

# 2022 Spring Discretionary Grant Cycle

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## *Community Foundation of Abilene*

### **Project Name\***

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### **Amount Requested**

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### **Type of Funding**

Please select the most appropriate description for the funding request.

- Seed/Pilot – innovations/start-up funding
- Project/Program Support – a specific program/project within your organization
- Capacity Building – creating more, higher-quality and/or more sustainable services (assessment, expansion, resource development, etc.)
- Capital – small capital (equipment, buildings, vehicles) or capital campaigns
- General Operating Support – day-to-day costs of running your organization (office space, staff salaries, marketing materials, etc.)

### **Choices**

Seed/Pilot

Project/Program Support

Capacity Building

Capital

General Operating Support

### **Amount Awarded**

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## *Description/Results*

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Describe how the grant addressed a need, a problem, or increased the organization's capacity to deliver services.\*

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Discuss the major objectives of this grant and how they were met.\*

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Explain any objectives that were not met.\*

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Describe how you measured the success of the program (e.g. numbers served, outcomes, community indicators, etc.).\*

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What difference did this grant make in the community and the population you are serving?\*

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If this project was undertaken in partnership with other community organizations, what were the opportunities and challenges of working this way?\*

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## *Future Plans*

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What is your plan for continuing, improving, expanding or terminating this program/project? (If continuing, how will it be funded?)\*

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Are there any components that could be improved through increased collaboration with other groups or organizations?\*

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## *Public Relations*

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Please include one or two anecdotes about how the project has affected the lives of individuals or made an impact in the community, if appropriate.

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Please attach articles publicizing your grant. Please attach as one file using the Fax to File feature, if necessary.

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Please submit photos that capture the essence of the grant as one file.

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Please write a short post describing the impact or outcome of your project. We would like to share this information via CFA social media and e-communication outlets.

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## *Financials*

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Were there any major changes in the grant funds from what was originally proposed? If so, please explain.\*

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Please attach all receipts for project expenditures. Please attach them as one file by using the Fax to File feature, if necessary.

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## *Grant Process*

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Building strong relationships with grantees is important to the Community Foundation of Abilene (CFA). Our goal is to be fair, respectful, and supportive of applicants and grantees during the application process.

We also intend to further the ability of organizations like yours to meet the needs of our community. We appreciate the opportunity to partner with you on this project and hope your organization and your constituents have benefited. In an effort to improve our effectiveness, we would appreciate feedback on your experience with the CFA.

Please provide any recommendations you have to improve the CFA grant process.

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What did you appreciate or enjoy most about the CFA grant process?

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If applicable, please feel free to offer other comments or suggestions for the CFA, outside of the grant process.

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