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Governor's Crime Commission Monthly Newsletter

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2024 Application Cycle Opens Dec. 1

We encourage nonprofit and governmental agencies to review the RFAs and start gathering their application materials.

Byrne-JAG | CJA | Juvenile Justice/Title II | VAWA | VOCA

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Subrecipient Highlight:

Women's Veteran Support Services Inc.

As we celebrate Veteran's Day, we recognize a subrecipient that is dedicated to serving the needs of women veterans and the broader military community by providing critical support services: Women Veterans Support Services, Inc. One of WVSS's primary programs in partnership with GCC is the Protective Red Shoe program, which includes the Safe-N-Seven emergency sheltering project. This initiative specifically addresses the pressing issue of military and veteran community members fleeing domestic violence and sexual assault by offering a safe haven and essential support. Despite comprising only 1% of the population, members of the military and veterans and their families require tailored assistance within both military installations and civilian communities to address these critical issues effectively, and WVSS can provide these services through trained, trauma-informed staff who are sensitive and understanding of a veteran's needs. For more information, visit WVSS's [website](#).

FEMA deadline extended

FEMA Public Assistance is a direct grant program for both government and nonprofits that focuses on facility restoration to include debris removal, repair and future hazard mitigation. Application deadline was extended to January 7, 2025. More information is available [here](#).

Law Enforcement recruitment and retention insights delivered to GCC

At September's Governor's Crime Commission meeting, Angel Oak Creative presented the findings of the Criminal Justice Analysis Center's online survey. This survey collected data across the state on law enforcement recruitment and retention.

In the first phase of the NC DPS grant-funded project, the focus was primarily on collecting relevant data from law enforcement leadership, recruits, recent graduates and trainees. This was used to paint a comprehensive picture of law enforcement staffing practices. The majority of respondents reported that there have been a decreasing number of recruits over the years and rising vacancy rates across the board, compounded by widespread population growth.

Phase 2 of the project is set to begin soon and will build on the insights gleaned from the surveys.

GCC Single Audit Form and Email

Subrecipients who are required to undergo an annual single audit may request GCC to submit payment data directly to their CPA for verification during their audit. To ensure that all of the necessary information is given to GCC to complete the request, a form has been created to standardize the process. And to ensure continuity for sending future requests, an email has also been created exclusively for single audit requests from subrecipients. This will enhance efficiency by making sure that the right person at GCC gets the right information. The email address is GCC_Singleauditconfirmation@ncdps.gov and a link to the form can be found [here](#). Please note that this email and form are only for single audits. All other requests for data should be directed to your grant administrator.

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