

Workshop Agenda

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Tribal, U.S. Territory and Insular Areas Administrative and Financial Guidance for Assistance Agreements

Bring Learn Take

BRING a copy of your Assistance Agreement Award and your questions.

LEARN how to manage EPA assistance agreement awards.

TAKE guidance manuals, regulations, tips, and tools.

EPA Region 9 75 Hawthorne St. San Francisco, CA

March 30-31, 2011

Module 1: How it All Starts: The Grant Application Process - application process,

EPA's approval process, application package, grant recipient and EPA roles

Module 2: Assistance Agreement Awards - the award, managing the process

Module 3: Binding Agreements - application and review process, terms and

conditions

Module 4: Grants Management Systems - required systems, systems implementation,

internal review and approval process, policies and procedures

Module 5: Administrative System Components - personnel, payroll, travel,

procurement and purchasing, price & cost analysis, In-kind contributions

Module 6: Financial System Requirements - financial system requirements, essential

components

Module 7: Accounting Policies and Procedures - accounting requirements, internal

controls, documentation, budget controls, cost principles, cash

management

Module 8: Source Documentation for Procurement and Purchasing - expensing,

procurement system, purchasing process, cost sharing and valuation

Module 9: Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs) - fair share objectives, good

faith efforts

Module 10: Assistance Agreement Monitoring and Closeout - reporting and monitoring, financial reporting

WEDNESDAY March 30, 2011

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TIME	TOPIC	PRESENTATION	TRAINER
A.M.			
9:00	Introductions	Intro	Steve Fenton
9:30	The Grant Application Process	Module 1	Steve Fenton
10:30	Break		
10:45	Assistance Agreement Awards	Module 2	Kirk Laflin
11:30	Break		
11:45	Binding Agreements	Module 3	Kirk Laflin
12:30	LUNCH		
P.M.			
1:30	Grant Management Systems	Module 4	Steve Fenton
2:30	Break		
2:45	Administrative System Components	Module 5	Steve Fenton
3:45	Break		
4:00	Financial System Requirements	Module 6	Kirk Laflin
5:00	Adjourn		

THURSDAY March 31, 2011

TIME	TOPIC	PRESENTATION	TRAINER
A.M.			
9:00	Review/Q&A	Q & A	Kirk Laflin
9:30	Accounting Policies and Procedures	Module 7	Steve Fenton
10:45	Break		
11:00	Source Documentation for Procurement and Purchasing	Module 8	Kirk Laflin
12:00	LUNCH		
P.M.			
1:00	Disadvantaged Business Enterprises	Module 9	Steve Fenton
2:30	Break		
2:45	Assistance Agreement Monitoring and Closeout	Module 10	Kirk Laflin
4:00	Questions, Evaluations, Wrap-up		
4:30	Adjourn		

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