

Government and Infrastructure - Nov 2011

DUE	FUNDER	GRANT TITLE	PURPOSE	ELIGIBILITY	AWARD AMOUNT	APPLICATION GUIDELINES
6/15/2012	Michigan Dept. of Natural Resources	Michigan Volunteer Fire Assistance	To assist fire departments in acquiring fire fighting equipment for local communities.	Fire departments in rural communities with populations of 10,000 or less and that have publicly-owned forested land within protection area.	50% of cost	http://www.michigan.gov/dnr/o,4570,7-153-58225_37985-125034--.00.html
6/15/2012	USDA- Forest Service	Michigan Volunteer Fire Assistance.	To assist fire departments in acquiring fire fighting equipment for local communities.	Fire departments in rural communities with populations of 10,000 or less and that have publicly-owned forested land within protection area.	open	http://www.michigan.gov/dnr/o,4570,7-153-58225_37985-125034--.00.html
12/31/2011	USDA - Utilities Programs	Solid Waste Management Grant	Funds may be used to: Evaluate current landfill conditions to determine threats to water resources in rural areas; provide technical assistance and/or training to enhance operator skills in the maintenance and operation of active landfills in rural areas; provide technical assistance and/or training to help associations reduce the solid waste stream; and provide technical assistance and/or training for operators of landfills in rural areas which are closed or will be closed in the near future with the development/implementation of closure plans, future land use plans, safety and maintenance planning, and closure scheduling within permit requirements.	501C3 Nonprofit organization, local, state, or tribal govt, or educational institution, AND Has a proven record of successfully providing technical assistance and/or training to rural areas, AND demonstrates that it possesses the financial, technical, and managerial capability to comply with Federal and State laws and requirements.	<\$85,000.	http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/UWP-solidwastemanagement.htm
12/31/2011	USDA - Utilities Programs	Technical Assistance and Training	The Technical Assistance and Training (TAT) Grant Program has been established to assist communities with water or wastewater systems through free technical assistance and/or training provided by the grant recipients. Qualified private non-profit organizations will receive TAT grant funds to identify and evaluate solutions to water and waste disposal problems in rural areas, assist applicants in preparing applications for water and waste grants made at the State level offices, and improve operation and maintenance of existing water and waste disposal facilities in rural areas.	501C3 Nonprofit organization or organization that: (1) Is operated primarily for scientific, education, service, charitable, or similar purposes.	<\$1,700,000	http://www.usda.gov/rus/water/atg.htm

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11/11/2011	DTE Energy Foundation	DTE Energy Foundation-Leadership	The DTE Energy Foundation supports core institutions, educational, environmental, and diversity related initiatives, as well as community development efforts.		\$2,000-\$10,000	http://www.dteenergy.com/dteEnergyCompany/community/foundation/applyForGrants.html
11/9/2011	Laura Jane Musser Fund	Rural Initiative Program	Supports programs that will help to strengthen individual rural towns in the targeted states in a number of civic areas, including economic development, business preservation, arts and humanities, public space improvements, and education.	Population of 10,000 or fewer and must be able to demonstrate the rural characteristics of their location and support from a diverse cross-section of community members and institutions.	\$5,000-\$25,000	http://www.musserfund.org/index.asp?page_seq=6
10/31/2011	U. S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development	Community Planning Grant & DOT TIGER II	Foster reform and reduce barriers to achieving affordable, economically vital, and sustainable communities. Such efforts may include amending or replacing local master plans, zoning codes, and building codes, either on a jurisdiction-wide basis or in a specific neighborhood, district, corridor, or sector to promote mixed-use development, affordable housing, the reuse of older buildings and structures for new purposes, and similar activities with the goal of promoting sustainability at the local or neighborhood level. Also supports the development of affordable housing through the development and adoption of inclusionary zoning ordinances and other activities such as acquisition of land for affordable housing projects.	State and local governments, including U.S. territories, tribal governments, transit agencies, port authorities, metropolitan planning organizations (MPOs), other political subdivisions of State or local governments, and multi-State or multijurisdictional groupings.	\$0-3,000,000	http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/nofaio/huddotnofa.pdf
	Charles Mott Foundation	The Civil Society program	Supports efforts to assist in democratic institution-building and ensure respect of rights and diversity both in the U.S. and internationally.		inquire	http://www.mott.org/about/programs/civilsociety.aspx
	Frey Foundation	Frey Foundation	We invest in change. We work in partnership with organizations, agencies, and other funders which have a track record of success and a deep commitment to the west Michigan community. Our grantmaking focuses on six interrelated aspects of community life: Arts, Capital Projects, Children, Civic Progress, Environment, and Philanthropy.	Nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization or governmental unit. Grand Rapids area, Charlevoix or Emmett Counties		http://www.freyfdn.org/guidelines
	Michigan Economic Development	Community Development Block Grant-	Funding of grants to local units of government for economic development, downtown development, blight elimination and planning.	Small cities, townships, and villages of less than 50,000 in population, and non-urban counties	<\$750,000	http://www.michiganadvantage.org/cm/files/Fact-

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	Rotary Charities of Traverse City	Rotary Charities Capacity Building Grants	Rotary Charities is providing assistance to nonprofit organizations in the 5-county area to improve their ability to fulfill their missions, thus ensuring the sustainability of an efficient and effective nonprofit system that is responsive to evolving community need	Nonprofits	\$5,000-\$110,000	http://www.rotarycharities.org/UserFiles/File/NEW GRANT DOCUMENTS 2009/OC Assessment and Planning Grants/OCA Assessment and
	Surdna Foundation	Green Economy	Creating good, green jobs by scaling up efforts to retrofit our nation's residential and commercial buildings; Growing green industry and revitalizing our manufacturing sector through policies and investments that drive the production of wind turbines, solar panels, and transit systems; and Fostering green jobs policies and training to create pathways out of poverty.	Non profit 501c3. Do not fund individuals, capital campaigns or building construction, or projects that are internationally based or focused.	unstated.	http://www.surdna.org/grants/how-to-apply.html
	Traverse City Light and Power	Community Investment Fund	Community Development--Public infrastructure programs and other projects that provide a direct benefit to customers and people of the TC area. Programs and projects aimed at maintaining and improving the quality of natural resources, and supporting a sustainable environment in the TC AREA.	Non-profits	\$60,000	
	Traverse City Light and Power	Community Investment Grant	The Community Investment Fund will not be awarding grants for the October 2011 or February 2012 granting periods. Please check back at a later date for updated information.	Non profit organizations	<\$60,000.	http://www.tclp.org/cif.pdf