Applications accepted until October 1, 2021, at 5:00 p.m. Pacific Time

The Air District seeks to strengthen partnerships with community-based organizations so that more Bay Area advocates have the information and resources they need to fully engage in decisions that impact local air quality and community health.

A total of $750,000 will be available for the James Cary Smith Community Grant Program each year. The maximum amount for an individual grant is $100,000, and the grant term will be approximately one year with the potential for funding for up to three years.

Grants must be used to design and implement strategies that foster authentic, empowered community participation in planning activities that improve a community’s environmental health. The Air District specifically seeks to partner with community-based organizations in the Bay Area to uplift local efforts that improve air quality and reduce exposure to air pollution.

Community-based groups and local 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations serving environmental justice communities within the Bay Area are encouraged to apply.

To apply:

Visit [https://www.baaqmd.gov/communitygrants](https://www.baaqmd.gov/communitygrants) for application guidelines and information. Applications must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. Pacific Time on Friday, October 1, 2021. Questions? Contact communitygrants@baaqmd.gov