



# ESG-CV R2 Technical Assistance

	Question	Answer
1.	Does the agency applying for ESG-CV Round 2 funding need to have had an existing contracting or must they not have applied for ESG Round 1?	Obtaining or not obtaining ESG/ ESG-CV funding is not a prerequisite to apply for ESG-CV Round 2 funding. An agency may apply for funding without having applied for a previous round of ESG-CV funding.
2.	What is the maximum allowable percent for Indirect Cost for the ESG-CV-R2?	<p>The maximum allowable percent for Indirect Costs are based on the Indirect Cost Rate that an agency has chosen.</p> <p>Two more commonly used Indirect Cost rates are the:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Federally Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate Agreement (NICRA)</li><li>• 10% De Minimis Rate.</li></ul> <p>The NICRA is the estimated indirect cost rate which is negotiated between the Federal government (cognizant agency) and a grantee.</p> <p>An agency may elect to charge a de minimis rate of 10% of modified total direct costs (MTDC) which may be used indefinitely. No separate documentation is required to justify the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate. Supporting documentation of the direct costs will be used.</p> <p>The rate chosen must be used indefinitely once elected and must be used consistently for all Federal awards.</p>
3.	Will this funding allow us to purchase a vehicle?	ESG-CV funding earmarked for Emergency Shelter and Street Outreach may be used to purchase a vehicle.