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Profile:

Non-profit program consultant with over 30 years of experience providing grant writing, research, and program development assistance to nonprofits and their communities. Areas of work include community development, downtown revitalization, transportation, brownfield assessment and remediation, water/wastewater infrastructure, public and affordable housing, small business loan programs, asset development, social services, returning offenders, and coop supermarkets. Specialize in identifying an organization's overall goals and the needs of the population served to design a program, establish a budget, involve key stakeholders, secure funds, and evaluate success. Offer a hands-on, structured approach to getting projects completed as promised, both on time and within budget.

Areas of Expertise:

- Writing & Grant Proposals
- Research
- Training & Facilitation
- Community Development
- Program & Policy Development
- Program Evaluation
- Entrepreneurship

Experience:

Third Sector Associates, Burlington, Vermont

Nonprofit Program Consultant, Principal, 1992 - present

Work with nonprofit organizations who want to develop and fund programs. Help organizations design programs, raise funds, and make recommendations for program improvement. Assist organizations with strategic planning, policy development, and marketing.

- Grant Writing & Research: Raised over \$34 million in grant funding for nonprofit organizations, for-profit businesses, and government agencies. Assisted the Vermont Department of Health with over \$40 million in successful CDC Vaccine and Health Equity grant applications.
- Program Research: Researched infrastructure improvement and home repair financing in 14 states for community-owned manufactured housing. Researched programs available to cancer survivors for the Vermont Cancer Survivors Network. Conducted an organizational and program study for the Rutland Salvation Army.
- Training & Facilitation: Presented over sixty workshops with topics ranging from grant writing to business planning.

Addison County Regional Planning Commission, Middlebury, Vermont Special Projects Coordinator and Lake Champlain Byways Planner

Chittenden County Regional Planning Commission, Essex Junction, Vermont *Transportation Planner and Public Liaison*

Central Vermont Community Action Council, Barre, Vermont

Director, Micro Business Development Program

Community & Economic Development Office, Burlington, Vermont

Coordinator, Minority Business Assistance Program

Education Master of Public Administration, Maxwell School, Syracuse University

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science, Middlebury College

Associations Vermont Community Development Association