

COMMUNITY Beautification Works!!



Growing communities one idea at a time.

The Project Process

- Call for Proposals are sent out to communities in the Community Futures Southwest Service Region;
- Proposals **MUST BE RECEIVED BY JUNE 12, 2010**
- Project Evaluation Committee will evaluate each community proposal and determine the winning proposals **by June 30, 2010**;
- Each winning community will be contacted and the details of the project and respective time frames will be discussed with each project contact person;
- Formal announcements and press releases will be released immediately following contacting winning communities;
- When project details have been confirmed, Community Futures Southwest staff and volunteers along with community volunteers will work together over the course of 2 days;
- Community Projects must be completed by:

Outdoor Projects- **no later than September 30, 2010**

Indoor Projects- **no later than December 31, 2010**;

Project Description

The ***COMMUNITY BEAUTIFICATION WORKS*** project will be implemented by the Community Futures Southwest staff and community volunteers in ***five*** chosen communities within the Community Futures Southwest service region. Eligible Projects will be considered up to a ***maximum of \$ 2,000.00*** under two categories: community beautification and community project assistance.

Eligible Projects

Community Beautification

- Exterior/interior painting of key business/community locations;
- Beautification of other key community areas;
- Community clean up i.e.: cleaning and planting flowers etc;
- Painting signage;
- Any other creative esthetic initiatives not listed above.

Community Project Assistance

- Community project assistance on new or existing initiatives, such as community strategic planning assistance, community marketing and promotional items, investment attraction documents;
- Any other community projects that have an economic and/or business development focus.

Examples are currently posted on our web site @ www.scfdc.com

Ineligible Projects

- Projects that only benefit one business or group;
- Projects that require extensive construction and/or must be completed by professionals;
- Projects that do not support a co-operative and collaborative effort.

Please describe your project:

What tasks are involved in completing this project?

How did the idea for this project come about?

Who will benefit from the project?

Will your group be working alone or in partnership with others?

Please list other groups/partnerships involved (if applicable):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Project Budget

Expenses:

_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$ _____

Revenue:

A 50% contribution, either financial or in-kind, from the applicant and partners is required. List other sources of funding that have been requested or received. Indicate if the contributions are financial or in kind.

_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ _____

Difference between expenses and revenue: \$ _____

Funding requested from Community Futures: \$ _____

Cheque should be made payable to: _____

Application deadline is June 12, 2010

Please forward your application to:

**COMMUNITY Beautification Works!!
FUNDING PROGRAM
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