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ADDENDUM 7

TO: INTERESTED APPLICANTS

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Funding Opportunity Number: 21-DG-11083112-001- A

Funding Opportunity Title: 2021 Urban and Community Forestry Grant Program

Type: Request for Federal Financial Assistance Applications

This addendum is to provide all potential applicants with [answers](#) to questions received in reference to this Notice of Funding Opportunity.

Question / [Answer](#)

- 1. Is removal of diseased or unsafe trees in order to prepare for replanting included as an eligible funded activity in any of the categories?**

[No, tree removal is not eligible for funding through this grant program. However, the direct cost of tree removal may be used as matching funds if it is within the contract period and necessary for the successful implementation of the project.](#)

- 2. May grant funds be used for production services (including design, editing, videography, printing, digital distribution, etc.) of educational materials used to teach STEM subjects using Food Forests as outdoor "eco-labs" on school property? The educational materials cover topics outlined in the RFP, and they are used by public school teachers and students in all elementary grades. In other words, may grant funds pay for the personnel (program staff and/or contractors) required to design, create, and distribute these printed and/or digital education materials?**

[Yes.](#)

- 3. May grant funds be used for contractors whom we hire, train, and oversee as they deliver hands-on STEM workshops and training sessions during school hours, including environmental science curriculum (and career opportunities), to thousands of students in 26 Food Forests located on elementary schools or K-8 centers across Miami-Dade?**

[Yes.](#)

This Addendum is hereby incorporated into, and made a part thereof, the above noted Notice of Federal Funding Opportunity. All other terms, conditions and specifications of this Opportunity will remain unchanged. For questions regarding this Addendum, please contact this Office of General Services at (850) 617-7181 or email at Bids@FDACS.gov