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Description of Modification

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Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	CFP-FS-1002011
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Feb 15, 2012
Creation Date:	Mar 05, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 15, 2012 This opportunity closes 90 days after the posting date.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 15, 2012 This opportunity closes 90 days after the posting date.
Archive Date:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Natural Resources
Category Explanation:	This opportunities provides financial assistance grants to local governments, Indian tribes, and qualified nonprofit organizations to establish community forests.
Expected Number of Awards:	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	$3,150,000
Award Ceiling:	$3,150,000
Award Floor:	$0
CFDA Number(s):	10.689 -- Community Forest and Open Space Conservation Program (CFP)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

Eligible Applicants

City or township governments
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible local governments are any municipal government, county government, or other local government with jurisdiction over local land use decisions. Eligble Indian Tribes are federally

recognized Indian tribes and Alaska Native Corporations. Qualified nonprofit organizations eligible for this opportunity are organizations that are consistent with Section 170(h)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and operates in accordance with one or more of the conservation purposes.

Agency Name

Forest Service

Description

Total Community Forest Program funding anticipated for awards made under this program is $3.15 million. Individual grant applications may not exceed $400,000. Awarding of grants under this program is contigent upon the availability of appropriated funds.

Link to Additional Information

Link to the Community Forest Program homepage

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Maya Solomon
Program Coordinator
Phone 202-205-1376 Program's e-mail box

Synopsis Modification History

The following files represent the modifications to this synopsis with the changes noted within the documents. The list of files is arranged from newest to oldest with the newest file representing the current synopsis. Changed sections from the previous document are shown in a light grey background.

File Name	Date
Modification #2	Mar 05, 2012
Modification #1	Feb 15, 2012
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CFDA	Opportunity Number	Competition ID	Competition Title	Agency	Instructions and Application