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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. **Remember, ECIA staff can write grants and fundraise for your projects. Call 563-690-5703 today!**

Grant/Loan Program	Program Purpose	Due Date
AARP Community Challenge	Projects need to deliver on one or all of the following drivers for change: Improve a community's built environment to benefit people of all ages and ability levels and connect to the social environment; Expand opportunities for all residents, such as through jobs, volunteerism, educational opportunities and training; Drive community engagement and interaction across diverse community residents via, for instance, efforts in the domains of culture and art, local communications, public spaces and placemaking, sports, education, well-being, healthy living, etc.	15-Jul-17
Mediacom Arts and Culture Grants	Provides funding annually to Dubuque arts and "non-arts organizations" to support a distinct aspect of the organization's arts activities, such as a one-time event, a single production, an exhibition, an educational seminar, or series of related arts activities, such as art classes or training sessions.	31-Jul-17
Eastern Iowa Regional Housing Corporation	The mission of the EIRHC Housing Trust Fund is to assist in the provision of providing decent, safe and affordable housing, as well as providing access to the resources for creating housing opportunities to the families served in eastern Iowa. The emphasis is to provide economic assistance to benefit the -moderate, very low, and extremely low-income residents of Dubuque, Delaware, Jackson, Cedar and Clinton Counties for a variety of housing needs.	1-Aug-17
REAP—County Conservation	Land easements/acquisition, capital improvements, stabilization/protection of resources, repair/upgrade facilities.	15-Aug-17
REAP—City Parks & Open Spaces	Park land expansion and multipurpose recreational developments. NO matching funds required.	15-Aug-17
Theisen's More for Your Community	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	15-Aug-17

	children, which includes food, shelter, education, safety and health.	
Dyersville Area Community Foundation	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
Anamosa Community Foundation	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
Alliant Energy Foundation – Community Grant	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
Trees Forever – Iowa's Living Roadways – Projects	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
Baseball Tomorrow Fund	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

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