Green Jobs Corps – Creating a New Generation of Environmental Justice Leaders for New Haven

A Proposal to the EPA Environmental Justice Small Grants Program

Common Ground – New Haven Ecology Project

OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE QUALITY ASSURANCE PROJECT PLAN REQUIREMENT (QAPP)

Check Yes or No for each of the items provided below as it applies to your specific project.

1. Your project will involve the collection of groundwater, soil, sediment, surface water, air, biota or fauna samples for chemical or biological analysis.

Yes ☐ No ☑

2. Your project will use existing computer databases containing analytical data or personal information previously collected.

Yes ☐ No ☑

3. Your project will use existing historical research pertaining to this project or proposal.

Yes ☐ No ☑

4. Your project will implement deed searches for current property or site.

Yes ☐ No ☑

5. Your project will conduct medical records search for the population covered in the grant.

Yes ☐ No ☑

6. Your project will compile meteorological data to determine weather trends or air mixing trends.

Yes ☐ No ☑

7. Your project will use existing statistical studies or will conduct these studies as part of the project.

Yes ☐ No ☑

8. Your project will create a new database based on the information gathered.

Yes ☐ No ☑

9. Your project will use this information for litigation purposes.

Yes ☐ No ☑

10. Your project will use this information to make recommendations on environmental decisions.

Yes ☐ No ☑

If you answered **YES** to any of the items listed above, you are **REQUIRED TO SUBMIT** a Quality Assurance Project Plan in accordance with EPA Requirements and an approved QAPP must be in place ***prior*** to the initiation of activities. You will be contacted with information on how to prepare your QAPP. In the meantime you can visit the website http://www.epa.gov/ogd/grants/assurance.htm which provides guidance on what must be submitted for grants/cooperative agreements.