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<u>USDN Equity Diversity Inclusion (EDI) Fellowship Application</u>

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Home Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Learned about EDI Fellowship from: _____

Are you the first in your family to have attended college? Yes____ No ____ Prefer Not to Answer ___

Have you experienced socioeconomic disadvantage?   Yes____ No ____ Prefer Not to Answer ___

Are you new to the sustainability field of work?   Yes____ No ____

Are you interested in exploring a career in sustainability?   Yes____ No ____

Do you commit to working for the full length of the fellowship?   Yes____ No ____

Do you commit to actively participating in networking and mentorship activities with other EDI fellows and other local government sustainability staff?   Yes____ No ____

Do you commit to completing bi-weekly online journal posts, a one-page written report at the conclusion of the fellowship to reflect on your experience, and a presentation at the USDN annual meeting in October 2018 (expenses paid) on your work?   Yes____ No ____

Are you interesting in becoming part of an informal network of past and current EDI fellows?
        Yes____ No ____

What position(s) are you interested in applying for? *(Please note that the applicant, if selected, must arrange housing and be available to work full time in the chosen location.)*

☐ City of Austin (TX)   ☐ City of Fayetteville (AR)
☐ City of Baltimore (MD)   ☐ City of Milwaukee (WI)
☐ City of Eugene (OR)   ☐ City of San Antonio (TX)

I understand that completion and submission of this application form, the following essay questions, and related materials are necessary prior to consideration for placement in the fellowship program.

_____   _____
Applicant Signature   Date

**Responses to the following questions can be typed in the spaces below
or submitted as a separate document.**

Why do you want to be an EDI fellow? Include a description of your career goals and how this fellowship would help you to achieve them. (250-500 words)

For each position you are applying for, describe how your skills and experience match the project (100-400 words):

Please describe your experience working with communities of color (100-400 words):

Please describe your experience making an impact in communities, including communities of color (100-400 words):