

COUNCIL GROVE AREA FOUNDATION  
P.O. BOX 137, Council Grove, Kansas 66846

## GRANT APPLICATION

### Organization Information

**Organization Name: Council Grove PRIDE Committee or CGP**

Organization Name

**207 W. Main Street**

**Council Grove KS**

**66846**

Street Address

City

State

Zip

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Please list your 3 of organizations officers below:

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**Chair**

**767.6403**

Name

Title

Phone Number

**Angie Schwerdtfeger**

**Secretary**

**767.7171.**

Name

Title

Phone Number

**Deidre Knight**

**Treasurer**

**767.7144**

Name

Title

Phone Number

Is your organization a tax-exempt? Yes

Date of tax exemptions status granted: 5/20/07

Is your organization a nonprofit 501(c)(3)? Yes

Date status granted: 5/20/07

Tell us about your organization.

It has been 11 years since CGP reorganized and 10 year since it completed the first project, which was the Main Street Planters and Banners project. CGP has remained active and dedicated, and has proven that it will see projects through. CGP only applies for funds every few years because we think it is important to cautiously use the funds we are given, making them last as long as possible. CGP also encourages citizens to take action and collaborate with other groups, and has taken the funds we have received in the past and made things better for our community, and we will continue to do so in the future.

**Project Information**

Name of project: This is a multi project grant, pelase see attached for details  
What geographic area will be served: Council Grove and Morris County  
Who will benefit: Residents and Visitors of Council Grove and Morris County  
1/1/2019 12/30/2020  
Anticipated Project Start Date Anticipated Project Completion Date

What is the purpose of this project; what specifically will it accomplish?  
See attached for details

What problem is this project attempting to solve?  
See attached

Who else in the community is working on this issue? Please list all other groups and/or committees.  
The Chamber of Commerce, The Council Grove Economic Development Committee, The Riverwalk Committee, Community Arts Council, Flint Hills Extension, The Bowers Center Committee, the Washunqa Davs Committee and The Council Grove Lake Community.  
How will the project be implemented and how will you coordinate with others working on this issue?  
Since most of people who volunteer for CGP also work with other committees and groups CGP is able to collaboration and cooperate most of these community groups.

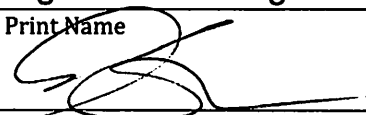
What local support is there for this project?  
Council Grove PRIDE/CGP, members are diverse mix of volunteers, from the City, the Chamber, the Arts Council, the Historical Society, the Bowers Center, and other local

**Financial Information**

35,500.00 3,850.00  
Total Project Cost Amount Requested from CGAF

Please list the amount and source of pledge or commitments to date:  
We have \$2,000 in our treasury from a Kansas Pride Grant for the mural, and we have about \$1,200 from other fund raisers.

Please list any additional funding requests that will be made:  
We are applying to 5 other local foundations and grants for \$3,850.00, and we will be addvino to the Kansas Pride Board for a \$10.000 VIP arant in April. 2019 for the Farmers

**Angie Schwerdtfeger**  
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Print Name  
  
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Signature

**Secretary**  
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Title  
**10/29/20**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Today's Date

Please submit send your application to: Director@CGKSAF.org or Council Grove Area Foundation  
P.O. BOX 137  
Council Grove, KS. 66846

**Council Grove Area Foundation  
Attachments**

Project Name:

- a) **Main Street Beautification:** This project is a continuation of our project that's goal is to unify the east and west retail districts in Council Grove, by providing banners and replacing planters throughout the seasons.
- b) **Farmers Market:** This project is in its 6th year and provides an outlet for area vendors to market crops, crafts, plantings, etc. We are working with the City to provide the Market with a permanent home on North Neosho Street.
- c) **Beautiful Yard Award:** The BYA project recognizes those who take extra care in keeping their yards and
- d) **Riverwalk Signage Mural:** We are working on a mural with signage directing people to the Riverwalk.

What is the purpose of this project; what specifically will it accomplish?

- a) **Main Street Beautification:** CGP will continue to update planters with seasonal foliage and replace the welcome banners, as the current ones are showing wear and tear. Specifically- CGP coordinates with volunteers to replant each season and maintain planters. CGP will come up with several banner designs and ask for input from other groups and the community.
- b) **Farmers Market:** We anticipate having a more permanent spot for the Market for 2019. The new spot will need signage, seating and a few other structural implements. CGP will work in the spring of 2019 to design and place these structures for the 2019 Market season.
- a) **Beautiful Yard Awards:** The program recognizes and rewards those who maintain their property, so it can help to maintain property values, and, since it is overseen by volunteers, it encourages volunteering to community members.
- c) **Riverwalk Signage Mural:** CGP has been working with local designers on the proposed signage mural. The installation of an interchangeable mural has been proposed to be located on the side of the current Rerun Consignment building, but would also be movable if it needed to be relocated for any reason. The main purpose of the structure would be to point in the direction of the Riverwalk but it could also be used to highlight events that are occurring in town, such as Washunga Days and Voice of the Wind People. We will run the designs by the Riverwalk Committee, the Chamber and other organizations to assure the design will appease as many groups in the community as possible. The structure would be need to be professionally built and installed.

If awarded, how will the grant you are requesting be used?

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**Main Street Beautification:** The funds would be used to continue to update planters with seasonal foliage and replace the welcome banners, as the current ones are showing wear and tear.
- b) **Farmers Market:** The new spot will need signage, seating and a few other structural implements. The funds would be used for these items.
- c) **Beautiful Yard Awards:** The funds would be used to promote the program and keep the signs updated and in good repair.
- d) **Riverwalk Signage Mural:** The funds would be used to complete the design, and to install the structure.