



Trinity County Children and Families First Commission

Request for Applications (RFA) FY 09-10
Community Grants

Deadline: April 9, 2009 4:00 p.m.

*This RFA is being issued with the goal of placing grant awards into agreement by July 1, 2009 for FY 2009-2010.

Grant awards are based on anticipated tax revenue and, as always, is contingent upon the availability of funds. Should State funds allocated for the FY2009/10 Prop.10 Tobacco Tax for Trinity County Children & Families Commission be less than anticipated, you will be notified and grant requests and awards may need to be modified.

In 1998 voters passed Proposition 10, adding a 50-cent tax to each pack of cigarettes sold to create First 5 California, also known as the California Children and Families Commission. These funds are managed and distributed at a local level by Trinity County Children and Families First Commission.

First 5 Trinity is dedicated to improving the lives of California's young children ages 0-5 and their families through a comprehensive system of education, health services, childcare, and other crucial programs.

Grant applications must provide services or support in these four result areas and achieve measurable outcomes.

- Improved Family Functioning (Family Support, Education and Services)
- Improved Child Development. (Child Development Services)
- Improved Health (Health Education and Services)
- Improved Systems of Care (Community Strengthening Efforts)

Grant Applications are available on the Trinity County website or can be picked up and returned to the executive director at 111 Mountain View Rd.

Please direct questions to First 5 Trinity Executive Director, Debra Chapman at (530) 739-3159, 623-2024 or First5@tcoek12.org.

