

### Online Package Submission vs. Online Text Entry Examples

**Budget Narrative File(s)**

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\* Mandatory Budget Narrative Filename:

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To add more Budget Narrative attachments, please use the attachment buttons below.

**Figure 1: Online Package.** A section of a grants.gov application file. The budget narrative is formatted as a pdf (complete with any desired colors, text sizes, borders, charts, photos, etc.) and added to the application file. The application file is submitted through the grants.gov electronic submission system.

<p>Overview of Project</p> <p>(No input required)</p> <p><b>*Overview of Proposed Project</b> (Paragraph; 2000 character maximum) Instructions: • Provide an overview of the proposed project and CETF investment. State in 1-3 cogent, concise paragraphs what the project is intended to accomplish, why it is important and the overall approach. Make sure that the reader can easily discern from this section exactly what the project is about—informing the reader about the "who, what, how, when and why" such that if this section were included in a public document that the media would immediately understand why and how your project will make a difference in accelerating the deployment and adoption of broadband technology, helping to close the Digital Divide in California.</p> <p>If additional space is needed, you may continue your response in the "Additional Space" field below.</p>	<p>Instructions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•</li></ul> <p><b>WHO</b> EmpowerNet California (ENC), a collaborative initially comprised of four successful social enterprise and community technology organizations, proposes to create for statewide distribution a comprehensive Toolkit that provides underserved communities with the capacity to create dynamic IT training systems that are strengthened and sustained through IT social enterprises.</p> <p>In addition to the founding Collaborative members, subject matter and technical experts will assist ENC to identify best practices for inclusion in, and production of, the Toolkit.</p> <p><b>WHY</b> As technology advances increase in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, the growing digital divide threatens the state of California's social fabric and dramatically lessens its potential for social and economic development. ENC is uniquely positioned to use its knowledge, network, and experience to overcome this crippling inequity and ensure that underserved communities throughout California benefit from broadband and other technological opportunities available now and in the future.</p>
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**Figure 2: Online Text.** An example of an online text entry system. The narrative content is on the right side and only plain text is permitted (i.e. no formatting, charts, photos, graphs, etc.) The grant is submitted online from within a web browser.