

Cannabis Equity Grants Program for Local Jurisdictions

Presented by
San Francisco Office of Cannabis

Direct Grants (GoBiz 2)

- ▶ Purpose: To advance economic justice for populations and communities impacted by cannabis prohibition by supporting equity applicants and licensees with their start up and ongoing costs.
- ▶ Term: April 15, 2021 - October 31, 2022
- ▶ Award: \$2,055,841.43

GoBiz 1: Cannabis Oversight Committee Recs*

- ▶ Eligible grantees determined by a set point in time (10.14.20)
- ▶ Prioritization:
 1. 100% owners
 2. At least 51% owners
 3. At least 40% owners
- ▶ Allocated funds: (a) up to \$100K for 100% owners that moved past Planning; and (b) rest of funds split equally across others (~\$48K)
- ▶ Technical Assistance be made available and prioritized

*Cannabis Oversight Committee Recommendations are available on OOC's website

GoBiz 1: Examples of Technical Assistance

▶ Permitting and Grant Support

- ▶ Andrea Baker Consulting
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- ▶ Success Centers
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▶ Workforce Development

- ▶ Oaksterdam
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▶ Business Development

- ▶ Make Green Go
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Q&A



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