

CCCF - 2023 Spring Grant Cycle *Chaffee County*

Grants Portal

Question Group

Application Name*

Name of Project or Request.

Character Limit: 50

Tax Exemption Status*

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Choices

501c3 Organization

Project under the fiscal sponsorship of a 501c3 organization

501c6 Tax Exempt Organization

501c4 Organization

Have you received a grant from CCCF in the past year?*

Choices

Yes

No

If you have received a grant from CCCF, has your banking information changed?*

Choices

Yes

No

N/A

Tax Letter*

Please upload your IRS determination letter.

File Size Limit: 5 MB

Amount Requested*

This is the amount you are requesting from the 2023 Spring Grant program. *Character Limit: 20*

Type of Organization*

All 501c3 non-profit organizations serving Buena Vista and Salida will be applying for general operating support. All other organizations may apply for project support. Those eligible to apply for project support include faith-based organizations, regional organizations (those with 50%+ populations served located outside of Buena Vista or Salida), nonprofit organizations holding a 501c4 or 501c6 designation, and government entities. Please select the type of organization and the appropriate questions will follow.

Two of the most common types of grants are project grants and general operating grants (also called general support or unrestricted grants). Project grants support a specific project or activity of the grantee, and are tied to a specific, project-based outcomes; general operating grants support an organization's overall activities, including operating expenses and overhead. Not clear on the difference between operating support and projects? Watch this great 3-minute video.

Choices

501c3 Nonprofit Organization

Faith Based Organization

Statewide or Regional Organizations (Those with 50%+ population served located outside of Buena Vista & Salida)

Government Entity

501c4 or 501c6 organization

% of people to be served who are residents of Buena Vista.*

Character Limit: 3

% of people to be served who are residents of Salida.*

% of people to be served who are residents of another entity.* *Character Limit: 3*

Please select the focus area of your project: *

Please select all that apply.

- Agriculture
- Animal Welfare
- Arts
- Child Care
- Disaster preparedness
- Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion
- Economic Development
- Education
- Environment
- Food Security
- Healthcare
- Housing
- People in Crisis
- People with physical, sensory or mental disabilities
- Older Adults/Aging Community
- Recreation
- Workforce Development
- Youth Development

Please upload Profit & Loss Statement for the most recently completed Fiscal Year.*

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Please upload Balance Sheet Statement for the most recently completed Fiscal Year*

File Size Limit: 5 MB

2022 Community Grants Report

If you received funding in 2022 from the Municipal Community Grants, please ensure that your grant report has been submitted.

Project based funding for faith-based or non 501c3 grantees should complete the report here: <https://forms.gle/nrWymvY2WBeBWSeP9>

Operating support grantees should complete the report here: <https://forms.gle/EZ4KEF3ixLEPUTF29>

Please note the grant report is due by 12/31/2023. Receipt of this grant report by CCCF is required before the organization can be considered for funding in 2023.

Did you complete your grant report?

Yes

No

W9*

Please upload a W9 dated in the past 3 years

Blank W9

File Size Limit: 5 MB

Fiscal Sponsor Information

Upload Fiscal Sponsorship agreement here

File Size Limit: 5 MB

General Operating Support

Organization's Mission Statement*

A few sentences that reflect the mission and vision of your organization.

Character Limit: 1000

Describe what your organization does.*

Please be sure to include:

- The need it is meant to address.
- The specific programs and activities it undertakes to meet the need (including the who, what, when, where and how of your activities.)

Character Limit: 5000

What impact are you anticipating to have this year?*

Describe the outcomes your organization hopes to achieve. Please include specific, measurable, time-bound changes that will take place due to your programs. Outcomes typically reflect a change in attitude, knowledge, behavior or other measurable impact. Examples:

Change In Knowledge: "100 children will learn to read over the 6 month program period as a result of our tutoring program as measured by tutor administered before and after assessments."

Change In Behavior: "Waste reduction will increase by 50% in Chaffee County over the next 6 months as measured by a 50% increase in the number of people signed up for recycling and the volume of diverted waste."

Change In Attitude: "30 young adults will experience increased self confidence after participating in the theater performance as measured by self surveys."

Change In Measurable Impact: "Pollinator desert landscapes will decrease by 10% as a result of the Bee Friendly Campaign as measured by the number of grass yards converted to pollinator friendly spaces."

Looking for more information on how to describe your impact? Check this article on NonProfit Impact.

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How do you determine the impact of what you do?*

Please describe how you measure the impact of your activities. Please include your evaluation approach, data from the previous year and what you hope to achieve in the coming year.

Character Limit: 5000

Please describe the population the organization serves.*

Specifically, identify any and all unique needs of the population served and how your organization strives to break down barriers for those who need your services the most.

Character Limit: 5000

How does the community benefit from your services?*

Describe how your work benefits the community at large. Please include how you collaborate with other organizations and how your services are different or compliment other organizations.

Character Limit: 5000

Organization Budget*

Please upload a board approved operating budget for the current fiscal year that includes revenues and expenses. *File Size Limit: 10 MB*

Project Support

Project's Mission Statement*

Please share the Statement of Purpose for the Project if there is not a project specific mission statement.

Character Limit: 1000

Describe your project.*

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