

Dear Colleague,

Thank you for your interest in the upcoming January 25th Community Summit: Collaborations That Work @ San Diego State's Aztec Center.

We have some important information to share with you.

Parking will be free to attendees. **You will need a special pass for this.** Please make sure you have RSVP'd to Nakini Hines at the following email address: Nakia.Hines@sdccda.org

The Agenda is attached.

There will be a special grant resource workshop at 3 p.m. Please fill out the attached forms and bring them with you for this aspect of the day.

Grant Resource Workshop

This aspect of the summit is the most important participatory part of the day long event. It is our hope that everyone will take advantage of this opportunity. This is an opportunity to work with your colleagues in a collaborative manner to apply for program specific grants.

This is an opportunity not a guarantee. Attendees

- will start the collaborative process around a specific grant
- have the opportunity to get a clear understanding of what foundations and corporate giving programs need from community based organizations.
- network with organizations who have experience with grants

You are welcome to work as a neighborhood or a specific type of community issue target. Grant makers have supplied us with packets of information and based upon the Commission's Strategic Action Plan the following four stations will be available. Please indicate which areas you/your organization's staff will be attending:

Employment (work readiness)

Collaborations with Education Institutions

Parks and Recreation program expansion

Mentorship

You are welcome to apply for more than one grant. However, during the Grant Resource Workshop it is our hope that you/your staff would work on one specific opportunity with your colleagues. If you have any questions about this process, please feel free to email Lynn Sharpe-Underwood at: lsharpeunderwood@sandiego.gov

Thank you for your involvement and interest in supporting our youth!

Your Organization: _____

1. Do you want to create a collaboration and are willing to be placed with any like minded group?

Yes ___

No ___, we want to start a collaboration with a group (indicate the names of the organizations you want to work with.

2. Do you already work in a collaboration and want to take this opportunity to focus on a grant? Yes ___ No ___

Other Organizations joining you: _____

Our Collaborative is interested in

Employment (Work Development Skills)

Collaborations with Educational Institutions

Name of School you will be working with: _____

Parks and Recreation partnerships:

Area you want to work in: _____

Mentoring programs

Target area: _____

Target population: _____ (age: _____)