Long Island Sound Resilience Grant Writing Assistance Program- Information for Interested CT Applicants

With funding from US EPA through the Long Island Sound Study (LISS), Connecticut Sea Grant (CTSG) and New York Sea Grant (NYSG) announced **The Long Island Sound Resilience Grant Writing Assistance Program on November 15th, 2022**.

The intent of the funding opportunity is to reduce staffing and capacity barriers that municipalities and community organizations may face when applying for competitive funding opportunities, help communities develop successful sustainable and resilience focused project grant applications, and for municipalities and community organizations to develop capacity for navigating the funding landscape.

Funding will be awarded directly to the applicant's selected grant writing support contractor on a cost reimbursable basis. Match will not be required.

For interested CT applicants: once an application is selected for funding, CTSG (University of Connecticut) will contract directly with the applicant's selected contractor.

To reduce the amount of time between the award and contract through this funding opportunity it is encouraged that an applicant's selected grant preparation and writing support contractor (Vendor) follow the necessary steps to register quickly once an application has been approved, if not already a UConn supplier. A link will be sent directly to the contractor to start the registration process.

All Vendors will be required to confirm they will accept UConn & State of CT terms & conditions, since these will apply to any PO and /or agreement executed: https://contracting.ubs.uconn.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/808/2018/06/Terms-and-Conditions.7.1.21.pdf.

CT Applicant Informational Webinar - December 13th, 2022 2:00 - 3:00 pm Register for the Webex Webinar by following the <u>registration link</u>

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