

SUMMARY REVIEWER COMMENTS

2013 RSVP Competition

Legal Applicant: RSVP of the Flint Hills, Inc.

Applicant ID: 13SR143809

Project Name: RSVP of the Flint Hills, Inc.

For the purpose of enhancing our programs by improving the quality and quantity of applications to the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS), we are providing specific feedback regarding the strengths and weaknesses of this application. These comments are not meant to represent a comprehensive assessment; rather the analysis represents those elements that had the greatest bearing on the rating of the application. Please note that this feedback consists of summary comments from only the external reviewer on the blended panel. Comments are not representative of all of the information used in the final funding decision.

External Reviewer's Summary Comments:

Strengths:

The proposed grantee described the need very well. The proposed grantee has strong ties to the military partners such as USO, and the Veterans Advisory Council.

The proposed grantee provided excellent information and insight into the financial controls and structure of the organization.

The proposed grantee provided a detailed response regarding the structure of the organization. They provided a clear track record with providing services to seniors. They also provide significant details about the non-federal funds that will be a part of the funding structure of the organization.

This proposed grantee has a strong foundation for garnering non-federal funds with the use of the Fundraising Committee as they are responsible for resource development.

Weaknesses:

The proposed grantee needs to provide more details on how the recruitment of volunteer's pool diversity will be handled.

The proposed grantee could have used more defined measurement tools. It appears that one measure has been used to define all planned goals and outcomes.