



CENTER FOR PUBLIC POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION
UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS AMHERST

Spring 2010
Public Policy Analysis
Request for Proposals

Organization _____

Address _____

Contact Person _____

Phone number _____ Email _____

Project Supervisor (If other than Contact Person) _____

Phone number _____ Email _____

Web address _____

Please answer the following questions on a separate page:

- 1) Briefly describe your organization, including its mission and goals. Feel free to include any additional materials describing the organization, i.e., annual report or other printed materials.
- 2) Briefly describe the problem you would like to address or the project you are proposing for our students. Also, describe how it relates to public policy or management issues.
- 3) What types of skills are needed for the students to complete the project? How would you imagine completing this project? What might be the specific tasks?
- 4) What resources will your organization provide to support this project? Examples might be: access to relevant data and reports, permission to interview clients or other stakeholders, contact as needed with project supervisors or appropriate staff, or stipends to cover student travel and incidental costs.
- 5) What is the anticipated outcome or product that you would like to see as a result of student research? How will this product be utilized by your organization?

Applications must be received by CPPA by January 8, 2010 to be eligible for consideration.

Decisions regarding projects will be made by early February 2010.

Questions? Contact Michael Ash at mash@econs.umass.edu or 413 545 6329

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