

MEDC Rising Tide Communities Fellowship Program
RFP-Case-236078
Questions & Answers

Q1) To clarify, is the \$1 million figure for salaries and administration?

A1) The \$1 million figure is to develop and administer the fellowship program, and includes salaries and administration.

Q2) What would be the time period of the fellowship? We'd like to know both the number of months and if MEDC has a preference about which months.

A2) The fellowship will last for 12 consecutive months. There is no preference on which months.

Q3) Would the fellows have any reasonable expectation of continuing employment in any of the host communities?

A3) The MEDC cannot commit to continuing employment in any of the host communities. The timeframe for employment for the fellowship is 12 months.

Q4) Have the host communities made any commitments to this program, such as the provision of office space or access to decision-makers?

A4) To date, host communities have not made commitments to this program. It is expected that host communities and/or community stakeholders will be approached to provide office space. Access to decision makers will be a key component to success of the fellowship program and participating communities will be expected to provide access.

Q5) Are there any specific expectations of the fellowship position's activities or outcomes, beyond the general increase in local capacity dedicated to PRT?

A5) Specific expectations of the fellow's activities and outcomes will be dependent upon the needs of each community participating and activities identified in the Action Strategy developed for each community.