

Neighborhood Matching Grants!

Open Now through October 31

The City of Eugene Neighborhood Matching Grant cycle is open now through October 31st with \$50,000 available for neighborhood improvement and community-building projects. Community involvement and building relationships are key components and are encouraged by requiring that the project budget include a match amount equal to, or greater than, the grant request. Demonstrating responsible stewardship of our community assets while balancing our community's social and environmental values are additional components of any project proposal submitted.

Grant guidelines and application materials are available on the City's web site, www.eugene-or.gov/nmg, and at the Permit and Information Center located at 99 W 10th or by calling Cindy Koehler at 541-682-5272.

A project description and estimated budget are required for the pre-review process to check for consistency with grant guidelines and existing plans and policies of the City and other partner agencies. Pre-review also ensures applicants submit a competitive final application.

Final applications are due on Tuesday, January 17, 2017. Awards will be announced in April 2017.

Consider [Applying](#) to be a Member of the Grants Department Advisory Committee! The DAC is responsible for reviewing neighborhood grant applications and making recommendations to the City for funding projects. The review process includes independent review of each application and then attending one or two meetings to meet with the grant applicants to discuss any questions the DAC may have regarding the project or the budget submitted as part of the project. After meeting with the applicants the DAC meets one more time to discuss the scores each member gave to the projects and form a recommendation for funding. Staff then present those recommendations to the Eugene City Council for final funding approval. The DAC usually meets in late February and may continue meeting in March to wrap up the process.

 [More Information/ Application](#)

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