



Northwest Alliance Community Foundation

An Affiliate of the St. Croix Valley Foundation

Growing our communities through your gifts

On behalf of Northwest Alliance Community Foundation (NACF), we are pleased to announce that for our fall grant giving cycle, we will be selecting one nonprofit organization to receive \$4000.

Grant Guidelines:

Grants considered by NACF are generally awarded to organizations that meet the following guidelines:

1. The project or services proposed must be in our area, defined as north of Highway 8 in Polk County and all of Burnett County
2. Grantees need to be a 501c3 non-profit group or tax-exempt organization. Requests should be related to the organization's mission.
3. No more than 1 grant will be awarded per group or organization per year.
4. The grant request must be for future expenses, not costs already incurred by the group or organization, and must be used within 1 year of receiving the funds.
5. Proposals should include a clear statement of how the grant will have an impact on their project.
6. Grantees will be required to submit a brief written report (1 page) summarizing the results of the project, including the number of individuals impacted, along with a final financial report detailing how the grant money was spent. Photos and a success story are appreciated.
7. Grantees agree to acknowledge NACF in all communication about the grant.

We generally don't cover:

- General operating expenses
- Salaries
- General requests

We tend to award:

- specific requests
- special projects
- unique ideas

Total being given out this Cycle: \$4000 to 1 organization

Priority Area of Interest: Family and Children

All eligible applicants will be ranked on the following criteria: (Maximum points)

- Organization Description (10 Points)
- Community Need (20 Points)
- Goals, activities and outcomes (20 Points)
- Implementation and Management of Funds (20 Points)
- Use of funds (20 Points)
- Other (10 Points)

All applications are due by October 11, 2019. Applications may be emailed to nacf.npgrants@gmail.com or be postmarked by October 11th, 2019 and mailed to:

Northwest Alliance Community Foundation

P.O. Box 111

Frederic, WI 54837

nacf.npgrants@gmail.com

Grants will be awarded on or before December 30th, 2019



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GRANT APPLICATION

Name of Organization _____

Contact Person _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Is your organization a:

- 501c3 (Please attach documentation or letter of regarding tax exemption status)
- Unit of Government
- School (Applications must be signed by the superintendent)
- 170b, 1a description
- Other - Please specify fiscal sponsor _____

Is your Organization name the same as it appears on your IRS Letter of Determination?

- Yes
- No (explain) _____

Organization EIN # _____

Amount of funding requested: _____ Total project/program budget: _____

Have you previously received a NACF grant? ___ no ___ yes* If yes, when: _____

(*Please note: NACF must have your final report in order for your new application to be accepted)

Briefly describe the purpose of your funding request (1-2 sentences).

Name of Organization _____

GRANT APPLICATION – Narrative
(Please answer the following questions. 3 pages maximum).

1. Describe your organization, including your mission, history, goals and accomplishments.
2. What is the need in our community that you hope to meet? Please include evidence of community support for this project.
3. Describe your project goals, activities and what you hope to accomplish. How will you measure your goals?
4. Who will be involved with the implementation of this project and what are their responsibilities?
5. Please attach a budget or include an itemized description of how these funds will be used. If NACF is unable to fully fund your request, will your organization be able to implement the project/program, and if so, how? How will this project be supported in the future?
6. If awarded the grant, how will you acknowledge NACF?

Authorization:

I approve submission of the proposal. I agree to spend any funds awarded as described in this proposal and will allow the Northwest Alliance Community Foundation to verify.

Print name of top paid staff/board chair: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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1. Grant Application
2. IRS letter of determination if 501(c)(3) or evidence that organization is tax exempt.

Grant Application Deadline – October 11th, 2019

Any questions regarding this grant application should be directed to nacf.npgrants@gmail.com