



## REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS (RFA) # CEP-PG-02

### Partnership Grants (PGs)

The USAID Civic Engagement Project in Macedonia (CEP) invites civil society organization (CSO) alliances in Macedonia to apply for Partnership Grants (PGs). The CSO alliances include legally registered and non-registered CSO coalitions, platforms, networks, and alliances comprised of at least five (5) member CSOs.

CEP is a five year USAID-funded program that works to achieve two objectives: (1) strengthen constructive engagement by CSOs on policies and issues of public concern; and (2) increase and sustain youth engagement in public life in Macedonia. CEP is implemented by East West Management Institute, Inc. (EWMI), in partnership with four local CSOs: Metamorphosis, Foundation for Internet and Society (Metamorphosis), the Association for Democratic Initiatives (ADI), the Foundation Open Society - Macedonia (FOSM), and the National Youth Council of Macedonia (NYCM). PGs are managed by Metamorphosis.

PGs' aim to support CSO alliances that work in the following **priority areas**:

1. Good Governance and/or Anti-Corruption;
2. Rule of Law and/or Human Rights;
3. Economic Growth and/or Local Economic Development;
4. Public Service Improvement;
5. Environment.

CEP plans to award up to **2 (two)** grants under this RfA. The maximum grant award for each proposal is **120,000 USD** covering activities that may last not less than 30 months and up to 36 months. Grant funds may be used only for activities directly related to the implementation of grant activities. CEP reserves the right to fund any or none of the applications submitted.

To download the Application form, and the Budget Template for the PGs, please go to [www.metamorphosis.org.mk](http://www.metamorphosis.org.mk) or write to Ms. Marija Panchevska, at [marijap@metamorphosis.org.mk](mailto:marijap@metamorphosis.org.mk).

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING PROPOSALS: 16:00, FEBRUARY 20, 2018**

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