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The T-Mobile Hometown Grants program funds projects to build, rebuild, or refresh community spaces that help foster local connections in your town. Projects should be shovel-ready, physical builds or improvements that can be completed within 12 months of receiving Hometown Grants funding.

Examples of eligible projects include but are not limited to: adaptive uses of older and historic buildings into community gathering spaces, improvements to outdoor parks or trails, and technology projects for the public library.

Funds may not be used for: engineering and architectural plans or fees, salaries or annual operating expenses, or reimbursement for projects that are already completed.

Who can request a grant?

We are looking for elected officials, town managers and employees, tribal leaders, or non-profit organizations to submit a proposal for their project using the Hometown Grants application. The project must be located in towns with less than 50,000 people and should provide a community benefit where it might otherwise be difficult to secure funding.

T-Mobile is committing up to $25 million through 2026 to support small towns, villages, and territories across America by funding community projects.

You can submit an application at https://www.t-mobile.com/HometownGrants

- •Small towns with populations less than 50,000 are eligible to apply
- •Recipients are selected and awarded on a quarterly basis
- •Grants are up to $50K per town
- •Selected winners will provide status updates on their projects at 6 and 12 months
- •Plans must be able to be executed within 12 months of receiving funds

A full proposal should be three (3) to five (5) pages:

- •Describe the scope of work to be completed using the requested funds. Shovel-ready plans including site maps, architectural drawings, and photos may be included.
- •You will be asked to describe the need, how this grant will help the community overcome a challenge, and who specifically will benefit from this project.
- •Explain how impact will be measured, demonstrating how the project will lead to the anticipated result/change.
- •Outline the budget. If the full project budget exceeds $50,000, please describe remaining funding sources. T-Mobile funds must be used, and work completed, within 12 months of award. Please explain exactly what T-Mobile's grant will cover. Matching funds are not required.
- •To ensure timelines are met, you need to provide details on permits needed/obtained, if applicable. Plus, list additional businesses or partners to be contracted for the work.
- •Up to five letters of support from local government and/or community organizations, partners or members, demonstrating community alignment, engagement, and consensus for the project.

Apply to use funds for upgrade at Community Center

Landscaping, privacy panel

Please summarize your proposed project. Note: you will be asked to include your full project plan as an attachment below. *

Limit: 1000 characters

T-Mobile Hometown Grants award up to $50,000 for qualifying projects. How much funding are you requesting for your project?*

If you need more than $50,000 to complete your project, please describe how you will cover the remainder of the budget. Please be clear about the use of T-Mobile grant funds versus other sources, as well as the certainty of those other sources. *Enter N/A if the grant will complete funding.*

Who, specifically, in your community would benefit from this grant? Approximately how many people total do you anticipate would be impacted?*

How will this grant help your community overcome a challenge that you're facing? Please describe the challenge, then how this grant would address that.*

If you were to leave your current position, what steps would be taken to ensure this project would continue uninterrupted?*

What is the name of the non-profit or government organization that will be receiving the funds?*

By selecting "Yes" in the dropdown you verify that you're 18 years or older. *

 Select...
By selecting "Yes" in the dropdown, you agree that all of the information you've provided is accurate, that you're allowed to share this information and your submitted materials with T-Mobile, and that T-Mobile can use this information and any submitted materials in connection with the Hometown Grant program (including marketing and publicity efforts for the program).*
 Select...

Detailed proposal

Instructions: Please upload the following files:

-Project plan or proposal, including:

- Detailed description of the project to be evaluated by an internal T-Mobile panel and nonprofit organization(s);

- Detailed budget, including a breakdown of budget line items - make sure to factor labor into the budget; and

- Timeline - must be able to complete project within 12 months of receiving funds, if selected

-"Shovel ready" plan, including:

- Outline of expected town outcomes, demonstrating how the project or strategy will lead to the anticipated result or change;

- Details on permits needed or already obtained, if applicable, to begin work upon receipt of funds; and

- Any additional companies or business partnerships to be contracted for the work

-Up to five letters of support from local government and/or community organizations, partners, or members demonstrating community alignment, engagement, and consensus for the proposed project. The Letters of Support can be combined into one document.

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Upload a file. No files have been attached yet.

Acceptable file types: .csv, .doc, .docx, .pdf, .jpg, .jpeg, .png, .svg, .tif, .tiff

Full proposal should be three (3) to five (5) pages. Should include, but is not limited to:

- Detailed description of project to be evaluated by an internal T-Mobile panel and nonprofit organization(s)

- Detailed budget, including breakdown of budget line items - make sure to factor labor costs into the budget

- Timeline - must be able to complete project within 12 months of receiving funds, if selected

"Shovel ready" plan*

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In your "shovel ready" plan, please include:

- Outline of expected town outcomes, demonstrating how the project or strategy will lead to the anticipated result/change

- Details on permits needed/obtained, if applicable, to begin work upon receipt of funds

- Any additional companies/business partnerships to be contracted for the work

Up to five letters of support from local government and/or community organizations, partners, or members demonstrating community alignment, engagement, and consensus for the proposed project. The letters of support may be combined into one document.*

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Select up to 5 files to attach. No files have been attached yet. You may add 5 more files.

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Have these plans been approved and permitted, if applicable?*