Job Posting: Staff Fundraiser/ Development Consultant



The Reclaim Our Power: Utility Justice Campaign is taking on California's failing private utility model and calling for a restructuring of the state's energy system to meet the needs of our most impacted communities—towards the vision of a new decentralized, democratized energy system in California.

The Campaign seeks a motivated, experienced, and skilled Fundraiser, who is passionate about economic, environmental, and social justice, to secure the financial support needed to maintain and grow the capacity of the Campaign to carry out its ambitious goals. While the Campaign has <u>established itself on California's energy</u> <u>landscape</u>, significant stable funding is needed to grow the staff and the Campaign's power to shape energy policy and program in the state.

The Fundraiser will cultivate the current funding base of the campaign while researching and reaching out to new foundations, individuals, and energy and social justice institutions to expand the Campaign's financial base. The Fundraiser will work in close collaboration with the staff and leadership of the Campaign.

The position is envisioned as half-time and pays a full-time-equivalent base salary of \$90K/year for consulting or \$35/hour for staff salary with benefits, augmented commensurate with experience. It is based in Oakland, but can be performed remotely. It is supervised by the Coordinator of the Local Clean Energy Alliance, which is hosting the Campaign.

Primary Job Responsibilities include:

- Promote awareness of the Campaign's goals and accomplishments; convey the Campaign's mission, vision, and initiatives to potential donors
- Cultivate, maintain, and expand the network of Campaign funders by building strong relationships with existing funders and reaching out to individuals, foundations, and institutions as prospective funders
- Create fundraising and promotional materials such as Campaign highlights, videos, brochures, funding proposals, and write grant applications
- Collaborate with other organizations and groups to enhance fundraising activities
- Maintain records of funders, prospective funders, and fundraising activity and report regularly to Campaign staff and leadership team on fundraising status.

Qualifications:

- A passion for social justice, climate justice, and energy justice mission of the Reclaim Our Power Campaign
- Demonstrated success in fundraising for social justice causes, especially related to climate, energy, and community empowerment
- Familiarity with the ecosystem of social justice funding foundations and institutions
- Established relationships in the foundation and fundraising field related to climate and energy justice
- Good written and verbal communication skills.
- Available to work half-time beginning April 1, 2022

How to Apply:

Please send a cover letter explaining your interest in the position and your availability, along with a resume, to <u>hiring@localcleanenergy.org</u>, with subject line "Applying for ROP Fundraiser." Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. People of color, women, LGBTQ are strongly encouraged to apply. No phone calls please. Thanks for your interest!