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Hi, I'm Rachel. I'm the Grant Support Manager at Seeding Justice, and I get to share some exciting news about our Spring 2022 General Fund Grants. There are three videos in this series. If you're interested in learning more about Seeding Justice as an organization or about our General Fund Grants as a whole, make sure to check out the other two. This spring, we have \$200,000 of funding to distribute, which means we can fund up to 20 applications at a range of \$7,000 to \$15,000. We do anticipate that we'll get more applications than what we have funding for. This cycle we are offering two types of grants: operating support and project support. Operating support grants are for 501(c)3 organizations with an annual budget of \$500,000 or less. These organizations are eligible for up to \$15,000, but keep in mind that we're unable to fund operating support grants in excess of 30% of an organization's annual budget.

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The second type of grant we offer are project support grants. Project support grants are for 501(c)3 organizations with a budget over \$500,000 or fiscally sponsored organizations. These organizations can apply for up to \$15,000. We also offer project support grants for non-incorporated organizations that engage in charitable activities. These organizations can apply for up to \$7,000. To give you a sense of our timeline, our application will open on March 21st and close on April 22nd at 5:00 PM Pacific. Our grantmakers will review in early June and come to decisions in mid-June. By the end of June, we anticipate that we'll be sending out grant agreements and distributing that funding out into our community. If you're interested in learning more about who our grantmakers are and what the grant making process looks like in our organization, check out the other videos in the series, or go to our website to learn more.

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Now here's how to apply. We have an online application portal that's hosted through Submittable. To get to our page go to seedingjustice.submittable.com/submit. Submittable offers individual accounts for users. And if you work in a team, you can have each of your team members make an individual account so that you can take advantage of Submittable's collaborative application process. To learn more about their collaborative application feature, check out Submittable's YouTube channel and their blog for helpful tips. If you have any questions, check out our website at seedingjustice.org/general-fund-grants. On this page, you'll find frequently asked questions and downloadable versions of the application and the scoring rubric. If after checking out our website, you need additional support, send us an email at grants@seedingjustice.org. And if you would like some one-on-one time with someone from our team, send our wonderful Program Manager, Jude, a calendar invite by using their Calendly calendly.com/jude-perez. Thank you and we look forward to reading your application soon.