



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

**Q: What kinds of projects are acceptable?**

A: Acceptable Impact projects are defined as those that solve a problem, serve a need or develop the community to grow and prosper.

Examples:

- Creation and sustainment of a community garden space
- Volunteering to train seniors on modern technology
- Renovating an abandoned community space to make it more appealing for rent or resale

**Q: Can we submit multiple projects?**

A: At this time, we are limiting the program to one project per organization.

**Q: Will Great Plains Communications provide project start-up funds?**

A: Funds will be awarded to organizations once approved by Great Plains Communications.

**Q: How does Great Plains Communications determine value of a project?**

A: Great Plains Communications will review and assess projects based on the number of participants, project scope (size of the undertaking), level of community impact and sustainability.

**Q: What is the minimum and maximum project value?**

A: We don't have specific ranges , but we anticipate a very well detailed and impactful project will receive around \$1,000 dollars.

**Q: Can multiple groups work together?**

A: Yes, feel free to reach out to other community groups to create a project together. However, Great Plains Communications will only be able to issue one check per project.

**Q: Is there a minimum age for participation?**

A: There is not a minimum age for participation. However, participating minors must have adult supervision.

**Q: Is insurance required?**

A: Yes, participating organizations must present proof of insurance as part of the application process.

**Q: How do we give you updates?**

A: Throughout the implementation of your project, you will be required to take part in update conference calls, provide written progress reports and provide photos. Once your project is approved, you will be contacted by a Great Plains Communications IMPACT representative who will go over update requirements based on your specific project.

**Q: What does it mean to participate in Public Relations?**

A: In order to inform your community of the IMPACT your project is making, and to promote your community externally, Great Plains Communications will write and distribute periodic press releases. Participating organizations will be required to submit and approve information prior to release dates.

**Q: What happens if we can't finish our project?**

A: Organizations are expected to fully complete projects they commit to. This is your promise to your community.

**Q: How do we receive our funds?**

A: Great Plains Communications will issue your organization a check for the designated project amount once the project has been approved.