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Hello, below is a list of grants that may fit your community priorities. If you would like more information on a grant, contact Marla Quinn at [mquinn@ecia.org](mailto:mquinn@ecia.org). **Remember, ECIA staff can write grants and fundraise for your projects. Call 563-690-5703 today!**

Grant/Loan Program	Program Purpose	Due Date
<a href="#">Theisen's More for Your Community</a>	Annually makes grants to all 20 Theisen's store communities. The program grants to agencies that most effectively, directly serve the basic needs of families and children, which includes food, shelter, education, safety and health.	15-Aug-17
<a href="#">Dyersville Area Community Foundation</a>	The Dyersville Area Community Foundation makes grants to nonprofits with a 501 C (3) status that are located in the communities of Dyersville, Earlville, Farley, Luxemburg, New Vienna, Petersburg, and Worthington. Applications are available in June and due in August. Grants are awarded in September.	15-Aug-17
<a href="#">Anamosa Community Foundation</a>	Organizations applying for grant funding must be applying for a project which is specifically for Anamosa. The amount of funds available this year is \$5,000.	31-Aug-17
<a href="#">Alliant Energy Foundation - Community Grant</a>	All projects must fit into one of our three focus areas. Helping Families, Education, Environment. Our grant-making process is highly competitive. Grants from the Foundation typically range from \$500 to \$5,000, with an average grant of \$2,500. In 2016, the Foundation awarded 266 grants totaling more than \$656,000.	1-Sep-17
<a href="#">Alliant Energy Foundation - Hometown Safety Grant</a>	Hometown Safety Grants are awarded to organizations and projects that serve or protect the community. This includes police and fire departments, as well as schools, libraries and other public service organizations. The applicant needs to be either a registered 501(c)3 organization or affiliated with a city, town, village or local government. Grants can range from \$500 to \$2,000, with an average grant amount of \$1,500.	1-Sep-17
<a href="#">Iowa Brownfield/Grayfield Redevelopment Tax Credit Program</a>	Brownfield sites are abandoned, idled or underutilized industrial or commercial properties where real or perceived environmental contamination prevents productive expansion or redevelopment. Examples of Brownfield sites	1-Sep-17

	include former gas stations, dry cleaners, and other commercial operations that may have utilized products or materials potentially hazardous to the environment. Tax credits are available on an annual basis, with a maximum tax credit per project of \$1,000,000 and a \$10,000,000 maximum for each fiscal year. An audit of qualifying expenses from an independent Iowa certified public accountant is required prior to issuance of all tax credit certificates.	
<a href="#">RISE—Local Development</a>	Roadway paving, erosion control, modernization. Bridge and Culvert repair, Intersection/Interchange improvement.	1-Sep-17
<a href="#">National Endowment for the Arts – Our Town</a>	The Our Town grant program supports creative placemaking projects that help to transform communities into lively, beautiful, and resilient places – achieving these community goals through strategies that incorporate arts, culture, and/or design. Creative placemaking is when artists, arts organizations, and community development practitioners deliberately integrate arts and culture into community revitalization work – placing arts at the table with land-use, transportation, economic development, education, housing, infrastructure, and public safety strategies.	September 1 – SF424; September 25 – full app
<a href="#">Trees Forever – Iowa's Living Roadways – Projects</a>	Assists communities and counties in implementing needed transportation enhancement projects. Communities that have also participated in our Community Visioning program receive first priority for this assistance and funding, but it is not a prerequisite to apply for Projects funding.	Pre-Application/Full Application September 1/October 1
<a href="#">Baseball Tomorrow Fund</a>	The Baseball Tomorrow Fund (BTF) awards grants to non-profit and tax-exempt organizations involved in the operation of youth baseball and/or softball programs and facilities. Organizations operating in the U.S. and international locations are eligible to apply. Average grant size is \$40,000.	Review Cycle: July–September
<a href="#">Community Foundation of Jackson County</a>	We award grants in the priority areas of community development, diversity, education, our environment, health and human services, children, youth, families and senior citizens, arts and culture including historic preservation, and wellness projects.	3–Oct–17
<a href="#">Jones County Community Foundation</a>	Focuses its grants on improving economic well-being and quality of life for Jones County residents. This includes improving educational opportunities, community capital improvements, tourism and recreation and maintaining Jones County heritage. A 25% cash match is required.	15–Oct–17
<a href="#">Community Attraction and Tourism (CAT)</a>	The Community Attraction and Tourism (CAT) program was created to assist projects that will provide recreational, cultural, entertainment and educational attractions. Projects must be available to the general public for public use and be primarily vertical infrastructure.	16–Oct–17

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