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Town of Falmouth Announces FY22 Human Services Funding

February 10, 2021 - The Town of Falmouth, acting through the Human Services Department, seeks proposals from interested public or private, state and federally recognized non-profit organizations, agencies, or partnerships to provide projects, programs and services that address unmet human service needs in the community. The Town of Falmouth utilizes a funding process that targets specific categories of need in the community. Two categories of need for which proposals are sought are 1.) *Mental Health Needs* and 2.) *Substance Use Related Needs* and will be in the amount of \$20,000 each and renewable for two years. The third category is for *General Support Services* in the amount of \$9,500 and is a one year grant.

Due to the far reaching human impact of the Covid-19 pandemic, the Town of Falmouth seeks and will prioritize proposals that will address critical human service needs that have emerged or have been exacerbated as a result of the pandemic. Agencies and organizations that are responding to the COVID related needs of the Falmouth community are encouraged to submit an application. The **primary** intent of this funding is to provide seed money to stimulate the development of new initiatives, projects, programs, or services that are not currently being offered in the community. **Secondarily**, proposals will be considered for funding used to enhance or grow existing programs and services that are unable to meet the community's current need.

The applications and required forms are available on the Town of Falmouth website <http://www.falmouthma.gov/human-services> and at the Human Services Office. Applications are due on Friday, April 23rd, 2021 at 4:00pm in the Human Services Office: 65A Town Hall Square, Falmouth, MA 02540.

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