

**Graham County Juvenile
Crime Prevention Council
Request for Proposals**

\$67,058

Anticipated Annual Allocation

10%

Required Local Match Rate

February 21, 2025

Date Advertised

The Juvenile Crime Prevention Council (JCPC) has studied the risk factors and needs of Juvenile Court involved youth in this county and hereby publishes this Request for Proposals. The JCPC anticipates funds from the NC Dept. of Public Safety Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention in the amount stated above to fund the program types specified below. **Such programs will serve delinquent and at-risk youth for the state fiscal year 2025-2027 beginning on, or after, July 1, 2025. The use of these funds in this county requires a local match in the amount specified above. The county can approve programs for 1- or 2-year funding awards, dependent on county approval and programs meeting all requirements.**

Based on identified needed programs and possible gaps in the service continuum, the following program types will be considered for funding:		
Tutoring / Academic Enhancement Interpersonal Skill Building Experiential Skill Building	Substance Abuse Assessment and Treatment Restitution / Community Service	Temporary Shelter Care Teen Court/ Restorative Justice Services

Proposed program services should target the following risk factors for delinquency or repeat delinquency:
History of runaway and other undisciplined behavior, History of assault, Substance misuse, Moderate to serious school behavior problems, Lack of positive peers, Regular association with delinquent others, Lack of parental supervision/involvement skills.

Proposed services should address the following concerns as reported in the Youth Assessment Screening Instrument (YAS) for adjudicated youth:

Peer Domain: Association with delinquent others

Individual Domain: Substance misuse or abuse, mental health assessment, health and hygiene concerns including use of tobacco products.

Family Domain: Conflict within the home, family substance use, family criminality, parents unwilling / unable to provide adequate supervision

School Domain: Moderate to serious school behavior problems

Applicants are being sought that are able to address items below:

1. Program services compatible with research that are shown to be effective with juvenile offenders.
2. Program services are outcome-based.
3. The program has an evaluation component.
4. Program services detect gang participation and divert individuals from gang participation.
5. Awareness of and sensitivity to Racial Ethnic Disparity that exists in the County.
6. Programs are encouraged to provide effective programming that includes restorative justice practices.

Only local public agencies, 501c3 non-profit corporations and local housing authorities will be considered for funding.

In order to apply for FY 2025-2027 JCPC funding, you must complete and submit your application online by accessing NC ALLIES. Please read and follow all instructions at: [Program Agreement Information | NC DPS](#)
Additional self-help videos on the NC ALLIES webpage are available by clicking on the HELP tab.
Private non-profits are also required to submit, by uploading in NC ALLIES, the following:
1) No Over Due Tax form, 2) DPS Conflict of Interest Statement,
3) Agency Conflict of Interest Policy, and 4) Proof of 501(c)(3) status. (#1 & #2 are available at the above link.)

NEW Applicants are required to attend an Applicant Orientation.
Next Orientation scheduled for Tuesday, February 25, 2025 at 2 pm via Webex.
Please contact Area Consultant to register.

Kim Beasley, JCPC Admin

JCPC Chairperson / or Designee

828-479-9820

Telephone #

For further information or other technical assistance about applying for JCPC funds in this county or about the program application orientation, contact:

Lorraine Williams, DPS Area Consultant at **828-405-4056** or at lorraine.williams@ncdps.gov

Application deadline: Monday, March 24, 2025 by 12:00 noon.

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