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**IMMIGRATION BRANCH  
IMMIGRATION SERVICES FUNDING  
TENTATIVE AWARD ANNOUNCEMENT**

The California Department of Social Services (CDSS), Immigration Branch is pleased to announce it has offered funding to 61 nonprofit organizations for Immigration Services for Fiscal Year 2015/16. These offers total \$14,460,000 for the contract period of January 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017. Senate Bill (SB) 79 (Statutes of 2015, Chapter 5.6) authorized the CDSS to award funding to qualified nonprofit organizations to provide services to immigrants who reside in the state of California.

Immigration services include the following five service categories: (1) Services to Assist Applicants seeking Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) or other immigration remedies; (2) Services to Assist Applicants seeking Deferred Action for Parents of Americans and Lawful Permanent Residents (DAPA) or other immigration remedies; (3) Services to Assist Applicants seeking Naturalization; (4) Legal Training and Technical Assistance Services; and (5) Education and Outreach Activities.

The percentage of funding for the five service categories are described below:

- 59% for Application Assistance – DACA/Other Immigration Remedies
- 6% for Application Assistance - DAPA/Other Immigration Remedies
- 16% for Application Assistance – Naturalization
- 3% for Legal Training and Technical Assistance
- 16% for Education and Outreach

The organizations are listed below by region with the amounts of funding they were offered, which is subject to final execution of a contract.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Offered Amount</b>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>\$2,862,150</b>
California Family Resource Association	\$148,140
Catholic Charities of California Los Angeles	\$2,066,180
Catholic Legal Immigration Network Inc.	\$62,500
Center for Human Rights and Constitutional Law	\$88,900
Immigrant Legal Resource Center	\$126,250
Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights of the San Francisco Bay Area	\$60,000
National Immigration Law Center	\$60,000
PICO California	\$133,080
UNITE HERE	\$117,100

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Offered Amount</b>
<b>CENTRAL VALLEY</b>	<b>\$2,508,100</b>
California Rural Legal Assistance Foundation Inc.	\$515,180
Catholic Council for the Spanish Speaking of the Diocese of Stockton dba El Concilio	\$78,600
Fresno Economic Opportunities Commission	\$39,900
San Joaquin College of Law	\$250,700
Opening Doors Inc.	\$45,820
UFW Foundation (also working in the Central Coast)	\$1,577,900
<b>BAY AREA</b>	<b>\$2,695,550</b>
Asian Pacific Islander Legal Outreach	\$421,910
California Human Development	\$136,600
Canal Alliance	\$36,330
Central American Resource Center of Northern California	\$70,070
Centro Legal de la Raza	\$324,290
Chinese for Affirmative Action	\$105,000
East Bay Community Law Center	\$92,130
International Institute of the Bay Area	\$778,460
Jewish Family & Children's Services of the East Bay	\$127,430
Jewish Family and Children's Services	\$117,000
La Raza Centro Legal	\$36,150
Legal Assistance for Seniors	\$45,000
OneJustice	\$39,000
Services, Immigrant Rights and Education Network (SIREN)	\$252,560
Vietnamese Voluntary Foundation	\$113,620
<b>CENTRAL COAST</b>	<b>\$382,590</b>
El Concilio Family Services	\$252,270
IMPORTA Santa Barbara	\$100,320
Mixteco/Indigena Community Organizing Project	\$30,000
UFW Foundation (also working in the Central Valley)	
<b>LOS ANGELES</b>	<b>\$3,696,940</b>
Asian Americans Advancing Justice Los Angeles	\$780,680
Central American Resource Center of Los Angeles	\$758,600
Centro Community Hispanic Association Inc.	\$186,070
Coalition for Humane Immigrant Rights of Los Angeles	\$1,183,910
Episcopal Diocese of Los Angeles	\$124,900
International Institute of Los Angeles	\$118,700
Korean Immigrants Workers Advocates	\$42,580
Los Angeles County Bar Association	\$77,650

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Offered Amount</b>
Legal Aid Foundation of Los Angeles	\$58,000
Los Angeles Center for Law and Justice	\$87,350
Los Angeles County Federation, AFL-CIO	\$54,620
Loyola Immigrant Justice Clinic	\$223,880
<b>ORANGE COUNTY</b>	<b>\$869,660</b>
Access California Services	\$51,490
Gay and Lesbian Community Service Center of Orange County	\$49,500
Orange County Labor Foundation	\$50,000
Public Law Center	\$421,680
World Relief Corp	\$296,990
<b>SAN DIEGO</b>	<b>\$708,310</b>
Alliance for African Assistance	\$99,960
Alliance San Diego	\$100,000
Casa Cornelia Law Center	\$199,550
International Rescue Committee	\$53,880
Jewish Family Service of San Diego	\$149,620
Legal Aid Society of San Diego	\$105,300
<b>INLAND EMPIRE</b>	<b>\$736,700</b>
Inland Counties Legal Services	\$49,950
Libreria Del Pueblo Inc.	\$54,400
Pomona Economic Opportunity Center Inc.	\$20,000
San Bernardino Community Service Center Inc.	\$304,850
TODEC Legal Center Perris Inc.	\$307,500

If you have questions regarding the Immigration Services Funding, contact the Immigration Services Branch at [ImmigrationServices@dss.ca.gov](mailto:ImmigrationServices@dss.ca.gov).