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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. Due dates and program purpose are subject to change - always refer to the program website for up-to-date information.

Grant/Loan Program	Program Purpose	Due Date
<u>Dupaco Foundation First-Time</u> <u>Homebuyer Grant</u>	The First-Time Homebuyer Grant is a one-time financial contribution of \$1,000 that will be applied toward the down payment of a mortgage loan at the time of closing.	Rolling until funds are depleted
Community Foundation of Cedar County	Fall Matching Grant Cycle: Organizations eligible to receive these awards will have to provide proof of a dollar-for-dollar match for a project. Matching funds shall consist of dollars acquired through an organization's fundraising or private solicitation efforts. They may not include funds from normal operating budgets or other grants.	10-Oct-25
Jones County Community Foundation	Jones County Community Foundation grants to projects benefiting persons residing in Jones County, Iowa. Our priorities include economic well-being, quality of life, educational opportunities, tourism and recreation, and Jones County heritage preservation.	15-Oct-25

Walmart - Spark Good Local Grants	Local grants are designed to support local organizations that meet the unique needs of the communities where we operate, build pride among all associates, and deepen relationships with our customers. Each year, Walmart U.S. stores, Sam's Clubs and Distribution Centers award local cash grants ranging from \$250 to \$5000.	15-Oct-25
Georgia-Pacific Grant	We use our Four E focus areas (Education, Enrichment of Community, Entrepreneurship and Environment) as guideposts for giving in ways that strengthen our communities. This applies to grants for nonprofit organizations and decision-making around employee participation in company-sponsored volunteer programs.	31-Oct-25
Black Hills Energy Power of Trees	Grants of up to \$5,000 per project for community-based tree planting projects in Iowa communities that are served by Black Hills Energy.	1-Nov-25
Trees Forever - Alliant Energy's Community Trees	Grants up to \$5,000 (per community) for community-based tree planting projects in Iowa or Wisconsin communities where Alliant Energy provides electric and/or natural gas service.	1-Nov-25
REAP Conservation Education Program (CEP) Large Grant Application	Applicants can apply for funding that supports hands on interactive types of educational experiences (ie. workshops, trainings, field trips, classroom activities) or passive education experiences (ie. interpretive or wayside signs, brochures or video programming, education center exhibits).	17-Nov-25

RJ McElroy Trust	The McElroy Trust only supports programs, projects or endeavors that help young people. We promise to work with you and be as flexible as we can with the timing of your proposal. If you aren't ready to submit for one meeting, we can review your grant at the next. Do not hesitate to call or email us with questions about timing. We can help you decide what is right for you and your organization.	24-Nov-25
AED Buy Down Grant Program	Just fill in the one page application, email to Review@AEDGrant.com, fax, or mail in todayapproval is usually received within 1-3 weeks.	Rolling

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