



January 14, 2010

Re: Grant Application Technical Assistance Meetings

Proposition 84 Statewide Park Development and Community Revitalization Program of 2008 (Statewide Park Program)

Dear local officials and interested parties,

California State Parks' Office of Grants and Local Services (OGALS) is pleased to announce a new type of technical assistance. OGALS is offering six meetings where applicants can ask questions about their draft application packet documents.

- The meetings will be informal; there will be no group presentation by OGALS. Applicants will meet one-on-one with a program expert.
- Please bring copies of draft application packet documents related to your questions. However, please note that Project Selection Criteria responses will not be reviewed during the meeting. To maintain the integrity of the competitive process, all statewide Project Selection Criteria responses will be reviewed and ranked after the March 1, 2010 application deadline.
- **There is no need to attend this meeting if your questions can be answered by phone or email, or if your questions have already been answered through our extensive technical assistance to date.**
- The meeting locations and dates are enclosed. RSVP's are not requested, and attendance is free.

We encourage you to check our website at www.parks.ca.gov/grants for further information and updates about the Statewide Park Program, Nature Education Facilities Program, or annual grant programs.

We look forward to working with you to improve the quality of life for communities throughout California.

Sincerely,

Sedrick Mitchell
Deputy Director, External Affairs

Enclosure

cc: Patti Keating, Chief, Office of Grants and Local Services

**Proposition 84 Statewide Park Program
Meeting Locations**

Bay Area

440 Civic Center Plaza
Basement Multi-Purpose Room
Richmond, CA 94804

Monday, January 25, 2010

9:30-12:30

Los Angeles Area

Grace Simons Lodge
1025 Elysian Park Drive
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Friday, January 29, 2010

9:30-12:30

San Diego Area

Solana Beach City Hall
Council Chambers
635 South Hwy 101
Solana Beach, CA 92075

Wednesday, January 27, 2010

9:30-12:30

Sacramento Area

South Natomas Community Center
2921 Truxel Road
Sacramento, CA 95833

Wednesday, February 3, 2010

9:30-12:30

Long Beach Area

Veterans Park - Social Hall
101 E. 28th St.
Long Beach, CA 90888

Thursday, January 28, 2010

9:30-12:30

Fresno Area

Dickey Youth Development Center
Recreation Room
1515 Divisadero Street
Fresno, CA 93721

Thursday, February 4, 2010

9:30-12:30