

# TIPS FROM VENTURE PORTLAND'S GRANTS COMMITTEE

## Tip

- Answer questions in order.

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- Be as clear as possible. Use specific facts about the business district to provide context.

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- Answer each question succinctly and completely. Remember, you're not getting paid by the word, but less isn't always more.

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- Let someone outside of the process read the application for a fresh perspective.

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- Triple check you have answered each component of each question and have included everything on the checklist - including the completed checklist!

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- Double check your math.

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- And last but not least,  
**TAKE ADVANGAGE OF GRANT OFFICE HOURS!**