



FY2020 DENVER VALE GRANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Applications are now available contact Irene Blatnick at imb@denverda.org

The Denver VALE Board is requesting proposals for the provision of services to victims of crime in Denver and for law enforcement and judicial processes. The VALE fund was created specifically for the purpose of providing victims and witnesses with support and assistance. Authority from 24-4.2 C.R.S.

It is the intent of the Denver VALE Board to insure that all victims of and witnesses to crime are honored and protected by law enforcement agencies, prosecutors, judges and the community in a manner no less vigorous than the protection afforded to criminal defendants.

The Denver VALE Board will give priority consideration to victim services and law enforcement programs which:

- 1) provide direct services to victims,
- 2) have demonstrated an effective response to victim needs; or provide innovative or unmet victim services,
- 3) enhance victim services as defined by the Victim's Rights Constitutional Amendment,
- 4) do not duplicate other victim services in the 2nd Judicial District,
- 5) demonstrate prior experience in providing human services, and
- 6) demonstrate coordination with community agencies (especially victim services) in the Denver area.

GRANT PERIOD: This is a 12-month funding cycle that covers **January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020.**

ANTICIPATED AMOUNT AVAILABLE: Approximately \$900,000

ELIGIBILITY: All grant recipients will be subject to terms and conditions as set by the VALE Board. Grantees may be subject to program and financial audits at their own expense. The fact that an applicant meets eligibility requirements and applies within a priority category does not guarantee funding.

STIPULATION: No grant moneys shall be used to supplant or replace presently available victim's assistance funds, either public or private. All unexpended funds/vacancy savings, whether actual or anticipated, shall be documented in the financial section of the quarterly reporting form. Explanation of said funds can be explained in the narrative portion of the six-month program report.

NEW THIS YEAR - The VALE Board is planning to have applicants come in for a presentation please reserve October 11th and 15th. You will be notified with a time.

Applications are due NO LATER THAN 4:00 P.M., AUGUST 28, 2019.

Please mail two originals with one set of attachments, and email one completed application.

EMAIL ELECTRONIC APPLICATION TO: Valebd@denverda.org

ADDRESS APPLICATION & ATTACHMENT ORIGINALS TO: Irene Blatnick, Denver VALE/Denver District Attorney's Office, 201 W. Colfax, 8th Floor, Denver, CO 80202. **INQUIRIES:** Please email questions or concerns to Valebd@denverda.org. You can also contact Irene Blatnick 720-913-9250.