

SUMMARY REVIEWER COMMENTS

2013 RSVP Competition

Legal Applicant: Burlington Housing Authority

Applicant ID: 13SR144359

Project Name: Alamance County 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:

The applicant clearly identified the community needs. The needs were well addressed and were compelling and well-documented.

Weaknesses:

The budget does not clearly reflect a plan to provide reimbursable expenses.

There is no discussion of how funds will be matched in the future.

The applicant does not detail how the volunteer opportunity activity will be performed.

The applicant provides minimal detail regarding ongoing training.

The applicant narrative does not reflect identifying volunteers from a diverse pool.

There is no clear evidence of how volunteers will be sponsored or evaluated.