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Notice of Funding Opportunity for 2020 Partners for Fisheries Monitoring Program

The Office of Subsistence Management (OSM) is currently seeking proposals for the 2020 Partners for Fisheries Monitoring Program (Partners Program). OSM is seeking proposals for the Partners Program that strengthen Alaska Native and rural involvement in Federal subsistence management. The Partners Program is a competitive grant directed at providing funding for biologists, social scientists and outreach/educator positions in Alaska Native and rural nonprofit organizations with the intent of increasing participation in Federal subsistence fisheries management. In addition, the program supports a variety of opportunities for local rural students to connect with subsistence resource monitoring and management through science camps and paid internships.

The notice of funding opportunity can be viewed on either www.grants.gov (search for **F19AS00022**, which is the notice of funding opportunity number) or the Federal Subsistence Management Program website (<https://www.doi.gov/subsistence/partners>). The deadline for applications is **January 31, 2019**.

OSM encourages all eligible applicants to apply. If you have questions during the application process, you may contact either Karen Hyer or Jarred Stone at the addresses listed below. Additionally, OSM will be hosting teleconferences during the application period to educate new applicants on the application process and requirements, discuss eligible activities, and go over the review panel and evaluation criteria. The dates and times for the teleconferences will be posted on the Federal Subsistence Management Program website (<https://www.doi.gov/subsistence/partners>).

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Additional information on the Federal Subsistence Management Program may be found on the web at www.doi.gov/subsistence or by visiting www.facebook.com/subsistencealaska.

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