WYOMING GRANT OPPORTUNITIES



Dear Playground Enthusiasts: We are delighted to bring you an annual update of available Grants for your state. Luckydog Recreation has your best interest at heart so please do not hesitate to use our expertise to help you get playground/athletic equipment and bicycle equipment grants. Have a question? Call your state's creative play designer. We can help!

Regional Opportunities:

Community Foundation of Jackson Hole: Grant program that provides funding to schools, public charities, and religious organizations. Grant funds must be used in Teton County, Wyoming. Click Here **Amount:** Varies

Deadline: October 3 - October 28

Rocky Mountain Power Grants: As the philanthropic arm of Rocky Mountain Power, the Foundation of the same name serves the growth and vitality of communities in Utah, Wyoming, and Southeastern Idaho. The Foundation limits its grants to charitable organizations with 501(c)3 tax-exemption status, but eligibility is further restricted to programs listed below: Click Here

- Educational and research organizations both public and private, from early childhood through university level (proposals due March 15)
- Environment, civic and community enhancement and other organizations not covered in other categories (due June 15)
- Arts and culture organizations dedicated to performing arts, visual arts, historic preservation, cross-cultural education and related (due September 15)
- Health, safety, and wellness organizations including youth organizations, senior citizen centers, dependency and prevention programs and related (due December 15)

Amount: \$2,000-\$5,000 Deadline: Varies, see above

State-Wide:

Peter Kiewit Foundation: The Foundation awards two types of grants: general purpose grants and small grants. The Peter Kiewit Foundation funds programs, facilities, and capital projects. There are no limitations on the size or duration of the grants that may be requested for general purpose grants. The Foundation gives preference for funding requests in the community of Omaha Nebraska and within 100 miles of it. Two applications can be submitted by any applicant for two separate projects, in any 12-month period. Click Here **Amount:** Up to 50% of total project cost for organizations with 501(c) (3) tax-exempt status **Deadline:** January 15, April 15, July 15, October 15

Walmart Community Programs: Walmart Foundation's key areas of focus, Sustainability, Opportunity, Community and Racial Equality. Through the Community Grant Program, Walmart supports the needs of their communities by providing grants to local organizations. Look at their eligibility guide. Click Here Amount: \$250 to \$5,000 Deadline: Grant cycle 2-1 to 12-31

Martin Family Foundation Grant: A Christian organization that espouses 501(c)3 non-profits that fit their mission to foster family value and develop assets within communities. Before submitting a full grant proposal, organizations will need to send a Letter of Inquiry. Click Here Amount: Varies

Deadline: July 12 (Letter of Inquiry), August 23 (Full Proposal), December 14 (Letter of Inquiry)

Myra Fox Skelton Foundation: Grants are offered to organizations operating in Wyoming rendering services to and benefiting youth, health, education, and religion. Click Here Amount: \$2,000 to \$10,000 Deadline: July 12 (Letter of Inquiry), August 23 (Full Proposal), December 14 (Letter of Inquiry)

National Opportunities:

Playcore: Grant opportunities are available to help fund playground projects. Contact Playcore for a comprehensive funding guide for local communities, cities, and states. Click Here

Amount: Varies Deadline: Rolling

Bank of America: Working in partnership with community leaders, Bank of America's local market leadership directs the majority of our giving through local grants that address pressing social, economic, and cultural needs of communities across their global footprint. Through their signature philanthropic program, the Neighborhood Excellence Initiative™, they enhance non-profits' ability to serve more individuals and families in need and develop non-profit visionaries, local heroes, and students as the community leaders of today and tomorrow. Click Here

Amount: Varies Deadline: Check website

American Express: One of the three divisions of American Express grant program includes community service which could be a good fit for playground installations. Check out their website to learn more about projects that have been funded, initiatives and how to apply. Click Here

Amount: Varies Deadline: Varies

Dog Park Fund: Grants will be awarded to US-based, organized non-profit Dog Park Groups. The fund will be generously supported by monetary donations from the general public. Quarterly, My Darling Theo Foundation will have a call for grant submissions, and America will vote over the internet for the winners. The grant will be awarded bi-annually and is distributed to the winning organized non-profit Dog Park Community Group. Click Here **Amount:** Varies **Deadline:** Bi-annual **Costco Wholesale:** Costco Wholesale's primary charitable efforts specifically focus on programs supporting children, education, and health and human services in the communities where we do business. Only 501(c)(3) non-profit organizations, which meet our giving guidelines and focus areas, are considered. Click Here **Amount:** Varies **Deadline:** Rolling

W.K. Kellogg Foundation: Guided by the belief that all children should have an equal opportunity to thrive, WKKF works with communities to create conditions for vulnerable children so they can realize their full potential in school, work and life. Click Here Amount: Varies Deadline: Rolling

Dr. Scholl's Grant: Funding nationwide in the areas of education, social services, healthcare, civic and culture, and environmental. Proposals are not limited to only these areas as other proposals will be accepted. Grant cycles are annually reviewed and due between October and March. Click Here
Amount: \$5,000-\$25,000
Deadline: Form available October 1st, submit by March 1

Good Sports: Grants available to organizations that directly serve youth in an economically disadvantaged area, and operates an organized sport, recreational activity, or fitness program. Click Here Amount: Varies Deadline: Rolling

Wells Fargo Corporate Giving: Forty-four states served by Wells Fargo are eligible to apply for the Wells Fargo Corporate Giving Grant. Local contact information can be found by following the link for state-specific giving requests. Click Here Amount: Varies Deadline: Rolling

Christopher and Dana Reeve Quality of Life Grant: The Christopher and Dana Reeve Foundation funds a variety of programs that meet one of the three key areas of priority funding: Actively Achieving, Bridging Barriers, or Caring and Coping. Non-profit organizations, municipal governments, school districts, tribal entities, or community organizations. Applicants should show proof of providing individuals with disabilities opportunities to participate in activities that engage both the body and mind. These activities should include personal growth and nurture independence. Click Here **Amount:** \$25,000 **Deadline:** Rolling

Shade Structure Grant: The American Academy of Dermatology's (AAD) Shade Structure Program awards funds to schools, day-cares, parks, and other non-profit organizations for installing permanent shade structures where children learn and play. Click Here **Amount:** Up to \$8,000 **Deadline:** Awards are made in March **Campbell Soup Foundation:** The Campbell Soup Foundation focuses its giving on three strategic areas including: Encouraging healthy living through nutrition education and physical activity and nurturing Campbell neighborhoods by transforming the physical spaces where people live, learn, and play. As of 2019, the Foundation has moved to an invitation-only grant process, see requirements at the website. Click Here **Amount:** Varies **Deadline:** By invitation

Staples: 2 Million & Change: Must make a connection with a Staples associate and request nomination of your organization to be eligible to apply for grant opportunity. Click Here Amount: Varies Deadline: See associate

T-Mobile: Must be shovel-ready and include plans, budget, timeline, anticipated impact, and up to five letters of support. Elected officials, town managers/employees, tribal leaders, or nonprofit community leaders from small towns with population less than 50,000 can apply. Eligible projects include technology upgrades, outdoor spaces, the arts, and community centers. Click Here

Amount: Up to \$50,000 Deadline: Quarterly , last day of each quarter starting in January

Fundraising:

Fred Meyer Community Rewards: Your patrons, parents, supporters, link their Rewards Card to your non-profit. Earn a quarterly donation by enrolling your non-profit at the customer service kiosk at your local Fred Meyer store. Click Here

GoFundMe: You can either create personal campaigns or Charity Fundraising quickly and simply through this website. Click Here

Little Caesars Pizza Kit Fundraising Program: Raise money through selling bake-at-home pizza kits from Little Caesars. Click Here

Otis Spunkmeyer Fundraising: Fundraising with Otis Spunkmeyer is more than just cookie dough; you can sell cakes and brownies as well and earn money for your group. Click Here

Box Tops 4 Education: Your school's Box Tops Coordinator will collect all the box tops and send them in – your school receives a check twice a year. Click Here

Chuffed: Crowdfunding source as a way to raise money for your upcoming projects. Click Here

Funding Factory: Send in toner and ink in exchange for payment. Click Here