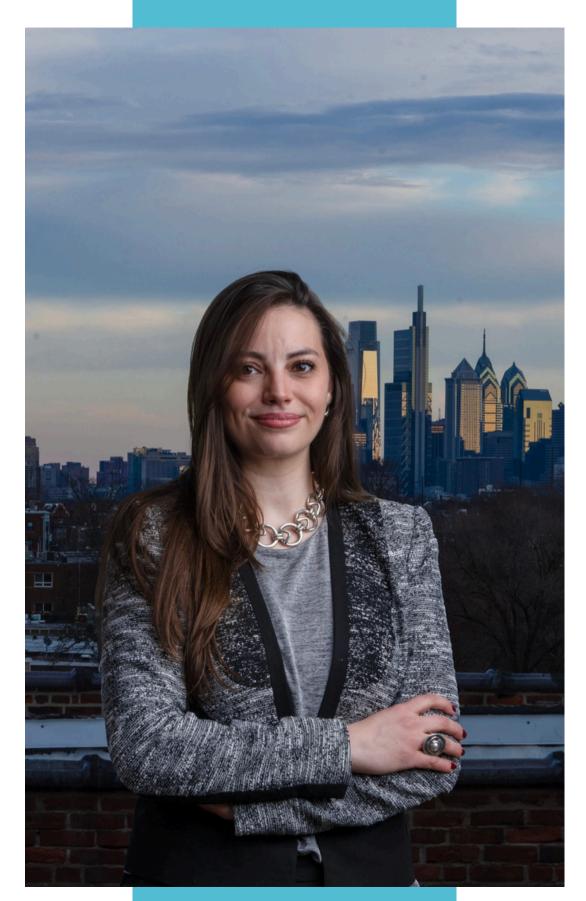




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Government Funding & Resources for Nonprofits

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Today's Objectives

Increase Your Knowledge

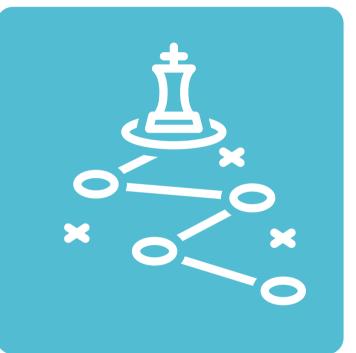


- Types of funding
- Identify sources
- Understand challenges

Increase Your Readiness

- Understand grant requirements
- Identify policies and practices





Develop Strategies



- Best Practices
- Building Relationships
- Collaboration

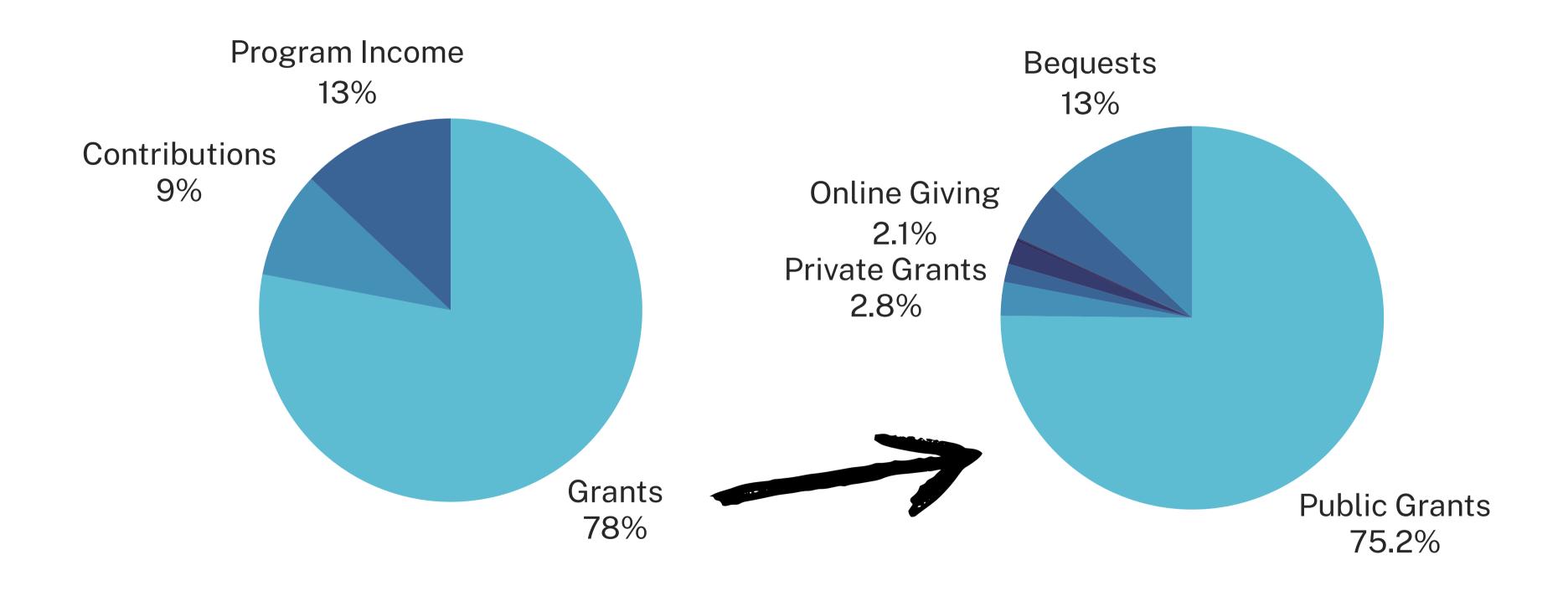




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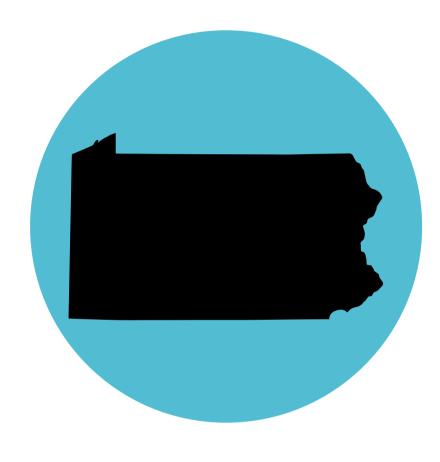
- Identify resources
- Develop a support strategy

AVP Sources of Income



TYPES OF GOVERNMENT FUNDING





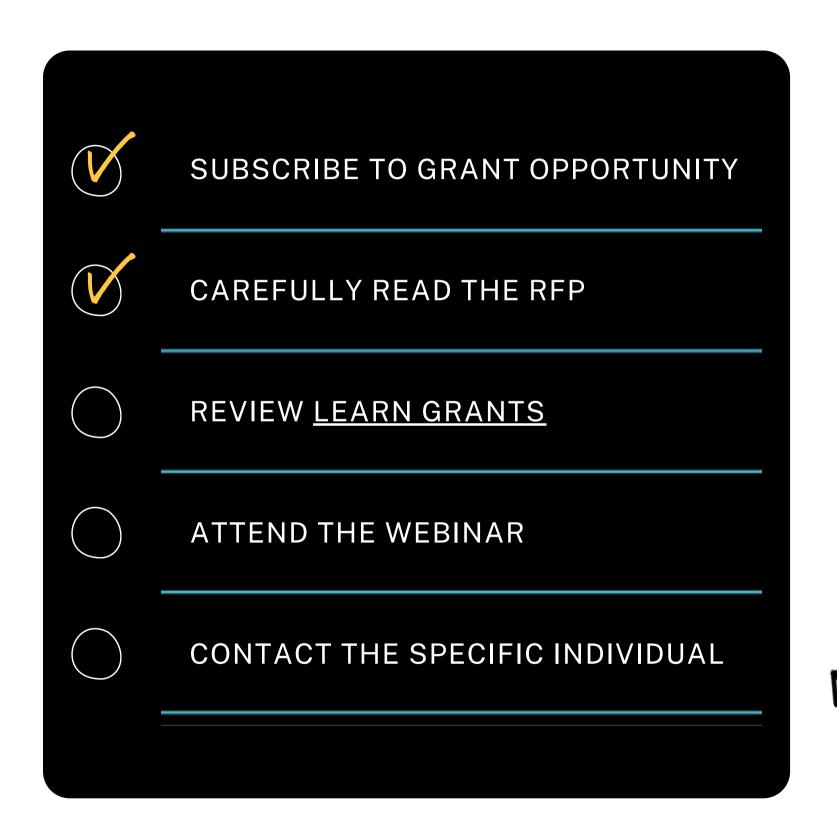


Federal

State

City

HOW DO I FIND FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES?



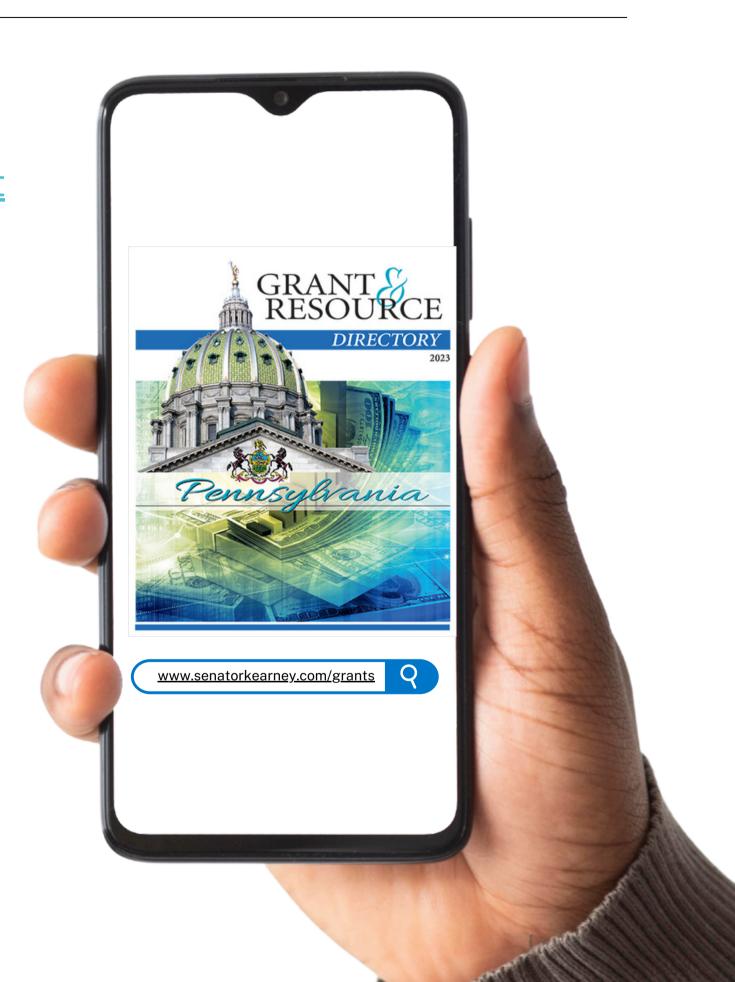


STATE FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

- Pennsylvania's state funding programs for nonprofits
 - PA Department of Community & Economic Development
 - Regional and Sector-Specific State Grants
 <u>Find your state's agencies</u> that align closely with your organization's mission!

• Resources:

- Attorney General's Office of Public Engagement
- Your local politician
- Pennsylvania House Democratic Caucus
- PCCD Funding Opportunities
- PA e-Marketplace



CITY AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT FUNDING

City of Philadelphia

- Violence Prevention:
 - Community Expansion Grant and Targeted Community Investment Grant
 - <u>District Attorney's Office</u> (Philadelphia Foundation)

• Resources:

- Your City Councilmember
 - Find your elected official
- Local Foundations
 - Philadelphia Foundation
- Business Resource & Innovation Center at the Free Library
- Greater Philadelphia Cultural Alliance (GPCA)
- Philadelphia Industrial Development Corporation (PIDC)



CASE STUDY: VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT (VOCA)

The federal <u>Crime Victims Fund</u> was established in 1984 under the Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) to provide funding for state victim compensation and assistance programs. Deposits to the CVF come from federal criminal fines, forfeited appearance bonds, and financial penalties and special assessments collected by the U.S. Attorneys' Offices, federal courts, and Federal Bureau of Prisons.

How much federal money is available every year in the CVF is determined by a complex three-year average of court fees, fines and penalties that have accumulated — a number that has plummeted by billions during the past seven years.

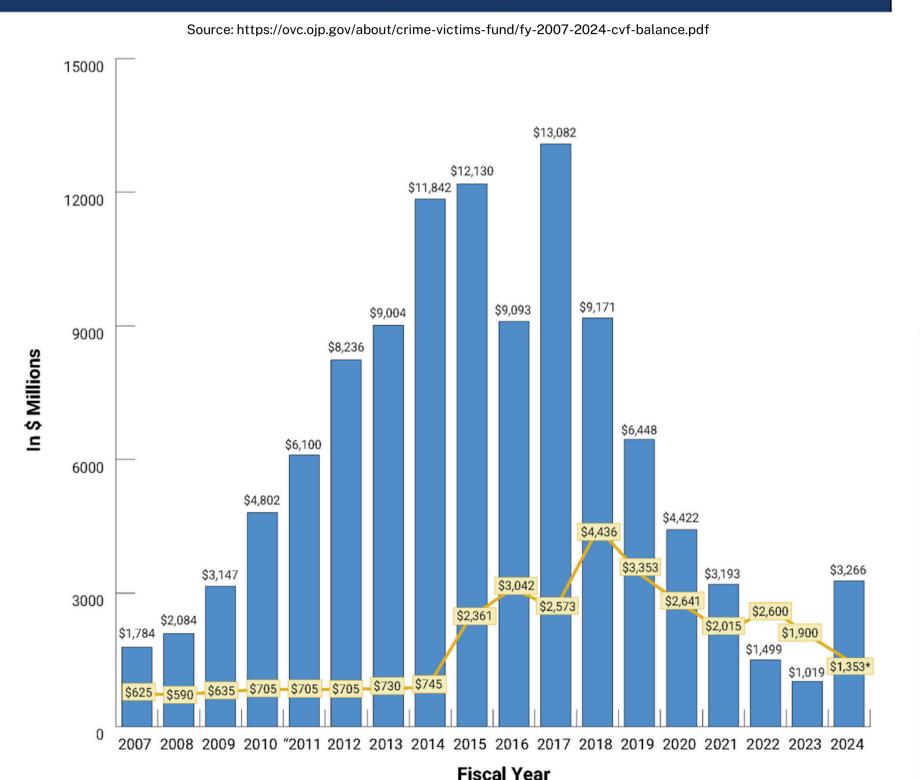
The fluctuating balance of the CVF affects the grant amounts that are made available for states and territories.



KNOW YOUR FUNDING SOURCE!

Federal funding sources are vulnerable!
The political climate can affect the amount of funding that is available to that source.

FY 2007 - FY 2024 Crime Victims Fund End of Year Balance (\$ millions) (as of 7/31/24)



YOUR FUNDING STRATEGY



Identify your project

Develop the idea

Develop the proposal

1 Identify applicable funder

KEY STRATEGIES FOR SECURING GOVERNMENT FUNDING

- Importance of networking
 Attend government-hosted information sessions and workshops
 - Can you team up with another organization on funding opportunities?

- **WRITE**
- **RELATIONSHIPS**
 - COMPLIANCE
 - COLLABORATION
 - **DIVERSIFY**

- Align funding priorities with your mission
- Write measurable objectives and outcomes.

- Review grant requirements, including financial reporting and auditing requirements
- Importance of maintaining transparency and proper documentation

Government funding should not be primary source of funding for your nonprofit!



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