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CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

CHILD CARE BULLETIN (CCB) NO. 22-01

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TO: EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND PROGRAM DIRECTORS OF CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS FUNDED BY OR THROUGH THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: ANNOUNCING THE RELEASE OF THE MINOR RENOVATION AND REPAIRS GRANT REQUEST FOR APPLICATION

REFERENCE: [SENATE BILL \(SB\) 170 \(CHAPTER 240, STATUTES OF 2021\); WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS \(W&IC\) CODE SECTION 10310.1](#)

Purpose

The purpose of this communication is to notify center-based providers and family child care home providers of the opportunity to apply for grant funding for minor renovation and repairs to existing facilities.

Statutory and Regulatory Background

The purpose of the Infrastructure Grant Program (IGP) is to preserve, enhance, and expand access to child care and development and preschool opportunities for children up to five years of age by providing grants to retrofit, renovate, modernize, preserve, or build new child care centers and family child care home facilities (W&IC Section 10310.1).

The Minor Renovation and Repairs Grant allocates \$100 million in grants for renovations, repairs, modernization, or retrofitting of existing child care and development and preschool facilities to increase or recover lost capacity resulting from a state or federally declared disaster, to make existing child care and development and preschool facilities more resilient for future natural disasters, to address needs related to the COVID-19 pandemic and other health and safety or licensure needs, and for

renovations, repairs, modernization, or retrofitting of existing facilities for use as child care and development and preschool facilities.

Application Submission Requirements

Interested applicants shall apply electronically using the online portal available on the [Minor Renovations and Repairs web page](#).

It is the applicant's responsibility to carefully review the RFA information and requirements before submitting a grant application. Failure to follow the submission requirements may disqualify the application.

Applications must be received on or before 11:59 p.m., March 25, 2022.

Additional Information

The Child Care and Development Division (CCDD) will host an instructional webinar to provide an overview and answer any questions regarding completing the Application. The webinar details will be released via a forthcoming Listserv message. For more information on this webinar or to get answers to FAQs, please visit the [Minor Renovations and Repairs web page](#).

If you have any questions or need additional guidance regarding the information in this letter, please contact the CCDD Facilities Team at CCDDFacilities@dss.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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