

BENTON COUNTY

2020 SCORE GRANT APPLICATION

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE NO: _____ FAX NO: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

Department of Development Office Use only:		
Received: _____	SWAC Recommendation: _____	County Board: _____
Accepted: _____	Proof of Expenditure: _____	UCC Form: _____
PMSA Form: _____	Warrant Request: _____	

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: _____

Separate application must be submitted for each project, event and/or equipment request. (e.g.: Compost turner, Clean-up days, Park benches, Picnic tables, etc.)

TOTAL PROPOSED PROJECT COST: \$ _____ **(budget or itemized breakdown of estimated revenues and expenses must be provided)**

APPLICANT'S FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION: \$ _____
(25% minimum of proposed total project cost, can include tax and shipping)

SCORE GRANT REQUESTED AMOUNT: \$ _____
(75% maximum of proposed total project cost)

SCORE GRANT REQUIREMENTS

- In applications which propose the use of recycled material; the percentage of recycled material content must be broken down. (e.g. Project installing plastic bench: Total project cost \$350. Bench cost \$250 installation \$100. Bench is constructed of plastic boards which are 70% plastic consumer waste and 30% virgin plastic)
- Application must be post marked/submitted by **February 12th, 2020** to the address below.
- The grant requires a 25% cash and/or in-kind match. The match must be documented (e.g. receipts, payroll, etc.)
- The grant reimburses project expenditures.
- Expenditures must take place during the grant period of January 1 through December 31, 2019.
- Deadline to submit expenditure documents for reimbursement is December 31st, 2019.
- Expenditures in December will need to be prepaid.
- Grant funds used to purchase equipment and/or fixtures will require a UCC Financing Statement and a Purchase Money Security Agreement Forms.

***Purposes for which money may be spent:** (State Statute Section 115A.557 Subd. 2)

- 1) reduce the amount of solid waste generated;
- 2) recycle the maximum amount of solid waste technically feasible;
- 3) create and support markets for recycled products;
- 4) remove problem materials from the solid waste stream and develop proper disposal options for them;
- 5) inform and educate all sectors of the public about proper solid waste management procedures;
- 6) provide technical assistance to public and private entities to ensure proper solid waste management;
- 7) provide educational, technical and financial assistance for litter prevention;
- 8) process mixed municipal solid waste generated in the county at a resource recovery facility located in Minnesota;
- 9) compost source-separated compostable materials, including the provision of receptacles for residential composting;
- 10) prevent food waste or collect and transport food donated to humans or to be fed to animals; and
- 11) process source-separated compostable materials that are to be used to produce Class I or Class II compost as defined in MN Rules, part 7035.2836, after being processed in an anaerobic digester, but not to construct buildings or acquire equipment.

5. **EXPLAIN THE EXPECTED LONG-TERM IMPACT AND SUSTAINABILITY OF THIS PROJECT:**

6. **TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAST COUNTY SCORE FUNDS RECEIVED:** (project(s), year of the project(s), amount of grant)

7. **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WHICH MAY AID IN EVALUATING YOUR PROPOSAL:**

Signature below constitutes agreement with the grant requirements.

Signature

Date

Send completed application to:

Benton County Dept. of Development
531 Dewey Street, P.O. Box 129
Foley, MN 56329-0129

For more information about the SCORE grant program or application process contact the Benton County Dept. of Development office at: (320) 968-5065