



The Neighborhood Block Watch Grant Program Application Writing Presentation

~ Additional Information ~





Application Evaluation

- The applications are scored on the following criteria:
 - ▶ Crime prevention potential (50%)
 - ▶ Budget evaluation (20%)
 - ▶ Project viability/feasibility/experience (15%)
 - ▶ Ability to complete the project (15%)
- Previous compliance history **will** be used to evaluate grant applications.
- Non-complaint groups with outstanding quarterly/final reports, missing documentation, and/or outstanding unused funds from prior years **will not** be eligible to receive funding.





Awards Process

➤ **January/February**

- ▶ Application released to public on Friday, January 1, 2010.
- ▶ Application submission deadline is Friday, February 5, 2010, by 4 p.m.
 - **NOTE: Applications submitted after 4 p.m. will not be accepted.**

➤ **March**

- ▶ Evaluation and scoring of applications by the NBWGP Oversight Committee.

➤ **April**

- ▶ Funding recommendations submitted to the Public Safety and Veterans Subcommittee and City Council for approval.





Awards Process (cont'd)

➤ **May**

- ▶ Applicants are notified of the funding results.

➤ **June**

- ▶ Workshops for grantees to sign their contracts and open their checking accounts are held.





Application Tips/Requirements

- Handwritten submissions **MUST** be legible. Illegible applications will be disqualified.
- Revisit the Neighborhood Block Watch Grant Program website at www.phoenix.gov/police/nbwgrant.html to download the application beginning January 1, 2010.
- Submit e-mail applications to nbwgrant@phoenix.gov.





Application Tips (cont'd)

- If submitting an e-mail application, please enter one of the following key words in the subject line: ***NBW, 2010, Block Watch, Grant, or Application.***
- If you do not receive an e-mail confirming receipt within three (3) business days, please contact grant staff at 602-262-6543 to confirm receipt.





Attachments

- All attachments (required and/or voluntary) **must** be submitted to grant staff **no later than Friday, February 12, 2010, by 5p.m.**
 - ▶ Please read all submittal instructions carefully to determine whether or not your group is required to submit attachments.
 - ▶ Refer to the **HOA Checklist** for further information.
 - ▶ Please limit voluntary attachments to **no more than five (5) pages.**





Questions

- If you have any questions, concerns, or comments, please contact the Neighborhood Block Watch Grant Program Staff at 602-262-6543.

THANK YOU!

