

# SUMMARY REVIEWER COMMENTS

## 2013 RSVP Competition

**Legal Applicant:** Pueblo Senior Resource Development Agency Incorporated

**Applicant ID:** 13SR143951

**Project Name:** Pueblo RSVP

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:

Volunteer packets, containing all the pertinent forms, policies, and procedures, with assignment specific job descriptions are an excellent resource for the volunteers.

The experience of the staff and the support of the Senior Resource Development Agency (SRDA) are positive resources for success of the program because of longtime experience in managing federal grants and volunteers.

#### Weaknesses:

The community need for the Primary Focus Area of Healthy Futures is supported with relevant statistics in the narrative, but data is not present to demonstrate the need is unmet.

The service activities connect to community need; however, the details of implementation are vague as to how the activities will achieve successful outcomes.

There is not a clear plan to measure outcomes and outputs. It is vague how data will be collected to ensure National Performance Measures.

There are no sources of funds listed for in-kind donations.

It is not clear how sustainability will be achieved for the staff position.

There is not a clear plan as to how reimbursable expenses for volunteers will be addressed.