

1. What is PSE?
 - a. PSE stands for Policy, Systems, Environmental Change (p. 3-4) and includes:
 - i. Organizational (or group) rules, usually written (policy)
 - ii. The way an organization (or group) operates (systems), or
 - iii. Places where people live and spend time (environments)
 - b. We will talk more about PSE in the information sessions
2. Can organizations outside Bloomington, Edina, and Richfield apply if they serve inside the geographic region?
 - a. Funding must serve Bloomington, Edina, or Richfield individuals and families. The organization can be outside the city limits as long as you are serving residents inside the city (p. 6)
3. Can these funds be used to fund a musical production as a tool for community conversations?
 - a. To be eligible the project must meet the 4 requirements (p. 6) and focus on policy, systems, environmental (PSE) change (p. 3-4) that fits with SHIP focus areas (eating, moving, commercial tobacco-free living, and wellbeing) (p. 2-3).
4. Do you fund playground equipment?
 - a. Playground equipment is not an allowable expense.