

# Community Climate Resilience (CCR) Grant Program

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# Agenda

- Your Grant Coordinator
- Overview of SCAP, SRFC & Focus Areas
- Eligibility & Timeline
- Application Materials
- Scoring Criteria
- Q & A

“You’re probably wondering why I’ve gathered you all here today”



# CCR Grant Program Coordinator

- Stephanie Ung, any pronouns
- Climate Equity Training & Grants Coordinator
- Joined the KC ECO Climate Equity Team in February 2025
- Previous Work Experience:
  - Co-Executive Director of Khmer Community of Seattle King County (KCSKC)
  - Youth development & multicultural and urban environmental education



# Community Climate Resilience (CCR) Grant

The CCR Grant Program serves as a resource for *frontline communities* to develop new or expand on existing community-based climate resilience project



Total Funding Available:  
**\$180,000**

Project Proposals:  
**\$5,000-\$30,000**



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# CCR Grant Program Project Focus Areas

Grant Program responds to priority actions in the SRFC section that focus on providing resources and using positional power to community-based orgs.

1. Community Capacity Development
2. Community Health & Emergency Preparedness
3. Food Systems & Food Security
4. Housing Security & Anti-Displacement
5. Transportation Access & Equity
6. Energy Justice & Utilities
7. Special Topics: Heat Mitigation

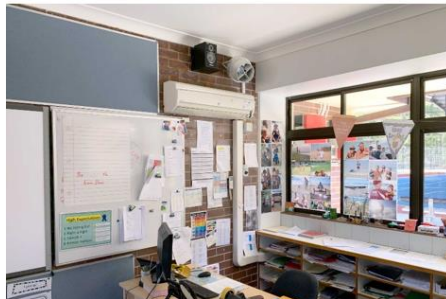


# Special Topics: Heat Mitigation

## STRATEGY DRAFT GOAL STATEMENT

Equitably address and reduce the harmful effects of extreme heat on people and places in King County by:

- **Strategic Priority 3:** Strengthening the resilience of communities most affected by extreme heat.



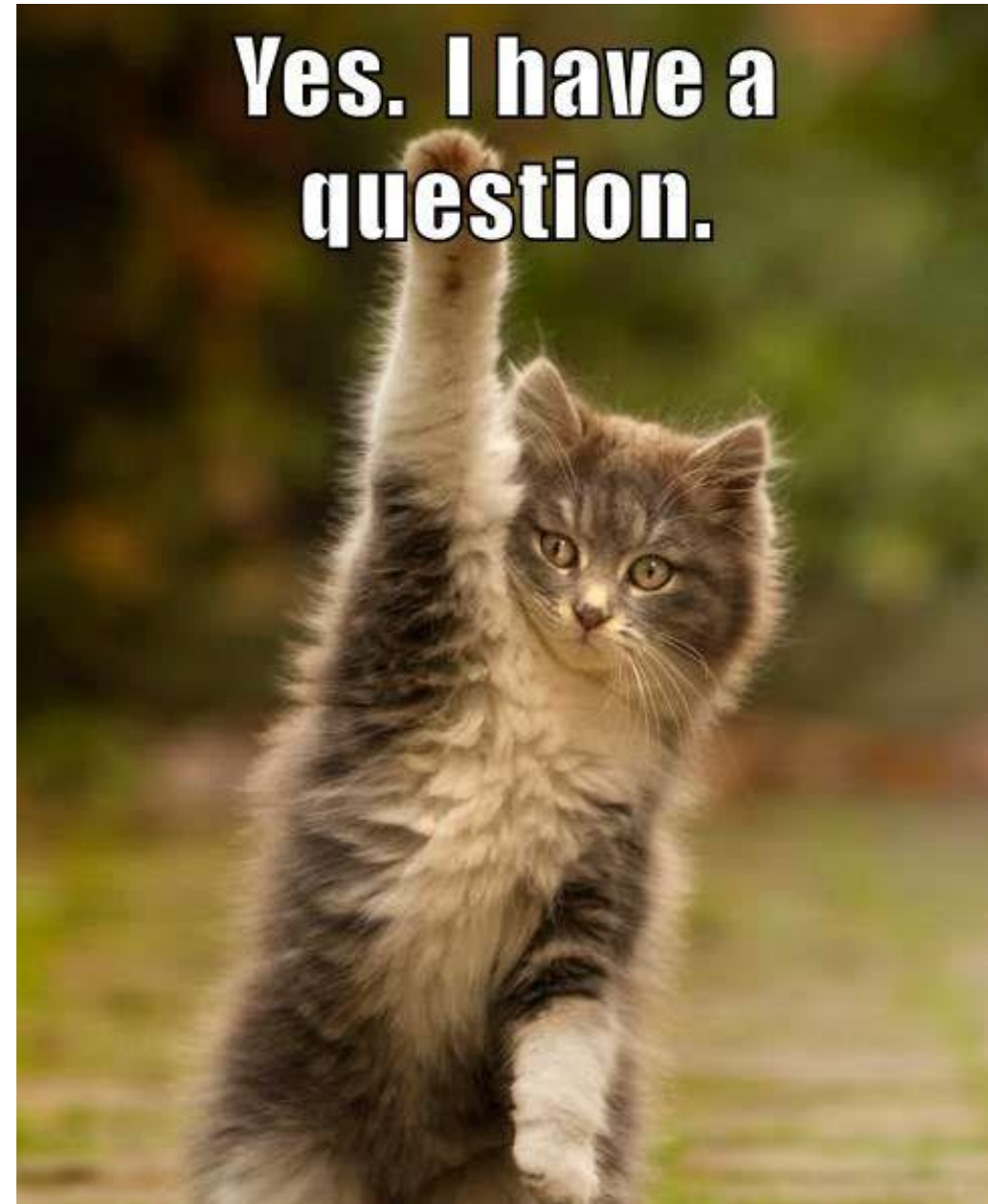
Questions? Contact Daaniya Iyaz ([daiyaz@kingcounty.gov](mailto:daiyaz@kingcounty.gov)),  
Climate Preparedness  
Project Manager



# Questions?

UP NEXT:

- Eligibility & Timeline
- Scoring Criteria
- Q&A





# Applicant & Project Eligibility

## APPLICANTS must:

- Have 501(c)3 non-profit status; or
- Have a fiscal sponsor with 501(c)3 status; or
- Be an organization/collective or community group that **culturally represents** at least one frontline community

## PROJECTS must:

- Align with one or more of the Project Focus Areas
- Take place physically in King County
- Serve at least one frontline community

Projects not eligible: land acquisition, scholarship/re-granting programs

# 2025 COMMUNITY CLIMATE RESILIENCE GRANT TIMELINE

**March 19th**  
CCR Application Opens

**March 25th**  
5:30-7PM  
Info Session #1

**March 27th**  
9:30-11AM  
Info Session #2

**April 17th-May 5th**  
Application Review  
and Scoring

**June 9th**  
Earliest Project  
Start Date

**June 12th**  
9AM-1PM, in-person  
Grantee Orientation

**July - September**  
Site Visits / Check-in  
Meetings

**March 23-27, 2026**  
Closeout & Final Project  
Report Due

**March 22, 2026**  
Latest Project End Date

**December 12th**  
Check-in Meeting / Progress  
Report Due

**May 15th**  
Notification of Awards

**April 16th**  
CCR Application Closes



# Application Materials

- ❑ Complete Application via [JotForm](#)
- ❑ Download & Complete Project Budget Proposal (upload to JotForm)
- ❑ Download & Complete Project Work Plan Proposal (upload to JotForm)



# Application via JotForm [\(link here\)](#)

**King County**  
**ECO**

2025 Community Climate Resilience Grant Program  
Application Form

Eligible Applicants

Project Eligibility

Scoring Criteria & Review Process

**King County**  
**ECO**

King County 2025 Community Climate Resilience Grant Program  
Eligibility Questions

We recognize drafting a proposal requires time and resources. Before you submit a proposal, this section will walk you through the CCR Grant Program eligibility requirements to help you determine if you should submit a proposal. Your organization is not required to have previous experience developing climate resilience projects to be eligible.

Does your project or program occur within King County limits?

Yes  
 No

King County defines frontline communities as follows: Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) communities, immigrants and refugees, people living with low incomes, communities experiencing disproportionate pollution exposure, women and gender non-conforming people, LGBTQIA people, people who live and/or work outside, those with existing health issues, people with limited English skills, and other climate-vulnerable groups.

Is your project led by and in partnership with frontline communities?

Yes  
 No

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- General Information:
  - Demographics
  - Fiscal Sponsor, if applicable
- Project Information:
  - Previous Experience with CCR
  - Total \$ Amount
  - Who, What, Where, When, Why
  - Upload Budget Proposal
  - Upload Work Plan Proposal

# Budget Proposal + Narrative (download [here](#))

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## PROJECT BUDGET PROPOSAL

<b>Organization/Collective:</b>			
<b>Project Title:</b>			
Expense Type Description	Rate	Quantity	Total for Project
<b>Salaries &amp; Benefits</b>			
<i>example: Project Coordinator</i>	\$26/hr	500 hrs	\$12,000
<i>example: Fringe Benefits</i>	13%	1	\$1,560
<b>Supplies or Equipment</b>			
<i>example: Culturally-relevant food at workshops</i>	\$ 350	6	\$2,100
<i>example: Projector and screen</i>	\$ 400	1	\$400
<b>Travel</b>			
<i>example: fuel for community van</i>	\$ 500	1	\$500
<b>Other (For example: child-care, stipends, etc)</b>			
<i>example: honorarium for guest elder speakers</i>	\$150	6	\$900
<i>example: stipend for child-care provider</i>	\$350	6	\$2,100
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 19,560.00</b>



# Work Plan Proposal (download [here](#))



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## PROJECT WORK PLAN PROPOSAL

<b>Organization Name:</b>		<b>Project Name:</b>	
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Breaking a project down into smaller steps makes it easier to understand what a project will do, when should things happen, and what is expected to happen as a result of each step. Key activities are essential to complete for a project to be successful. Complete the table below; consider referring to your answers to Application Question #7a.

Key Activity (what your project entails in #7a)	Person/Position Responsible	Month to be Accomplished	*Expected Outcome (immediate, tangible results in #7a)
<b>Example: Hire EJ Project Coordinator</b>	Executive Director	June 2025	1 staff dedicated to EJ
<b>Example: Host workshop for elders on indoor air pollution</b>	EJ Coordinator	July 2025	Participants learn 2 non-toxic cleaning recipes to reduce exposure to toxic chemicals at home

# Scoring Criteria (download [here](#))

## • Frontline Community Representation

- How well are frontline communities represented in the organization, the project's target audience, and at various stages of the project?
- Consider: General 11, 12, 13; Project 3, 4

## • Project Clarity

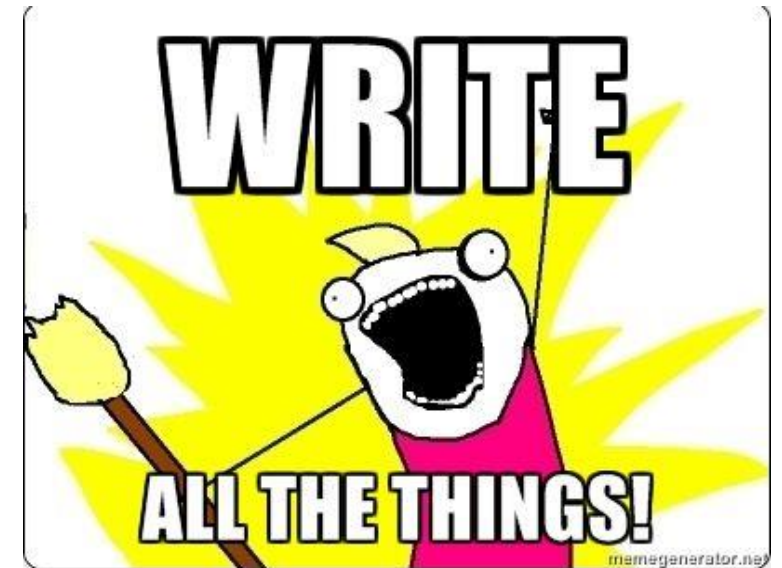
- How clear are the project's activities and outcomes? How clearly is the project connected to an SRFC Focus Area(s) and the priorities, values, social issues, needs, or lived experiences of the frontline community(ies) being served?
- Consider: Project 7a, 7b, 7e

## • Project Budget

- How reasonable and feasible is the budget? How well does the budget narrative explain how the line items will be used directly and are essential to the project's success?
- Consider: Project Budget, 10a, Work Plan, 7a

## • Project Work Plan

- How clear are the key activities of the project? How feasible is the timeline of the work plan? How clear and measurable are the expected outcomes?
- Consider: 7a, 9



# Review Process

- 4-5 King County staff across various departments (ECO, Public Health; Office of Equity, Race, and Social Justice; Metro Transit)
- 4-5 community members; [recruiting now!](#)
- Scoring Period: April 17th -May 5<sup>th</sup>
- Notification of Awards by May 15th





# Question & Answer (Q&A)

Contact Stephanie Ung with questions!

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[www.bit.ly/kingcountycrgrants](http://www.bit.ly/kingcountycrgrants) - webpage

Download [CCR Grant Guide](#) + [link to application](#)

*Recording of Info Session will be posted at [bit.ly/kingcountycrgrants](http://bit.ly/kingcountycrgrants)*