Stocked Full of Produce Eligibility Zones

0   0.75   1.5   3
Miles

Legend
- 2019 CHNA Least Healthy Census Tracts*
- USDA identified Food Desert**
- USDA identified Low-Income and Low-Access to Supermarket**
- City Limits Boundary

* San Joaquin 2019 Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA)
www.healthiersanjoaquin.org

** United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Food Access Research Atlas
www.ers.usda.gov/data-products/food-access-research-atlas/go-to-the-atlas/

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Program Boundaries

The Stocked Full of Produce grant funds are available for infrastructure or cosmetic upgrades of commercial businesses located in designated areas shown above. Businesses must be located within Stockton city limits.

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INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT PROGRAM

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The Stocked Full of Produce infrastructure grant program assists corner and convenience store owners with needed infrastructure upgrades to promote the sale and storage of healthier food options. Healthy corner stores have the power to positively impact the health of community members by providing easier access to healthy foods, such as fresh and frozen fruits and vegetables, whole grain snack items, and low-fat dairy products.

Funds are awarded in the form of a grant, which can be used to make improvements or purchase equipment for healthy food.

Program Funding

The City is able to offer this grant using Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) federal funding and by partnering with Refresh San Joaquin to address food insecurity in Stockton.

Qualifying commercial businesses are eligible for one (1) grant of up to $10,000 under this program.

All grants are subject to the availability of funds.

Eligibility Requirements

- Retail businesses, such as convenience stores or corner stores.
- Must be located within targeted areas in Stockton city limits (see map).
- Eligible use of funds:
  - Improvements to the store layout that encourages customers to purchase healthier food options;
  - Infrastructure improvements that support the storage of healthier food options;
  - Eligible equipment such as cold storage units, shelving, or storage for healthier food options;
  - Labor for installation of improvements.

How to Apply

A completed application must be submitted through the City's Neighborly application portal: https://portal.neighborlysoftware.com/stocktonca/participant.

If the project is deemed eligible, an agreement will be executed between the applicant and the City of Stockton prior to any purchase of equipment or services. Grants cannot be issued for work started prior to formal grant approval.