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**YWCA San Francisco & Marin Brings
Comprehensive Federal Grant Proposal Writing Workshop
to the Bay Area to Help Nonprofits & Government Agencies**

SAN FRANCISCO, CA - March 28, 2011 - YWCA San Francisco & Marin will host the *Competing for Federal Grants* training April 25-29, 2011. This intensive, five-day, hands-on workshop for nonprofit and government grant seekers will prepare participants to read and interpret federal application guidelines; prepare a work plan for proposal development; cultivate effective, well-documented arguments; and assemble proposals that follow guidelines and respond to the funder's requirements. This training will be conducted by The Grantsmanship Center. To register or get more information, contact The Grantsmanship Center at (800) 421-9512 or www.tgci.com.

To ensure personal attention, registration is limited to 25 participants. Tuition for this training is \$1195 (\$1095 if paid by phone) and includes a year's free access to The Grantsmanship Center's exclusive online databases of government, foundation and corporate funding sources (a \$495 value); a proposal review by the workshop trainer; as well as discounts on publications and future trainings. A limited number of partial scholarships are available for qualified agencies.

About The Grantsmanship Center:

Founded in 1972 by Norton J. Kiritz, the Center was created to provide expert grantsmanship training to nonprofit and government agencies. Each year thousands of graduates nationwide complete their training and join the Center's roster of more than 135,000 alumni.

About the YWCA of San Francisco & Marin:

Since 1878, the YWCA of San Francisco & Marin has drawn together members of their community to empower women and families and embrace a shared vision of peace, justice, freedom and dignity for all people. The YWCA provides services and programs that enable individuals to live their lives to the fullest potential as part of the YWCA tradition of making a positive difference in the lives of women, girls, and their families. www.ywcasf-marin.org

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