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Summit County Launches Nonprofit Grant Program To Help Organizations Impact by COVID-19

SUMMIT COUNTY (August 19, 2020) – The Summit County CARES Non-profit Grant Program is offered pursuant to funding received by Summit County through the federal Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act). Funding will be made available to a limited number of Non-profit, with 40 employees/FTEs or less that meet specific requirements set by the Summit County.

The Summit County CARES Non-profit Grant Program will provide grants from \$2,000 up to \$20,000, dependent on the number of employees. The applicant Non-profit must demonstrate a significant impact as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic to be considered for funding.

Applications will open on **August 24, 2020 at 12:00AM** and close on **September 4, 2020** at 11:59PM. Funds will be disbursed until the funds are exhausted. Due to the anticipated number of submissions and limited funding, applications will be **ranked** based on predetermined priorities.

More information and the application link are available at: mountainland.org

Eligibility Requirements

- Nonprofit that have been licensed in Summit County or a municipality in Summit County on or before March 1, 2020 will be scored higher. Nonprofits started after this date may still apply.
- Non-profit had 40 full-time equivalent employees or less as of March 1, 2020.
- Non-profit must be physically located in Summit County.
- Non-profit experienced a significant negative financial impact from the COVID-19 pandemic from March 1 to June 30, 2020.
- Non-profit must be open and operating.
- Non-profit must be able to spend the entire grant award by **November 30, 2020**, per U.S. Department of the Treasury requirements
- Non-profit owners must have the ability to document and report on use of funds.
- Non-profit must be a 501(c)3, 501(c)4, or 501(c)6 organization in good standing with the State of Utah.

- The Non-profit organization is engaged in activities that are legal under the law.
- The Non-profit organization can meet the program technical requirements including the ability to provide financial records to support the grant request and program validation.

About MAG:

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