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Title: City of Poulsbo - Request for Proposal – 2024 Lodging Tax Funding Grants

The City of Poulsbo is accepting applications for the City of Poulsbo's 2023 Lodging Tax Funding Grants. Eligible activities and projects as defined by <u>RCW 67.28.1816</u> include Tourism, Tourism Promotion and Tourism related facilities as detailed in <u>RCW 67.28.080</u> (5,6,7). Poulsbo's Lodging Tax Advisory Committee reviews applications.

All the goals outlined by the RCW are encouraged with extra-weighting given to applications demonstrating:

- Events created during the off-season: Fall/Winter/Spring
- Proven overnight stays in City lodging facility for regional events
- A trend line to self-sustaining funding over time

Applications are due to the City of Poulsbo by Friday, September 1st 2023 by 4:00 pm.

For more information, including the Request for Proposal, a fillable application form, and a cover letter if an organization has received funding in prior cycle, please visit the City's website at:

https://cityofpoulsbo.com/lodging-tax-grant-program/

If you have any questions, please contact Lin Wilson, Special Events Coordinator <a href="mailto:lwilson@cityofpoulsbo.com">lwilson@cityofpoulsbo.com</a>
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