



Grant Writing 101—*finding and securing funding*

April 21, 2010

9 am to 3 pm

Quincy, WA (easy access off I-90)

Get prepared for upcoming grant writing opportunities!

Join Us... A day-long workshop, uniquely designed for grant writers working for local government organizations, nonprofits, and educational institutions. Whether you are new to grant writing or desire an opportunity to refresh your skills, this workshop is structured around your needs. Please join *Michelle Mazzola, Beth Stipe, and Tom Hanson* for this insightful, informative grant writing workshop.

Workshop participants will learn to...

- Prepare winning grant proposals
- Locate federal and state grant makers that meet your needs
- Access corporate and foundation programs whose giving goals match your funding needs
- Create a grant writing calendar
- Identify the essential elements of a grant proposal package
- Prepare budgets that leverage your funding
- Create a timeline and team-approach for meeting the grant deadlines

Target audience: Employees of cities; counties; port, fire, irrigation and conservation districts; nonprofit organizations; and educational institutions.

Workshop take-home tools...

- Knowledge of how to write grant proposals that appeal to the funding entity -- and get funded
- Ability to locate and track grant opportunities online
- Skills to determine if a grant maker is a good fit for your organization
- Capacity to set up grant budgets that show case your assets
- Expertise to receive daily emails describing current funding opportunities

Special Presentation: *Common Reasons Grants Don't Get Funded - Advice from the Experts...* Beth Stipe, Executive Director, Community Foundation of North Central Washington and Tom Hanson, Public Transportation Specialist, Washington State Department of Transportation.



Workshop Co-Sponsors: The Community Foundation of North Central Washington, Washington Regional After School Project, and Resource Solutions, LLC.

Free Workshop Materials: *Winning Grants Step-by-Step* Hands-on workshop packet

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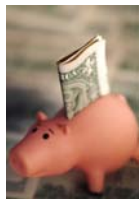
Complete the registration form and take advantage of the early registration workshop price of \$99.00. Registrations received after April 2nd will be charged \$125.00. Refund Policy: 50% refund before April 10th. [Click here to access a registration form now.](#)

Instructor: Michelle Mazzola is a successful grant writer and nonprofit management consultant. She has years of fundraising experience and has written and acquired millions of dollars in corporate, foundation, and government grants. She has realized a 95% grant writing success rate in past staff positions. She has also served as a grant reviewer which provides her with unique insights on how to secure grant funding. She has directed four nonprofit organizations in North Central Washington - increasing the budget of one from \$50,000 to \$1.2 million through her strategic grant writing efforts. Ms. Mazzola is the owner of **Resource Solutions, LLC** (www.ResourceSolutionsNow.com) a fundraising, communications and nonprofit management consulting firm located in Leavenworth, Washington.

Interactive Workshop...
Participants will be encouraged to share their experiences and ask questions.

Workshop Location: Grant County Fire District #3 Training Facility, 1201 Central Ave South in Quincy, WA. Easy access off Interstate 90. [Click here for driving directions.](#)

Additional Questions: Contact Michelle Mazzola via Telephone at 509/669-4442, or via Email at Michelle@ResourceSolutionsNow.com



Coming Soon...

Economic Stimulus Funding Workshop...*where is the money coming from, what is it for, and how to get prepared?* Grant Writing 101 will provide you with the nuts and bolts information you need to prepare stimulus funding applications in the future. The two classes will complement one another. [Email us](#) to be placed on the mailing list to receive notice of this Stimulus Funding Workshop.