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# **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **Purchase of Service Grant Applications Available for Fiscal Year 2015**

DUBUQUE, Iowa – The City of Dubuque will have applications available on Sept. 13, 2013 for the Fiscal Year 2015 Purchase of Services grant program.

The Purchase of Service grant program is designed to provide support for human service programs in the city of Dubuque that further the City's goals, objectives and priorities. Not for-profit organizations that are located in Dubuque and provide year-round human services programs are eligible to apply. Grants will be awarded by the City Council during the City's FY2015 budget process. The Council has not yet determined the funding level for the program, although \$56,289 was awarded in FY2014.

Organizations interested in applying for the grant program are required to attend one of two application workshops. The first will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 19, and the second at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, Sept 23. Both workshops will be held in the Historic Federal Building, second floor conference room 250, 350 West 6th Street.

The Purchase of Services application and guidelines can be obtained on the City of Dubuque website at [www.cityofdubuque.org/POSgrant](http://www.cityofdubuque.org/POSgrant). For additional information, contact the Housing and Community Development Department at 563-589-4212.

Applications must be submitted by 5 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 10, 2013, to the Housing and Community Development Department, 350 West 6th St., Suite 312, Dubuque, Iowa 52001.

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