PM Summary Report for Application ID: 15VS175326

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Type: New Application Status: Awarded

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Legal Applicant Name: The Plantory - Kentucky Conference For Community and Justice

LFUCG Bluegrass Farm To Table

Effectiveness - Full Time

Capacity Goal Effectiveness

Objective Capacity Building & Leverage

Project Year 1 # of VISTAs Requested 1

Output

G3-3.4: Number of organizations that received capacity building services

Target 1 Organizations

Measured By Other

Describe Instrument Combination of self-reported surveys and organizational data to be developed and aggregated by the

Plantory VISTA Network coordinator. Members will report monthly online and site supervisors will approve member submissions about capacity-building services provided by the member, and resultant effectiveness. Personal interviews conducted by Plantory staff with the members and supervisors during site visits will also support the inclusion of additional stories and information not collected through the online tool. Measures will differ by site, based on site-specific programs and goals. The Plantory staff will develop the collection tools in partnership with an assessment agency, and will collect and aggregate

the data from members and site supervisors.

Outcome

G3-3.16: Dollar value of cash resources leveraged by CNCS-supported organizations or participants

Target 45000 \$
Measured By Other

Describe Instrument Combination of self-reported surveys and organizational data to be developed and aggregated by the

Plantory VISTA Network coordinator. Members will report monthly online and site supervisors will approve member submissions about funds leveraged by the member. Personal interviews conducted by Plantory staff with the members and supervisors during site visits will also support the inclusion of additional stories and information not collected through the online tool. Measures will differ by site, based on site-specific programs and goals. The Plantory staff will develop the collection tools in partnership with an assessment agency, and will collect and aggregate the data from members and site

supervisors.

Service Activities

Financial resources

Description Work with community partners on USDA continuation grant. Identify other funding and partnership

activities to sustain the "Bluegrass Double Dollars" program

Service Activities

Performance measurement

Description Work with community departments to design and implement evaluation of the "Bluegrass Double

Dollars" project

Service Activities

Program Development and Delivery

Description Work with participating venues on marketing, outreach and operations for "Bluegrass Double Dollars"

program

Anti-Poverty PM16.17 - Obesity and Food

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Effectiveness - Full Time

Anti-Poverty PM16.17 - Obesity and Food

Focus Area Healthy Futures
Objective Obesity and Food

of VISTAs Requested

Anti-Poverty Output

(PRIORITY) H11: Number of individuals getting support, education and/or referrals for hunger

Target 100 Individuals

Measured By Activity Log

Describe Instrument

Through existing systems, the number of SNAP users accessing double dollars will be tracked. Data will be reported through a combination of self-reported surveys and organizational data to be developed and

aggregated by the VISTA member and submitted to the Plantory VISTA Coordinator. Members will report monthly online and site supervisors will review and approve submissions about the number of contacts made with individuals accessing the health department. The Plantory staff will develop the collection tools in partnership with an assessment agency, and will collect and aggregate the data from

members and site supervisors.

Anti-Poverty Outcome

(PRIORITY) H12: Number of individuals that reported increased food security

Target 10 Individuals

Measured By Survey

Describe Instrument A survey of a focus group of SNAP users accessing the double dollars program will be conducted by the

site. Information will be reported through a combination of self-reported surveys and organizational data to be developed and aggregated by the VISTA member and submitted to the Plantory VISTA Coordinator. Members will report monthly online and site supervisors will review and approve submissions about the number of contacts made with individuals accessing the health department. The Plantory staff will develop the collection tools in partnership with an assessment agency, and will collect

and aggregate the data from members and site supervisors. Initial data collection will be small.

Anti-Poverty Program Strategy/Intervention

Nutritional Services

Description Matching funds provided for SNAP funding to incentivize healthier food access for low-income

individuals