

# Government and Infrastructure Funding Opportunities - Jan 2012

DUE	FUNDER	GRANT TITLE	PURPOSE	ELGIBILITY	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	<a href="http://www.michigan.gov/dnr/0,4570,7-153-">http://www.michigan.gov/dnr/0,4570,7-153-</a>
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	<a href="http://www.michigan.gov/dnr/0,4570,7-153-">http://www.michigan.gov/dnr/0,4570,7-153-</a>
2/15/2012	Frey Foundation	Frey Foundation Grant	Funds new expenses associated with new ventures or significant program expansions. This is consistent with our mission to promote innovation and change.	The Foundation accepts proposals from charitable 501(c)(3) organizations or government agencies. For community-based or regional projects, the Foundation focuses on proposals from agencies and organizations serving the Grand Rapids area, Emmet or Charlevoix counties.	unspecified, matching funds required.	<a href="http://www.freyfdn.org/guidelines">http://www.freyfdn.org/guidelines</a>
	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	<a href="http://www.mott.org/about/programs/civilsociety.as">http://www.mott.org/about/programs/civilsociety.as</a>
	Entergy Corporation Foundation	Entergy Grant	To improve communities through arts and culture, community improvement and enrichment, the environment and healthy families.	501c3 Nonprofits, schools, hospitals, governmental units and religious institutions	\$1,000	<a href="http://www.entergy.com/our_community/ECF_gran">http://www.entergy.com/our_community/ECF_gran</a>
	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©(3) organization or governmental unit. Grand Rapids area, Charlevoix or Emmett Counties		<a href="http://www.freyfdn.org/guidelines">http://www.freyfdn.org/guidelines</a>
	Michigan Economic Development Corporation	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	<a href="http://www.michiganadvantage.org/cm/files/Fact-">http://www.michiganadvantage.org/cm/files/Fact-</a>

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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	<a href="http://www.rotarycharities.org/UserFiles/File/NEWGRANTDOCUMENTS2009/OC">http://www.rotarycharities.org/UserFiles/File/NEWGRANTDOCUMENTS2009/OC</a>
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.	<a href="http://www.surdna.org/grants/how-to-apply.html">http://www.surdna.org/grants/how-to-apply.html</a>
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.	<a href="http://www.tclp.org/cif.pdf">http://www.tclp.org/cif.pdf</a>