



NOTICE OF INTENT TO FUND

RECOMMENDATION

In Response to the Community-Based Outreach Contracts Request for Proposal (RFP), the Review team comprised of First 5 Staff and community partners recommend funding the following:

Independent Arts & Media (El Timpano) (up to \$20,000)

Vistability (up to \$25,000)

Center for Early Childhood Connections (up to \$24,500)

Community Education Partnerships (up to \$10,500)

Parent of African American Achievement Collaborative Team (up to \$20,000)

The First 5 Contra Costa Commission's Executive Committee will be convened if necessary to hear and respond to any appeals regarding this RFP. All decisions made by the Commission's Executive Committee will be final and cannot be appealed further.

APPEAL

Only applicants who have submitted a response to this RFP process may appeal. Appeals must be in writing and shall be limited to the following grounds:

- The RFP evaluation and eligibility criteria were not appropriately applied to the proposal and/or
- The Commission failed to follow the RFP process/procedures

Appeals must be submitted in writing no later than **Friday, January 3, 2025, by 5:00 pm or within five (5) business days after the "Notice of Intent to Fund" has been posted on the Commission's Website**. Oral appeals will not be accepted. Appeals should be addressed and submitted as follows:

APPEAL: Community Based Outreach Contracts

Attn: Lisa R. Johnson, Grants and Contracts Manager

First 5 Contra Costa Children & Families Commission

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