

## **Questions and Answers from the 10/24/24 Restorative Justice NOFA Technical Assistance Call**

- Is this related to one facility or all of the facilities listed?
  - You can work in one or all. Specify on application
- Is there a vision for the work to leave the facility as a part of reentry?
  - Yes. We want to break down walls and work towards more of a seamless reentry.
- In addition to building capacity, do you also want groups to facilitate restorative justice circles?
  - Yes.
- Is the application the same as the girls facilitator?
  - They are similar but have a few differences.
- Question around criteria of being ready to hit the ground running.
  - DJS needs groups who can begin work as quickly as possible, so that will be considered in the review.
- For different facilities, do you need different applications?
  - One application with different budgets.
- Are your principles listed in the application?
  - Yes.
- Is the budget per year or all three years?
  - It's for all three years but if you would like to submit three separate budgets, one per year, you can. Just make sure the total does not exceed the amount listed in the NOFA.
- How are you weighing applications?
  - We are balancing wanting groups that are from the communities our youth are from. Also we need to find partners that are able to go deep on this work. That will be considered in reviewing applications.
- Have you had prior vendors?
  - This is a new initiative but we realize some partners may have partnered with DJS previously.