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Fact Sheet

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Omaha Lead Site Technical Assistance Grant Update

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 7 has received a Technical Assistance Grant Application from the Lead Safe Omaha Coalition (LSOC). The LSOC is applying for a Technical Assistance Grant at the Omaha Lead Superfund Site. By law, EPA can award only one grant, for up to \$50,000. This grant is awarded at a Superfund site that is proposed to, or listed on, the National Priorities List.

Due to this limitation, EPA encourages all interested citizens' groups to work with the LSOC and file a joint application. If your group is interested in filing a joint application with the LSOC, you must notify the LSOC by January 31, 2004. The LSOC can be reached at:

Lead Safe Omaha Coalition (LSOC)
c/o Cheryl Weston
2505 North 24th Street, Suite 223
Omaha, NE 68110-2552
(402) 451-3730

Groups wishing to file a separate grant application must submit a Letter of Intent to file an application to EPA. This must be done by January 31, 2004. All groups will then have an additional 30 days to file an application.

Groups that need more time to file a Letter of Intent or an application, may ask EPA for an extension. EPA will consider all extension requests.

Additional Information

If you would like more information about the TAG please visit the TAG website at:

<http://www.epa.gov/superfund/tools/tag/index.htm>

Questions about the TAG, Letters of Intent, and grant applications should be directed to:

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