



PREPARING A “FUNDING QUILT” A “HOW-TO” GUIDE FOR PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION

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Current Issues Facing Towns In New York







Yet you are all handcuffed with:

- o 2% Property Tax Cap
- o Increased Wages
- o Increased Pension
- o Increased Health Care Costs
- o Increased Commodities



What's a local official to do?





ACCESSING STATE FUNDS



ESDC

MRF

LGE

BOA

CDBG

EPF

HOME

FIRE

NYMS

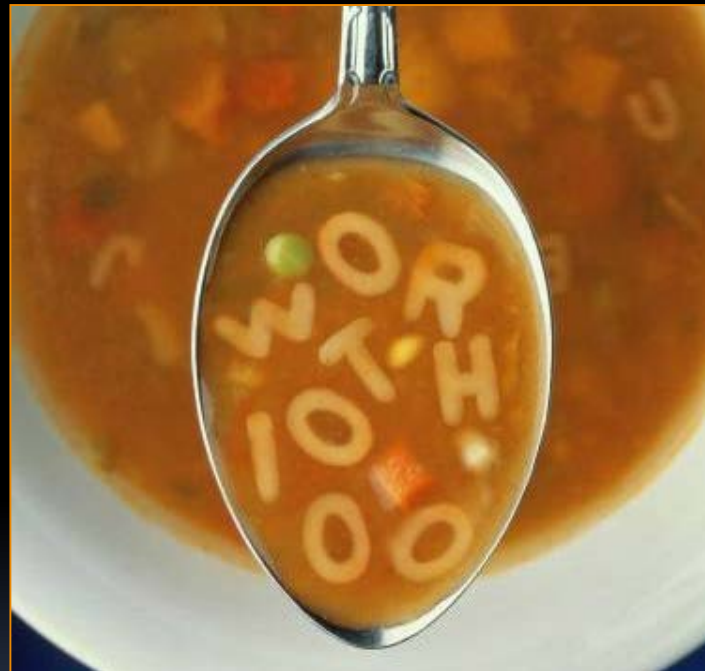
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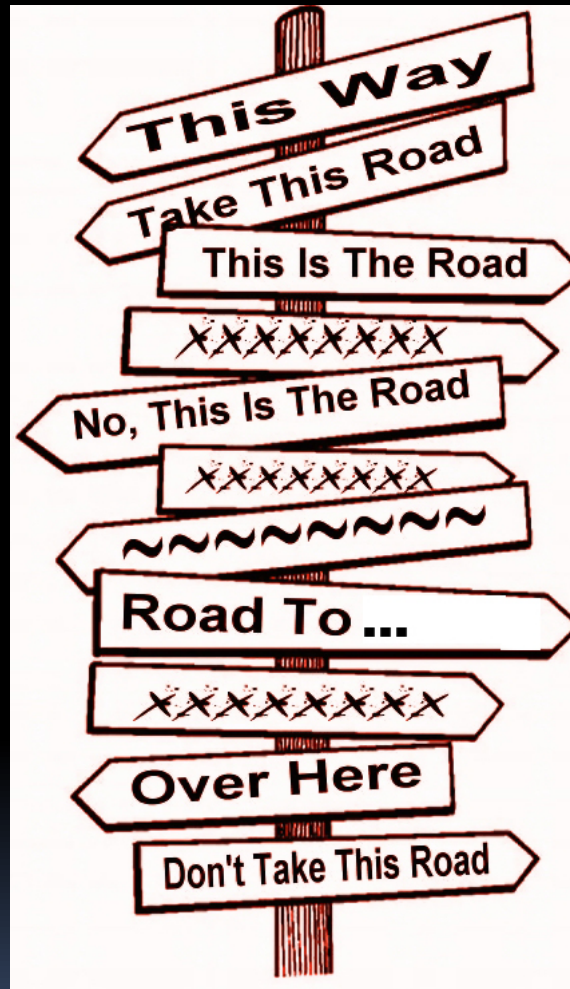
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TIP







**“If you’re early, you’re on time.
If you’re on time, you’re late.
If you’re late,
don’t bother showing up.”**
- Vince Lombardi



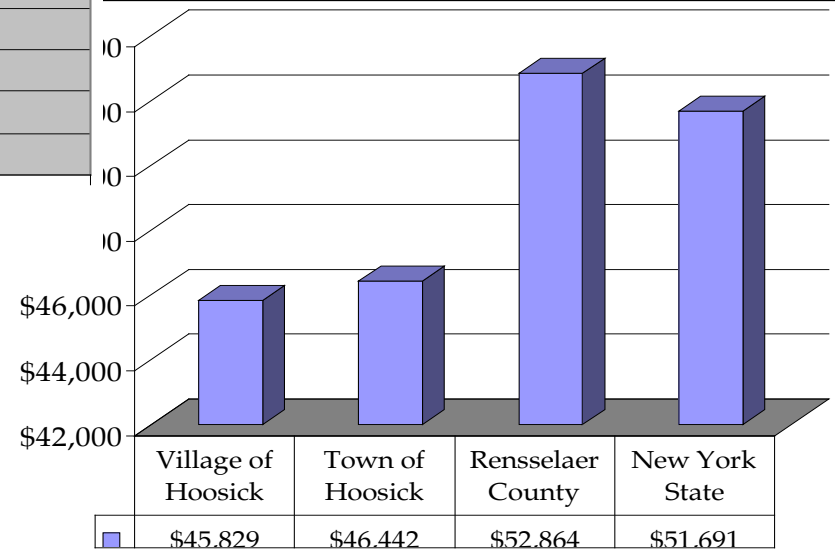
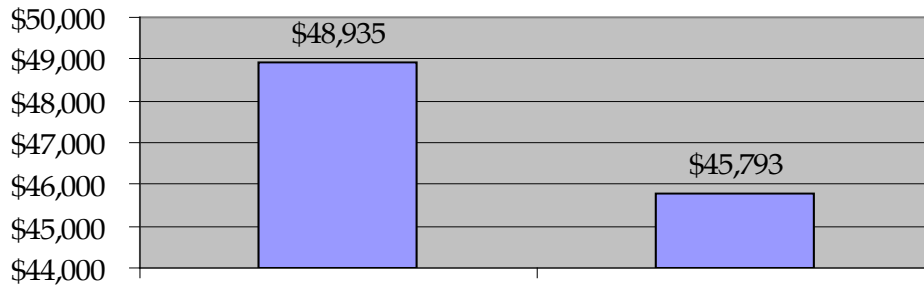
The Key to Successful Grants Starts With Plan

- o Envision It
- o Plan It
 - Your Off-Season Training Plan
 - Prioritize
- o Implement It



Understand Who You Are

Median Household Income





Public Input





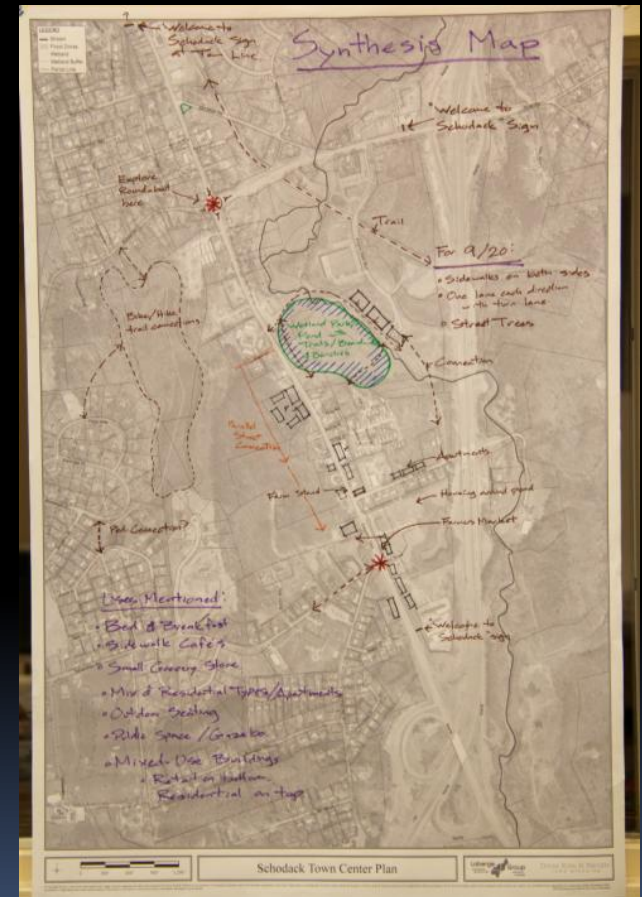
Techniques for Soliciting & Increasing Public Participation

- o Church Groups
- o Local Clubs
- o Sports Organizations
- o School Organizations or School Committees
- o Neighborhood Associations





Identify Your Assets & Your Liabilities





Visualize Design Solutions







Set Long Term Goals





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See How You Fit Into Your REDC/URI/DRI Plan





Create a “Funding Quilt” for each project

- o Identify Resources
- o Understand Program Requirements
- o Develop Project Partners
- o Research Successful Projects
- o Make Your Project CFA Ready



Resources

- o Identify possible funding streams that may be available to assist in implementing your projects.





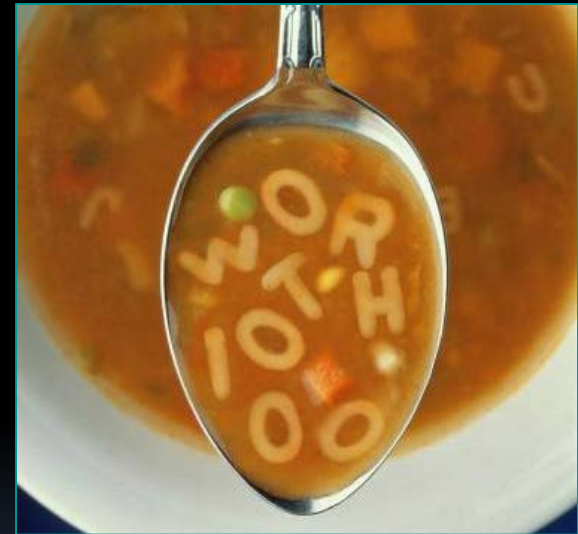
Understand the Program Requirements

Program Eligibility

- o Eligibility vs. Fundability
- o Match Requirement
- o Project Timetable

Program Schedule

- o Grant Deadlines
- o Announcement Dates
- o Funding Availability
- o Technical Assistance





Develop Project Partners

- o Local
- o State
- o Federal
- o Regional Economic Development Council
- o Not-for-Profit
- o Volunteer Organizations





Research Successful Projects

- o What Works vs. What Doesn't Work
- o Go to Funding Agencies to Review Prior Applications
- o Types of Projects - Does it Fit?
- o Project Readiness - Commitment of Other Funds
- o Project Documentation
- o Public Support
- o Dot the *i*'s and Cross the *t*'s
- o Meet with Agencies, AGAIN





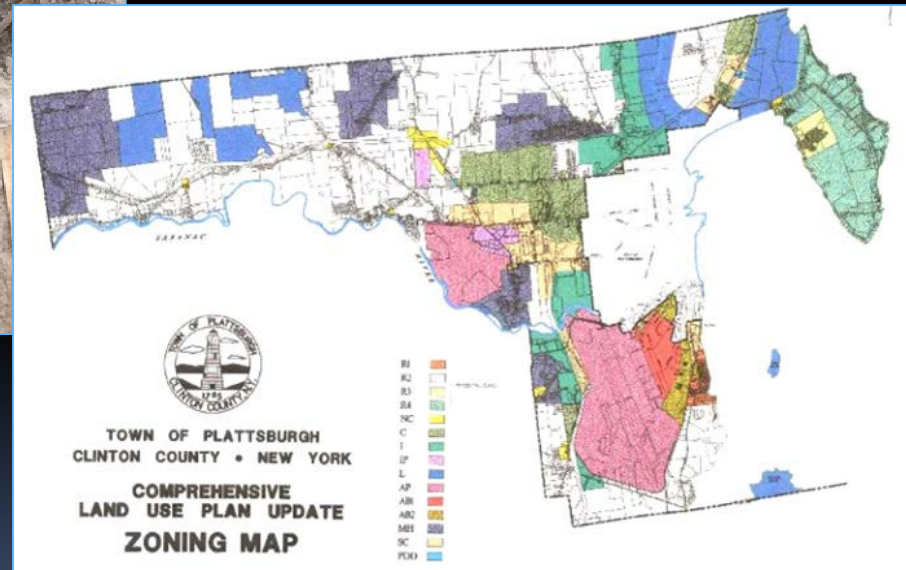
Make Your Project CFA Ready



*The “Funding Quilt” links the resources
that must come together and be
interwoven to accomplish an objective.*



Town of Plattsburgh



Funding for Town of Plattsburgh Since 2000

Municipality	Grant	Project	Amount Secured
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG Application	Wallace Hill #3 Sewer	\$400,000
Town of Plattsburgh	ANCCEP	Dock Replacement	\$25,000
Town of Plattsburgh	CWSRF - Loan	Wallace Hill # 2 Sewer	\$500,000
Town of Plattsburgh	EPF	Lakefront Park Land Acquisition	\$148,750
Town of Plattsburgh	DWSRF - Loan	Cumberland Head	\$5,300,000
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG	South Plattsburgh Water District	\$400,000
Town of Plattsburgh	SARA	Inactive Storage	\$5,991
Town of Plattsburgh	EPF/LWCF	Lake Champlain Park	\$196,500
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG-ED	Natec, Inc	\$166,000
Town of Plattsburgh	DOT-Byway	Byway Bike Trail - Design	\$49,680
Town Of Plattsburgh	EPF	Parks Development	\$250,000
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG-ED	Ceder Knolls Log Homes	\$185,000
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG-ED	Multina	\$134,000
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG-ED	Integral Fabrications	\$187,500
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG	Archie Bordeaux	\$400,000
Town of Plattsburgh	EPA-Spec. Pur.	Wastewater Study	\$280,700
Town of Plattsburgh	Erie Canal	Lake Champlain Canal	\$149,000
Town of Plattsburgh	SMSI	Wastewater Treatment Agreement	\$290,000
Town of Plattsburgh	Restore	Theater Construction	\$2,500,000
Town of Plattsburgh	HOME	Housing Rehabilitation	\$300,000
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG-TA	Comprehensive Plan	\$24,000
Town of Plattsburgh	DWSRF Loan	Pump Station	\$2,400,000
Town of Plattsburgh	USDA-loan	Cumberland Head	\$6,875,000
Town of Plattsburgh	LGE	Funcional Consolidation of Water Dist	\$396,000
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG-ED	Microenterprise Program	\$200,000
Town of Plattsburgh	ESD	Airport Feasibility Study	\$20,000
Town of Plattsburgh	CDBG	Microenterprise Program	\$200,000
Town of Plattsburgh	DOH	Flouridation	\$24,140

Total \$22,007,261



Village of Fultonville





Funding for Village of Fultonville Since 2000

Municipality	Grant	Project	Amount Secured
Village of Fultonville	CDBG	Housing Rehabilitation	\$400,000
Village of Fultonville	CDBG-TA	Community Development Plan	\$18,000
Village of Fultonville	NYMS	Main Street Revitalization	\$200,000
Village of Fultonville	CDBG	Housing Rehabilitation	\$400,000
Village of Fultonville	TEP	River Street Walkway	\$626,312
Village of Fultonville	LWRP	Waterfront Access	\$135,000
Village of Fultonville	HOME	Housing Rehabilitation	\$374,000
Village of Fultonville/Fonda	CDBG	Waste Water Improvement Project	\$600,000
Village of Fultonville/Fonda	CDBG-CRF	Joint Sewer Plant	\$600,000
Village of Fultonville	CFA/CDBG	Flood Mitigation	\$400,000
Village of Fultonville	FEMA	Scholte Avenue, Sewer, etc	\$150,000
Village of Fultonville/Fonda	CRF-CDBG	WWTP Improvements	\$550,000
Village of Fultonville	CFA-LWRP/Canal	Dock Extension Phase 2	\$50,000
Village of Fultonville	SAM	Back up generator	\$75,000
Village of Fultonville/Fonda	CFA-CDBG	Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrades	\$900,000
Total			\$5,478,312



Village of Corinth





Funding for Village of Corinth Since 2000

Municipality	Grant	Project	Amount Secured
Village of Corinth	ANCCEP	Main Street Façade Program	\$24,000
Village of Corinth	EPF	Park Acquisition & Development	\$125,000
Village of Corinth	CDBG TA	Grant Preparation	\$5,000
Village of Corinth	ANCCEP	Façade 50/50 program	\$25,000
Village of Corinth	Dam Safety	Upper Dam Improvement	\$300,000
Village of Corinth	FIRE	Personal Protective Gear	\$75,500
Village of Corinth	CFA-CDBG	Sewer reconstruction	\$600,000
Village of Corinth	CFA-CDBG	Sewer System Improvements	\$600,000
Village of Corinth	NYS Water	Wastewater System Improvements	\$5,000,000
Village of Corinth	CFA-EPG	Wastewater Preliminary Engineering Study	\$78,000
Village of Corinth	CFA-CDBG	WWTP System Improvements	\$1,000,000
Village of Corinth	CFA-LGE	Functional Consolidation of Water System Operation and Maintenance	\$400,000
Village of Corinth	CWSRF 0% Interest Loan	Water and Sewer Infrastructure	\$21,089,000
Total			\$29,321,500



Let's Match You to Your Pot of Gold



Pound Ridge Sidewalks/Streetscapes \$1,480,000

SALEM DISSOLUTION IMPLEMENTATION \$50,000

Middleburgh Mainstreet Revitalization \$555,000

Russia Housing Rehabilitation \$400,000

East Greenbush Mannix Rd Roundabout \$810,000

Altona Dam Safety \$300,000

Chester Police Consolidation Study \$210,000

Colonie Elm Street Bypass \$2,200,000

Schodack MS4 Mapping \$18,675

Philadelphia Economic Community Strategic Plan \$34,260

Fort Edward Rogers Island Museum \$2,000,000

GERMAN FLATTS WATER DISTRICT \$200,000

Ohio CDBG Housing Rehab & Septic \$400,000

Plattsburgh Cumberland Head Water District \$5,625,000

Lake Pleasant Fuel Services Consolidation \$700,136

North Greenbush Water System \$2,172,000

Arietta Comprehensive Plan \$50,000
Highland Zoning \$10,000



Thank You



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