



# The State Bar of California

## 2022 –2024 Homelessness Prevention (HP III) Competitive Grant Revised Timeline Proposal

### Background

Governor Newsom signed Assembly Bill 164 (AB 164) on July 16, 2021. AB 164 allocates \$40 million for homelessness prevention (HP) grants to qualified legal services projects and support centers. This \$40 million is the first installment of an expected \$80 million in funding over three years. After paying administrative costs, 25 percent of the total will fund competitive awards.

On August 13, 2021, the commission voted to make competitive applications due on October 1, 2021. Since then, the legislature has encouraged applicants to propose partnerships, including subgrants, with IOLTA and non-IOLTA community based organizations and local government. Such collaborations could enable a well-rounded suite of HP services.

Staff propose the revised timeline below to provide programs with more time to explore partnerships. The competitive grant period would still start on January 1, 2022.

### (Approved) Current Timeline for HP III Competitive Grants

Date	Activity
August 31, 2021	HP Funds Committee approves RFP and rubric
September 1, 2021	Staff releases RFP
October 1, 2021	Competitive applications due
October 4-8, 2021	HP Funds Committee calibrates to the rubric
October 11-22, 2021	Staff scores applications
October 25-29, 2021	HP Funds Committee finalizes award recommendations
November 17, 2021	Commission approves awards
January 1, 2022	Grant period begins

### (Proposed) Revised Timeline for HP III Competitive Grants

Date	Activity
August 31, 2021	HP Funds Committee approves RFP and rubric
September 1, 2021	Staff releases RFP
<b>(New)</b> September 21, 2021	Staff holds stakeholder gathering
<b>(Change)</b> October 22, 2021	Competitive applications due
<b>(Change)</b> October 29, 2021	HP Funds Committee calibrates to the rubric
<b>(Change)</b> November 1-19, 2021	Staff scores applications
<b>(Change)</b> December 2, 2021	HP Funds Committee finalizes award recommendations
<b>(Change)</b> December 10, 2021	Commission approves awards
January 1, 2022	Grant period begins