact Name:		Email Address:
Title:		Phone Number:
Type of Contract/Work	k Performed (brief description, including	length of contract or time on project):
Reference #3		
Organization Name:		
Address:		
Contact Name:		Email Address:
Title:		Phone Number:
Type of Contract/Work	k Performed (brief description, including	length of contract or time on project):

Appendix B- Budget Worksheet and Budget Narrative

The budget worksheet can be found within the Wizehive application.

Appendix C- Certification Statements

The undersigned hereby acknowledges she/he has read and understands all requirements and specifications of the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA), including attachments.

OFFICIAL CONTACT. The State requests that the Applicant designate one person to receive all documents and the method in which the documents are best delivered. The Applicant should identify the Contact name and fill in the information below: (Print Clearly)

- A. Official Contact Name:
- B. E-mail Address:
- C. Facsimile Number with area code:
- D. US Mail Address:

Applicant shall certify that the above information is true and shall grant permission to the State or Agencies to contact the above named person or otherwise verify the information provided.

By its submission of this application and authorized signature below, Applicant shall certify that:

- 1. The information contained in its response to this NOFA is accurate;
- 2. Applicant shall comply with each of the mandatory requirements listed in the NOFA and will meet or exceed the functional and technical requirements specified therein;
- 3. Applicant shall accept the procedures, evaluation criteria, mandatory contract terms and conditions, and all other administrative requirements set forth in this NOFA.
- 4. Applicant's quote shall be valid for at least 90 calendar days from the date of application's signature below;
- 5. Applicant understands that if selected as the successful Applicant, he/she will have ten (10) business days from the date of delivery of final contract in which to complete contract negotiations, if any, and execute the final contract document.
- 6. Applicant shall certify, by signing and submitting an application for \$25,000 or more, that their company, any subcontractors, or principals are not suspended or debarred by the General Services Administration (GSA) in accordance with the requirements in OMB Circular A-133. (A list of parties who have been suspended or debarred can be viewed via the internet at https://www.sam.gov.)
- 7. Applicant understands that, if selected as a contractor, the Louisiana Department of Revenue must determine that it is current in the filing of all applicable tax returns and reports and in payment of all taxes, interest, penalties, and fees owed to the state and collected by the LDR. Applicant shall comply with R.S. 39:1624(A) (10) by providing its seven-digit LDR account number in order for tax payment compliance status to be verified.
- 8. Applicant further acknowledges its understanding that issuance of a tax clearance certificate by LDR is a necessary precondition to the approval of any contract by the Office of State Procurement. The contracting agency reserves the right to withdraw its consent to any contract without penalty and proceed with alternate arrangements, should a prospective contractor fail to resolve any identified outstanding tax compliance discrepancies with the LDR within seven (7) days of such notification.
- 9. Applicant certifies and agrees that the following information is correct: In preparing its response, the Applicant has considered all applications submitted from qualified, potential subcontractors and

- suppliers, and has not, in the solicitation, selection, or commercial treatment of any subcontractor or supplier, refused to transact or terminated business activities, or taken other actions intended to limit commercial relations, with a person or entity that is engaging in commercial transactions in Israel or Israeli-controlled territories, with the specific intent to accomplish a boycott or divestment of Israel. Applicant also has not retaliated against any person or other entity for reporting such refusal, termination, or commercially limiting actions. The State reserves the right to reject the response of the applicant if this certification is subsequently determined to be false, and to terminate any contract awarded based on such a false response.
- 10. The Applicant must comply with the contract terms, see NOFA Appendix A-Sample Grant Agreement. If the Applicant cannot comply with any of the contract terms, an explanation of each exception should be supplied. The Applicant should address the specific language in the Sample Grant Agreement and submit whatever exceptions or exact contract modifications that its firm may seek. While final wording will be resolved during contract negotiations, the intent of the provisions will not be substantially altered.
- 11. By signing below, the Applicant (and its project team) is stating they are not currently involved or previously involved in litigation or arbitration concerning their performance as it relates to the same or similar services proposed and that no judgments or awards have been made against the Applicant (or its Project team). If Applicant (or its project team) have been involved in litigation and/or arbitration as it relates to the same or similar services proposed, this information must be disclosed and added to Appendix C of the submitted application. Disclosure of litigation will not automatically disqualify the Applicant, however, DPS&C reserves the right to evaluate applications based on facts surrounding such litigation or arbitration.

Authorized Representative			
Typed or Printed Name:			
Date:			
Title:			
Company Name:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	

Appendix E- Non-Profit Status (Board Resolution Example)

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

OF

(CORPORATION'S NAME)

At a meeting of the Board of Directors for (CORPORATION'S NAME) held this day of, 20, there being a quorum present, the following resolution was adopted, to wit:
BE IT RESOLVED, that (NAME AND TITLE OF THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE CORPORATION) is (are) hereby authorized and empowered for and on behalf of said Corporation, to sign contracts, amendments, and related matters between the said Corporation and the Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections.
Secretary and/or Chairman of the Board of Directors

Appendix G- Collaborative Partnerships

Organization Name	Organization Type (non-profit, for-profit, etc)	Providing Financial Leverage? (Yes / No)

Note: Add a separate sheet and attach to Appendix G to continue collaborative partnerships as needed.

Appendix H- Project Timeline

Timeline (i.e. Month 1-2)	Activity (i.e planning, implementation, closeout)

Appendix I: Logic Model

Develop a logic model detailing how measurable objectives are related to project goals.

Good resources with logic model guidance, examples, and templates:

- AACU: W.K. Kellogg Foundation Logic Model Development Guide
- BJA: Center for Research Partnerships and Program Evaluation Logic Models
- OJJDP: Data Collection Methods and Logic Models
- NIC: <u>Building Logic Models</u>
- CDC: Evaluation Guide: Developing and Using a Logic Model