# 2024 Continuum of Care Competition

# New Project Threshold Criteria

*Required but not scored. If “no” for any criteria, the project is ineligible for renewal. Please complete one for each of your CoC Program funded renewing projects if you have more than one.*

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| **Project Name: Agency:** |
| **Eligibility:** Project applicants and potential subrecipients must meet the eligibility requirements of the CoC Program as described in the Act and the Rule and provide evidence of eligibility required in the application (e.g., nonprofit documentation).  Yes  No |
| **HMIS Implementation**: Projects that do not participate in HMIS are not eligible for funding unless the project is a victim services agency.  Yes  No  NA- Victims Services Agency |
| **Coordinated Entry**: Projects that have not agreed to participate in Coordinated Entry are not eligible for funding.  Yes  No |
| **Sonoma County Homeless Coalition's 5-year Strategic Plan and HUD's Strategic Planning Goals and Homelessness Policy Priorities**: The project aligns with the Homeless Coalition's priorities in CoC’s Strategic Plan and HUD’s Strategic Plan and priorities (See page 6 of the NOFO, section 4. *HUD's Strategic Planning Goals and Homelessness Policy Priorities*).  Yes  No |
| **Equal Access Rule**: The project ensures equal access for program participants regardless of their race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, familial status, or disability. The project complies with all federal and state civil rights and fair housing laws including the Fair Housing Act, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, and the Equal Access Rule.  Yes  No |
| **Training and Technical Assistance**: All projects must agree to be responsive to training and technical assistance from the Collaborative Applicant.  Yes  No |
| **Match:** The agency has committed to match 25% of the grant except for leasing funds.  Yes  No |
| **Financial Management and Agency Capacity**: Project applicants and subrecipients must show they have the financial and management skills to carry out the project and handle federal funds. This can include describing their experience with similar projects and managing SHP, S+C, CoC Program funds, or other federal funds.  Yes  No |
| **Recent Financial Statements**: Projects must provide most recent audited financial statements.  Yes  No |

Agency Authorized Representative Signature: ­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­