

FY 2028 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND

APPLICATION PROCESS

Arlington's FY 2028 Community Development Fund NOFA is available for review on the County's website at arlingtonva.us.

View the online application on [Neighborly](#).



IMPORTANT DATES:

- Application Opens: Monday, July 6
- Pre-Application Deadline: Wednesday, August 5
- Full Application Deadline: Wednesday, September 16



STEP 1: COMPLETE AT LEAST ONE (1) TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE OFFERING

1. FY 2028 Community Development Fund NOFA Workshop: **Monday, July 13 @ 2-3 p.m.**
2. Technical Assistance Office Hours:
Community Development Grants and Innovation Small Grants
 - Pre-Application Office Hours (July 6-August 4)
 - Full Application Office Hours (August 10-September 15)**Economic Development Grants**
 - Economic Development Grant Track Office Hours (July 6-September 15)



STEP 2: COMPLETE THE PRE-APPLICATION

Applicants are required to submit a **pre-application** electronically through Neighborly by **Wednesday, August 5, 2026**.

Applicants will be notified by Friday, August 7, 2026, if they are approved to complete the full application.



STEP 3: COMPLETE THE FULL APPLICATION

Applicants are required to submit a **full application** electronically through Neighborly by **Wednesday, September 16, 2026**.



STEP 4: CURE YOUR APPLICATION (IF NECESSARY)

Applicants that submit incomplete and/or insufficient applications will be invited to cure their application within two (2) business days after the application deadline.

Staff will inform applicants if their application has been successfully cured, allowing it to be considered for funding.



NEW THIS YEAR

For FY 2028, the application process will be organized into three funding tracks. Applicants will select the track that best aligns with their proposed program during the pre-application stage. Applicants invited to submit a full application will complete only the questions for their selected track.

- Community Development Grants
- Economic Development Grants
- Innovation Small Grants



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