

# **GRANT APPLICATIONS FOR 2007**

## **GRANT MONEY AVAILABLE - \$46,066.26**

**1. OCHEYEDAN PUBLIC LIBRARY**

874 Main St. P.O. Box 427  
Ocheyedan, Iowa 51354  
Dianne Truckenmiller 712-758-3352

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$2,500.00**

PROJECT: Enclose back stairway which poses as a safety hazard for children playing in the area and it fills up with snow in the winter, making it difficult to open the door from the inside. Interior lighting needs to be upgraded. Lighting ballasts are 35 years old.

**2. ASHTON COMMUNITY EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Ashton, Iowa 51232  
Karen DeVries 712-724-6500

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: To purchase a portable state of the art Life Pak 12 Defibrillator to help save lives of cardiac arrest patients.

**3. TRACY HOUSE MUSEUM, OSCEOLA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

1053 Pine Street  
P.O. box 238  
Ocheyedan, Iowa 51354  
Lois Glade 712-758-3151

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: Tile out around Tracy House, install sump pump in basement, remove large walnut tree, reinforce present structure, remove chimney from house, pour cement around the house.

**4. SIBLEY PRAIRIE VIEW COORIDOR COMMISSION**

721 2<sup>ND</sup> Ave.  
Sibley, Iowa 51249  
Jim Benz 712-754-2535

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: To hire an engineer/architect to draw detailed plans for "Welcome" signs along Highway 60. Remaining money would be spent on the actual construction of the signs.

- 5. MELVIN PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
232 Main Street  
Melvin, Iowa 51350  
Connie Van Engen 712-736-2147

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: To replace funds that were planned to be used for special children's programs and to purchase needed equipment and improvements needed for the library, but had to be used to repair and replace the Library's furnace.

- 6. NORTHWEST IOWA FAMILY LIFE AWARENESS COUNCIL INC.**  
1621 E. 8<sup>th</sup> Street  
Sheldon, Iowa 51201  
Danene Miller 712-754-4646

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: Would like to provide funding for Respite Daycare Program at Bright Beginnings.

- 7. OSCEOLA COUNTY POSITIVE FORWARD GROUP**  
300 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
Sibley, Iowa 51249  
Rochelle Buchman 712-754-2445

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: To help finance county Web Communication Center, the advancement & marketing/promotion of the group's activities and to assist in the implementation of other activities that advance County cooperation and unity.

- 8. SIBLEY PRIDE AND INVOLMENT**  
Osceola County Courthouse  
Sibley, Iowa 51249  
Barb Echter 712-754-2241

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$2002.00**

PROJECT: To purchase a sound system to be used for the entertainment during the Picnic in the Park and for the Pumpkin Pizzazz to help control "little people" instead of using someone with a loud voice.

**9. SIBLEY-OCHEYEDAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

120 11<sup>TH</sup> Ave. N.E.  
Sibley, Iowa 51249  
Cory Jenness 712-754-3636

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: Remove merry-go-round and dome from the school playground and replace it with a new structure. Shorten the height of one set of swings.

**10. McCALLUM MUSEUM, OSCEOLA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

724 3<sup>RD</sup> Ave.  
Sibley, Iowa 51249  
Janet Stofferan 712-754-3882

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: To reproduce a booklet of cemetery records containing the names of over 11,500 individuals buried in 16 Osceola County cemeteries and in unmarked areas. These booklets would be furnished to all County libraries and Museums.

**11. SIBLEY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

406 9<sup>TH</sup> St.  
Sibley, Iowa 51249  
Connie Mataloni 712-754-2888

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: To up-date the bathroom in the library's basement so that it is more "kid" friendly. Also to make the bathrooms in the entryway handicap accessible, and add a diaper-changing station.

**12. SAVE THE MINI GROTTTO**

917 NE 3<sup>RD</sup> St.  
Sibley, Iowa 51249  
Ron Peters 712-754-2351

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: Dig trenches for underground wiring for the fountain, lights for the flag pole, security light, under ground electricity for illuminated corner bricks and lighted donation box. Rental fee for skid loader to remove 4" of soil; to purchase additional bricks; pour concrete and install 50' of ornamental wrought iron fence; safety floor for fountain; reseed grass; purchase and install donation box; install signage for location, rules etc.

- 13. MELVIN AREA ECON. DEV. CORP.**  
50 4<sup>TH</sup> Ave.  
Melvin, Iowa 51350  
Jack Benz 712-736-2420

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,064.26**

PROJECT: To purchase 12 winter and 12 spring community “Welcome” banners for our main street. We purchased summer and fall banners and brackets last year and would like to complete our project with banners for these remaining two seasons.

- 14. OSCEOLA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL, INC.**  
Sibley, Iowa 51249  
Janet H. Dykstra 712-754-2574

**FOUNDATION GRANT: \$3,500.00**

PROJECT: To help with student’s tuition for the first year, that are enrolled in the M.A. degree in Physical Education; Scientific Basis of Physical Education with an Exercise Science Focus.