



Financial Supplement Workshop

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What does the Catalogue do?

- The Catalogue for Philanthropy (CFP) shines a light on community-based nonprofit that work hard every day to make life better in the Greater Washington region
- CFP represents some of the best small charities in the Greater Washington region – now 380+ strong
- CFP performs the evaluation of featured charities so that donors can contribute with confidence and know that donors' gift will make a difference
- CFP has been working in the Washington DC region since 2003





Raffa's Roles

- Reviews financial information based on criteria established by CFP
- Provides feedback to CFP after the evaluation process
- Conducts Financial Supplement Workshop to help all applicants in filling out the financial supplement form





Process Overview – Timeline

PROCESS	TIMELINE
CFP Receives Applications	Due Date: Monday Midnight, February 27, 2017
CFP Performs Programmatic Review CFP Forwards the List to Raffa Raffa Team Performs Financial Review Raffa Team Provides Results to CFP	March – April 2017
CFP Makes Final Selections	By May 31, 2017





Program Review – Key Points

- Program Review, including the financial review, conducted by 140+ reviewers
- Focus on *local* need & *local* impact
 - Use application instructions' guiding questions
 cfp-dc.org/apply
- Financial 'snapshot' in narrative is separate but important to explain





Importance of Information in the Financial Supplement Form

- Assessment of NPO's financial standing
- Evaluate the timely completion of audit and filing Form 990 and Form 990EZ





Information Needed to Fill Out the Form

- Latest audited financial statements (if available – not required)
- Latest 990 or 990EZ filed
- Budget vs. Actual for 2 most recent completed fiscal years
- Budget for next/upcoming fiscal year
- List of major funders with contribution amounts for the latest completed fiscal year
- List of major funders with projected contributions for next/upcoming fiscal year





Current Year vs. Future Year

Current year – past completed year

- NPO uses calendar year, current year refers to year ended
 December 31, 2016, if available
- NPO uses fiscal year, current year refers to year ended June 30, 2016, September 30, 2016, etc.

• Future year – next incomplete year/open year

- NPO uses calendar year, future year refers to year ending December 31, 2017
- NPO uses fiscal year, future year refers to year ending June 30, 2017, September 30, 2017, etc.





Major Items on the Form

Revenue

- Various sources
- Concentration of revenue

Expenses

- Program services
- Administrative costs
- Fundraising costs
- Salaries





Items Not Included in Revenue and Expense

- Gifts-in-kind; including inventory, long-lived assets, and items used for fund-raising purposes
- Contributed services
- Contributed utilities or use of long-lived assets





Ratios

- Total Administrative and Fundraising Costs / Total Expenses
 - Is the ratio 35% or more?
- Total Fundraising Costs / Total Expenses
 - Type of fundraising activities
 - Allocation of fundraising expenses to programs
- Total Salaries Expense / Total Expenses
 - Is majority paid to Executive Directors/CEO?
 - Is ED/CEO's salary 15% or more of total expense?





Comparison

Revenue

- Current Year: Total Actual Revenue vs. Projection
- Concentration of revenue sources
 - Significant contributions from an Individual
 - Government funding

Expense

- Current Year: Total Actual Expenses vs. Budget
 - Is this closely monitored?
- Future Year: Total Actual Expenses (YTD) vs. Budget
 - Is the budget realistic?
- Current Year: Total Salaries Expense vs. Budget





Questions





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