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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 are subject to change – always refer to the program website for up-to-date information.

Grant/Loan Program	Program Purpose	Due Date
KaBoom Let's Play Community Construction Grants	Community construction grants. Dr Pepper Snapple & KaBOOM! have teamed up to offer \$15,000 grants to be used toward the purchase of playground equipment. Playgrounds must be assembled and installed using the KaBOOM! community-build model.	Funder recommends submitting Parts I and II of your application by mid-January. Check website for updates on 2018 deadlines or subscribe to their Grant Alerts to receive email notifications.
Community Attraction and Tourism (CAT)	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. A competitive project has 80% of the funds for the project raised. Recent awards have been 12-15% of total project costs.	16-Jan-18
National Endowment for the Arts - Big Read	NEA Big Read annually supports approximately 75 dynamic community reading programs, each designed around a single NEA Big Read selection. Organizations selected to participate in NEA Big Read receive a grant, access to online training resources and opportunities, digital resources, and promotional materials designed to support widespread community involvement. Eligible organizations may apply for a grant ranging from \$5,000 to \$15,000.	24-Jan-18
Community Catalyst Building Remediation Program (Pre-Application)	Provides grants to communities for the redevelopment, rehabilitation or deconstruction of buildings to stimulate economic growth or reinvestment in the community. Strong applications will show the potential of catalytic economic growth in the community; improve appearances & safety; make use of underutilized property, exhibit appropriate design standards; and be well-funded. Economic growth may include the creation of additional jobs, growth of new or existing businesses, development of new housing units, increase property values, or potential population growth. It is strongly advised to submit pre-applications well before the due date.	29-Jan-18
US Bank - Charitable Giving	Strong communities are built upon strong foundations. To build those strong foundations, U.S. Bank invests in innovative programs designed	31-Jan-18

	to serve local community needs. We add strength and vitality to our communities through the U.S. Bank Foundation, Employee Matching Gift Program, Dollars for Doing and Corporate Contributions. Foundation program areas include: Work - Workforce Education & Economic Prosperity; Home - Neighborhood Stability & Revitalization; Play - Arts & Culture Places to Play.	
Foundation for the Future of Delaware County	Each year the Foundation for the Future of Delaware County accepts applications for grants for community development, community promotions, community education and similar matters. The grant shall be for the benefit of persons residing in Delaware County, Iowa. Entities that have a 501(c)3 designation by the Internal Revenue Service or schools or municipalities are eligible to apply for these funds.	31-Jan-18
Clif Bar Family Foundation - Small grants	These grants are awarded for general organizational support as well as funding for specific projects. Small grants average approximately \$7,000 each. Priority is given to applicants that: Address our funding priorities from a holistic perspective Protect Earth's beauty and bounty; Create a robust, healthy food system; Increase opportunities for outdoor activity; Reduce environmental health hazards; Build stronger communities.	1-Feb-18
RISE—Local Development	Roadway paving, erosion control, modernization. Bridge and Culvert repair, Intersection/Interchange improvement.	1-Feb-18
Community Foundation of Cedar County	The Foundation makes grants only to non-profit organizations preferably with 501(c)(3) status or qualified governmental agencies. This spring, grants are available up to \$7,500. Grants are NOT awarded in the following areas: annual fund raising, organizational endowment funds, deficit financing, grants to individuals, or for sectarian purposes.	15-Feb-18
Paint Iowa Beautiful	Through a partnership with Diamond Vogel Paint of Orange City, Iowa groups can receive paint for community enhancement projects through our paint grant program.	16-Feb-18
The Wellmark Foundation - MATCH Grant Program - Large Grant	The Matching Assets to Community Health grant program supports sustainable projects that: Increase access to and consumption of nutritious foods; or Promote safe and healthy environments that encourage activity. Challenge grants to be matched 100 percent up to \$100,000.	23-Feb-18
Dubuque Racing Association	The Dubuque Racing Association, Ltd. Hopes to support a broad range of not-for-profit organizations, which fall into these general categories: Education; Health and human services; Arts, culture, and recreation; Civic and community development; Promotion of dog, horse, or other livestock-breeding industries. Grants are typically due in late February. Check the website in January for 2018 information.	28-Feb-18
Havlife Memorial Foundation	HAVlife™ grants to other 501(c)3 organizations to support youth in the community, specifically, supporting youth ages 10 to 15 in activities related	Rolling

	to arts, music and athletics. Tri-States Chapter covers Clinton, Delaware, Dubuque, and Jackson Counties	
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-Mar-18
Trees Forever - Iowa's Living Roadways - Projects - Pre App	Program goals include helping smaller communities compete for additional funds to enhance their transportation corridors for residents and travelers alike, and beautification of communities through the use of native plants to provide for lower long-term maintenance and costs.	1-Mar-18
Minnesota Twins Community Fund - Fields for Kids	The purpose of this program is to improve baseball and/or softball facilities for youth in the Upper Midwest and southwest Florida by supporting the renovation or construction of fields primarily used by youth.	9-Mar-18

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