WEBINAR MANAGEMENT

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WEBINAR AGENDA

FNDI Introduction

NYCF Grant Overview

Application Requirements

Tips for Submitting your Application

Online System Walk-Through

Q & A
OUR MISSION

To strengthen American Indian economies to support healthy Native communities.

We invest in and create innovative institutions and models that strengthen asset control and support economic development for American Indian People and their communities.

We believe...

When armed with the appropriate resources, Native peoples hold the capacity & ingenuity to ensure the sustainable, economic, spiritual & cultural well-being of their communities.

~ OUR GUIDING PRINCIPLE ~

THE CORE OF ALL OUR WORK
OUR CORE PROGRAMS & ASSESS BUILDING STRATEGIES

- Direct FINANCIAL support through GRANTMAKING
- TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE and TRAINING
- MOVEMENT-BUILDING
- POLICY and RESEARCH
- ADVOCACY
2022-2023
NYCF GRANT

GRANT CEILING: $20,000

Grant Term:
December 15, 2022- December 31, 2023
(1 Year)

Application Deadline:
NOVEMBER 10, 2022
No later than 12 p.m. MT

Applicants will be notified of award status via email on or before December 12, 2022
**Native Youth & Culture Fund**

**ELIGIBLE ENTITIES**

- Federal- and state-recognized tribal governments
- Native-controlled 501(c)(3) nonprofits
- Native § 7871 organizations
- Native-controlled community organizations with fiscal sponsorship
GRANT PRIORITIES

Preserving, strengthening or renewing cultural and/or spiritual practices, beliefs and values
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Increasing youth leadership and their capacity to lead through integrated educational or mentoring programs.
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Engaging both youth and elders in activities that demonstrate methods for documenting traditional knowledge systems, practices and/or beliefs.

Increasing access to and sharing of cultural customs and beliefs through the use of appropriate technologies (traditional and/or modern), as a means of reviving or preserving tribal language, arts, history or other culturally relevant topics.
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<td>A brief history of your organization or tribal program</td>
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<td>A description of the project and who it will serve</td>
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1. Summary of your youth program and how it perpetuates traditional knowledge, spirituality and intergenerational transfer of knowledge

2. How your goals/objectives will be achieved

3. How the funding will benefit Native youth in your community

Tell us about your work. What are your needs or challenges? How does the grant help further your goals?

Have a clear plan of action that demonstrates your ability to achieve your goals

What is the bigger picture?
Use of Funds

Supporting Native Youth

- Equipment Purchases
- Curriculum Development
- Program Capacity Building
- Staff Salaries
- Technology
- Youth Camps

*Food purchases are allowed
REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

**Tax-Status Documentation**
A copy of the organization or fiscal sponsor’s IRS Determination Letter if the applicant is a 501(c)(3) organization or a community organization using a fiscal sponsor. Tribal programs and governments may upload a document with the name of the tribe. This document should be uploaded as a PDF file.

**Description of Board of Directors**
Native-controlled nonprofits must submit a list of their Board of Directors, with tribal affiliation of each director clearly listed next to each name where applicable. Community organizations with fiscal sponsors should submit a list of their leadership team, with tribal affiliation of each team member where applicable. Tribal programs and governments should submit a list of their Tribal Council in lieu of a Board of Directors. This document should be uploaded as a PDF file.

**Description of Key Leadership Staff**
Native-controlled nonprofits and community organizations with fiscal sponsors should submit a list of key staff who will be responsible for overseeing and implementing the proposed project. Tribal programs and governments should submit a list of key staff responsible for overseeing and implementing the proposed project. This document should be uploaded as a PDF file.
Supplemental Materials

- A detailed program budget
- A project timeline
- News articles
- Photos, videos, etc.,
TIPS FOR FILLING OUT THE ONLINE APPLICATION

01 Prepare your answers in a Word document and copy and paste your answers into the online application system

02 Make sure you follow the format of each section and do your best to answer every question

03 Always tie your answers to the NYCF Priorities

04 Submit all required attachments

05 Be sure to save your work in the online system often!!!!!!!
Please allow yourself enough time to submit a complete application before the deadline!

The system will shut down automatically at 12:00 p.m. Mountain Time on November 10, 2022.

Applications that are not received on time due will not be considered.
ADDITIONAL HELP

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