

Community Foundation Crowdfunding Cycle Opens January 24, 2019 – March 27, 2019

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noun: An effort leveraging broad-based, low-dollar fundraising against a funder's matching grant to improve your community.

How It Works

Local non-profit has an idea, applies for a grant, and may be approved for our matching funds. Our Community Foundation of Grant County website tracks community members' charitable support for a program or project. If the non-profit meets their fundraising goal (50%), a matching grant will be made through our Community Impact Fund.

Step 1:

Identify a program or project that you'd like to see funded that might have broad appeal to donors.

Step 2:

Apply for your grant through the Community Foundation's standard grant application at GiveToGrant.org/Grants. You will be able to ask the Community Foundation for 50% of your total project/program cost and the remaining 50% must be raised through community donations, thus the term crowdgranting. The maximum amount that can be requested from the Community Foundation, in this grant cycle only, is \$20,000.

Step 3:

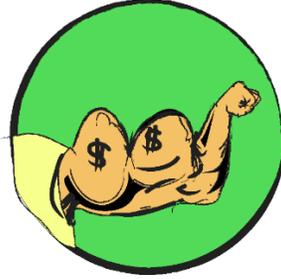
We will evaluate each application. If your project is chosen, we will let you know on April 19, 2019 and provide you with a custom website address so that the crowdfunding can begin! You will have 60-days to raise your 50% portion of the grant.

Step 4:

Projects that garner community support by hitting their goal will receive their matching grant from the Community Foundation. If your project does not meet your matching goal within 60-days, you will not receive your matching grant from the Community Foundation, but you will receive all donations that have been made by your donors for this project.

Key Benefits

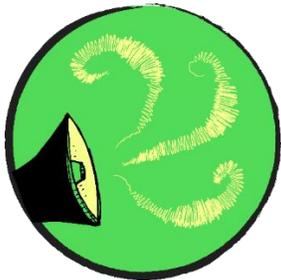
Take advantage of the key benefits that makes Crowdgranting unique.



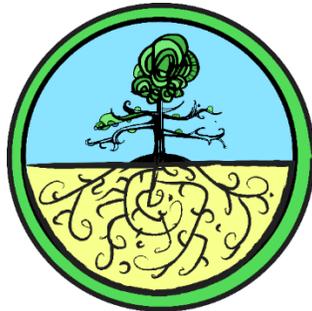
Maximize your Impact by leveraging the generosity of many donors.



Easy as Pie to match your grant dollars through the Community Foundation.



Widespread Publicity gained from social media posts, radio, and newspaper coverage is a fantastic opportunity for your project to be fully funded.



Grassroots Fundraising Efforts are what it takes to get the local community invested in improving those communities.