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Diverse City Fund primarily receives applications through OpenWater.

**Download this word document to help you draft your answers to our application questions.**

### **Background:**

Please include a **2-3 sentence** description of your group/organization:

### **Your Work**

1. Why does your organization exist?
2. What are the systemic issues you are trying to address? How are they affecting your communities?
3. Is this a continuation of the work that DC Fund previously supported, or this a new issue?
4. If this is a continuation of your work, can you tell us how DC Fund support has been impactful?
5. What are your goals for the next 12 months?
6. What are your strategies, including those to build community power, to meet your goals?

### **Community and Partnerships**

7. Which wards does your organization support and/or organize in?
8. Who are your partners in this work? This includes past, current, and potential partnerships with organizations/groups.
9. Tell us about your history and relationships working with DC communities as an organization. You can also share more about your personal history and connections with DC communities.
10. If you're working with folks displaced from DC, please answer this question. If not, skip ahead. How does your work impact DC communities/former DC residents forced outside the city?
11. Is there anything else you want to share about your work? (optional)