

Wyoming Community Grant Program

Wyoming Community Gas

Guidelines

Mission:

To wisely invest Wyoming Community Grants in programs that enhance quality of life with community projects in the Wyoming Choice Gas program service areas.

Qualifying Projects

- Arts and Culture
- Community Improvement

Qualifying Criteria

- **Grants cannot be used for operations, salaries or to supplement the general fund.**
- **Grant monies must be used within one (1) year. Progress reports are to be submitted to the Wyoming Community Gas office quarterly with completion documentation, including pictures, for a final project report.**
- Governmental entities and agencies (such as cities and towns) and organizations exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) or 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Service Code may apply.
- If a charitable organization, the organization must be in full compliance with all federal, state, and local laws or regulations.
- Project must address community-related issues in communities in the Wyoming Choice Gas program area.
- Grants generally will not be given to private foundations.
- Grants will not be given to individual persons.
- Grants will not be given to tax-supported organizations or religious groups and churches, except for programs or projects that broadly benefit the community.
- Grants will not be given to individual pre-college schools or individual pre-college school foundations.

Grant Requests Should Include The Following Information:

- Completed Wyoming Community Grant Request Form
- Completed Wyoming Community Grant Project Questionnaire
- Total fund-raising goal for the project.
- Organization's mission statement.
- Organization's project budget and primary sources of funding.
- List of the organization's directors and/or list of project committee members.
- A copy of the organization's 501(c)(3) or 501(c)(6) tax-exempt status from the IRS.
- A copy of the organization's W-9 form, which verifies its taxpayer identification number.
- If a request is from a city or town, then a Resolution passed by the council must be attached.
- Written permission from property owner if property to be used is not private (i.e. city, county, state, or federal).
- If an entity is any form of a corporation, a certificate of corporate status must be provided.

Grant requests must be mailed to Wyoming Community Gas (2348 SW Topeka Blvd., Suite 203, Topeka, KS 66611) **postmarked no later than January 31, 2021**. Grant requests will be reviewed by the Wyoming Community Grants committee in March who will make recommendations to the WCG Board of Directors.

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