

**261—302.7(15) Application review and selection.****302.7(1) Procedure.**

*a.* Each application shall be screened by the CLP coordinator for eligibility and completeness. Incomplete or ineligible applications or applications received after the deadline shall not be considered for funding.

*b.* The evaluation team shall evaluate all applications eligible for consideration and make recommendations for funding to the director.

*c.* Final decisions, certification of grant awards, and acceptance into the CLP program shall be determined by the director.

**302.7(2) Review criteria.** Review criteria shall be according to the authority's published guidelines and shall include the following at a minimum:

*a.* Programmatic excellence, leadership and cultural impact;

*b.* Sound fiscal and managerial practices and administrative stability; and

*c.* Community outreach and involvement.

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