

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

Housing Services for Adult Redeploy Illinois (ARI) Participants
Effingham County

SECTION 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Issuing Entity: Effingham County Adult Redeploy Illinois (ARI) Program

Funding Source: Adult Redeploy Illinois (ARI) – ICJIA

RFP Title: Housing Services for ARI Participants

RFP Issue Date: May 5, 2026

Proposal Due Date & Time: May 15, 2026 by 5:00 PM CST

Submission Method: Email (PDF) to 4thcircuitredeploy@gmail.com

RFP Contact: Meredith Stewart – 4thcircuitredeploy@gmail.com

Funding Contingency: This RFP is contingent upon receipt of ARI grant funding. No contract will be awarded without funding approval.

SECTION 2. PURPOSE OF THE RFP

The purpose of this RFP is to solicit proposals from qualified providers to deliver housing services for justice-involved individuals participating in ARI programs. Services must support diversion from incarceration, housing stability, and successful program participation.

SECTION 3. PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The ARI program serves justice-involved individuals at moderate to high risk of reoffending. Housing instability is a primary barrier to compliance and successful program completion. Providers will work with probation, courts, and treatment partners.

SECTION 4. SCOPE OF SERVICES

Services may include:

- Transitional or recovery housing
- Emergency or bridge housing

- Housing navigation and placement
- Coordination with supervision and treatment providers
- Housing retention support

SECTION 5. TARGET POPULATION

Participants are justice-involved individuals who are probation-eligible, at moderate/high risk, and experiencing housing instability.

SECTION 6. VENDOR QUALIFICATIONS

Vendors must demonstrate:

- Experience serving justice-involved or high-need populations
- Capacity to provide housing placements
- Ability to coordinate with court/probation systems
- Adequate insurance coverage

SECTION 7. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Proposals must include:

- A. Organizational Information
- B. Program Narrative
- C. Budget Proposal
- D. Required Attachments

SECTION 8. BUDGET & COST REQUIREMENTS

Costs must be allowable, reasonable, allocable, and documented. Payment will be reimbursement-based.

SECTION 9. PERFORMANCE MEASURES & OUTCOMES

Providers must track:

- Housing placement rate
- Housing retention

- Support for compliance

SECTION 10. DATA-SHARING & CONFIDENTIALITY

Providers must comply with confidentiality laws and participate in data-sharing agreements.

SECTION 11. EVALUATION CRITERIA

Proposals will be evaluated on experience, service quality, cost, capacity, and compliance.

SECTION 12. SELECTION PROCESS

The program reserves the right to reject proposals, select one or multiple vendors, and negotiate terms.

SECTION 13. CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

Selected vendors must execute a contract and comply with all ARI requirements.

SECTION 14. TIMELINE

RFP Issued: May 5, 2026

Proposals Due: May 15, 2026

Award: By June 30, 2026

Start Date: July 1, 2026

SECTION 15. QUESTIONS

Submit questions to the RFP contact by May 12, 2026.