



Roundhouse Foundation 2022 Fall Open Call Grant Recipients

The Roundhouse Foundation would like to share the programs and projects we have partnered with through our Fall Open Call for Proposals cycle. We are grateful to our applicants and partners and appreciate the opportunity to share in this work.

The Roundhouse Foundation focuses in and across four areas that are fundamental to thriving rural communities – **Arts & Culture, Environmental Stewardship, Social Services and Education**. We recognize the interconnections of these focus areas and value opportunities that work at their intersections.

Some details of the grants listed are subject to change. This list is current as of December 2022. Should you have any questions about our grant programs, funding priorities or any of the projects below, please reach out to us at grants@roundhousefoundation.org.

Organization Name	Project Name	Project Summary	2022 Amount Awarded
ACCESS	Ensuring Food Security for Jackson County's Most Vulnerable Populations	ACCESS will utilize our mobile food pantry to provide culturally appropriate and diet-specific food for 1,050 individuals in our multicultural, rural, and underserved communities throughout Jackson County, Oregon. Funds from the Roundhouse Foundation would be used to increase our food offerings, support our bilingual employee's salary, vehicle gas and maintenance, and incidental items for the Mobile Food Pantry program.	30,000.00
Adaptive Riding Institute dba Horses of Hope Oregon	Therapeutic Riding Sensory Challenge Course	We serve nearly 100 participants per day. Our participants include people with cognitive, physical, emotional, and/or behavioral challenges. As a therapeutic riding center, we provide our participants with the opportunity to experience independence, increase physical balance and strength, become empowered and learn how to self-regulate emotions. This is done with the innate movement and behavior of the horse. Funds will be used to develop obstacles and sensory challenges to enhance the therapeutic horsemanship programs.	2,500.00
Alsea Community Effort	A New Roof for the Alsea Public Library and Community Center	This capital project will replace the roof on the Alsea Public Library and Community Center. Alsea Community Effort owns the library building and leases a large portion of the facility to the Corvallis-Benton County Public Library. This leasing arrangement has worked well - ACE maintains the building and provides custodian services and the community benefits from having access to the large selection of books and other media provided by Benton County's library system. We serve an estimated area population of 950 residents.	20,000.00
Athena's Gem, Inc.	Gem Theatre/Star Saloon Achieving Occupancy	Grant funds awarded to Athena's Gem, Inc. (AGI) will be used to achieve facility occupancy of our Gem Theatre and Star Saloon and specifically towards auditorium flooring. AGI has labored on this renovation for 18 years. Our recent campaign has encountered substantial labor and material cost increases this year, making this additional revenue necessary to achieve our occupancy goal by April 2023. Funds will complete remaining electrical, alarm, plumbing, flooring and general finish work. AGI serves 3567 in the zips of the immediate region.	23,750.00

Baker Technical Institute	"Big Machines / Big Opportunities" - Program Expansion	BTI is proposing the expansion of a program previously funded in partnership with the Roundhouse Foundation. The expansion would be regarding our heavy highway construction trades training that includes both our heavy equipment operator and truck driver training. The program would again be focused on working with the tribes in Oregon and building on our already strong relationship with them. Our past courses have been successful in giving tribal members the skills needed for employment in a field that has high demand and high wages.	50,000.00
Blue Mountain Land Trust	Phipps Meadow Biodiversity Protection & Education	In 2021, with the support of local partner organizations, Blue Mountain Land Trust acquired Phipps Meadow, a 278-acre property outside of Prairie City, OR. This property is of the highest ecological value and requires commitment and accountability to the community. We will hire a part time Project Manager to coordinate the restoration plan and activities of a large coalition of organizations, the work of contractors and volunteers, and the hosting of at least two community nature education events in 2023, serving at least 100 community members.	25,000.00
Blue Mountain Wildlife	New Admissions Center	Grant funds will be used to finish setting up a new admissions center for Blue Mountain Wildlife's Pendleton Center. Three 8' X 10' sheds have been purchased to be used as Intake, Examination and Quarantine of wildlife admitted to the Pendleton Center. Typically, the residents of eastern Oregon and southeast and central Washington find more than 1,000 wild animals per year in need of care.	5,000.00
Boys & Girls Clubs of Bend	Support Expanding Wrap-Around Services for BGCB Club Kids & Their Families	The Family Plus program provides additional services to support Club members in their journey to become productive, caring, and responsible community members as well as instill a sense of belonging, usefulness, influence, and competence. We will provide wrap-around services for all Club members (k-12) and their families who need additional support services. Funds will be used to build staff capacity, expand outreach to a more diverse population (including the translation of materials), and additional essential program supplies.	15,000.00
Brookings Community Resource Response	Case Management Support Funds	We will provide case management for approximately 240 individuals, ranging from a month of services to 12 months. Our target population is people without housing or people at risk of losing their housing. Our most frequently served groups are seniors, people with disabilities, people seeking services for substance use, people seeing mental health treatment, and people with little or no income. Funds will be used to assist clients with financial barriers to self-sufficiency, such as clothing, birth certificates, bus fare, or other needs.	15,000.00
Cascade Pacific RC&D / McKenzie LTRG	Stress Management and Self-Care for Fire Survivors	The Long-Term Recovery Group (McKenzie LTRG) will provide free, individual stress and self-care counseling sessions for 75 to 100 survivors of the Holiday Farm Wildfire. A licensed clinician will conduct the sessions in a peaceful, quiet setting in the midst of the fire zone. The McKenzie LTRG Program Director will provide leadership and oversight. Ancillary costs to help participants overcome obstacles to their participation will be covered. The program will provide a transition to a longer-term individual or group care as desired or needed.	22,000.00
Cascade Pacific RC&D / Oregon Farm to School & School Garden Network	Supporting Farm to School in Rural Oregon	The OFSSGN will convene monthly coalition meetings for two regional groups: Seafood to Schools and Oregon Beef for Oregon Kids. These Coalitions have emerged from rural stakeholders in coastal and eastern OR who are seeking support to connect students with region-specific foods. We will provide 20 technical assistance consultations to schools, ranchers, seafood harvesters, processors and distributors. We will work with 10 school districts in 9 counties to increase access to seafood and beef that are caught and raised in the local communities.	10,000.00

Chehalem Cultural Center	Building Community Through Cultural Festivals	We will produce 4 free festivals that celebrate diverse cultures and local heritage for 15,000 general public attendees. Funds will be used to rent festival tents and to pay performers.	10,000.00
Children's Forest of Central Oregon	Outdoor Learning Accessibility in Central Oregon	The Children's Forest will support outdoor learning opportunities for approximately 13,400 students in Central Oregon through our Field Trip Fund, Lending Library, and NatureHoods program. Grant funds from the Roundhouse Foundation will support bussing costs for schools to attend field trips, plus CFCO's Lending Library of field equipment, a free resource for teachers. Funds will also support staffing, materials, and transportation for a free outdoor education program for rural K-2 students.	10,500.00
City of Roseburg	Roseburg Public Library 2023 Summer Reading Program	Roseburg Public Library will develop the 2023 Summer Reading Program for more than 5,000 youth living in the greater Roseburg area. Funds will be used to hire a temporary staff member and purchase craft supplies, free books, and incentive prizes to support delivering the Summer Reading Program, which encourages youth to develop literacy skills and a lifelong love of reading and learning.	5,000.00
Clackamas Volunteers in Medicine	Expanding Outreach and Services in Rural Clackamas County	Clackamas Volunteers in Medicine (CVIM) is requesting grant funds to expand our outreach capabilities in rural areas in Clackamas County. Funds will be used to expand existing staff roles, travel reimbursement, outreach (informational/marketing) materials for patients, and supplies.	25,000.00
Classroom Law Project	OR Civics Reach Project and Civics Education Act: Central Oregon Expansion	Classroom Law Project (CLP) has been pursuing a broad strategic initiative to extend our reach both geographically and more deeply into underserved populations whose students can benefit most from engaging in our experiential civics education programs, learning how to become active participants in their communities. Funds will be used to continue to increase the rural share of our overall impact, and sustain the reach achieved to-date through our Central Oregon regional site which served 15,384 students and 125 teachers in 2021-2022.	15,000.00
Coastal Families Relief Nursery	Coastal Families Emerging Relief Nursery	Funding will provide staff and program support for Coastal Families Emerging Relief Nursery, a new nonprofit providing accessible, comprehensive family support services to low-income parents with children aged 0-5 at high risk for abuse or neglect. Relief Nurseries include therapeutic early childhood program classrooms, home visits, outreach services, and parent education programs. Coastal Families Emerging Relief Nursery will serve 11 children and their families in Spring 2023, and up to 25 children and their families by Fall 2023.	25,000.00
Color Outside the Lines	Arts Outreach for Youth in Need	We are seeking financial support for two current initiatives: (1) providing art supply kits and online art classes to foster and at-risk youth in rural Oregon, and (2) providing up to 650 Native American foster youth art classes at the Chemawa Indian School, Native American Youth and Family Center (NAYA), and the Warm Springs Reservation. Through our existing partnerships, we will also continue to reach youth in need in the Portland metro area with free arts kits and access to online or in-person art classes and art therapy.	7,500.00
Creating Memories for Disabled Children	Improvements to Creating Memories Camp Lodge	The overall project is to complete renovation of the Creating Memories Lodge. We will use funds to complete priority projects to bring the building to a usable condition for children and their families to visit as part of a free vacation provided by our organization. We will serve up to 48 families per year at our camp property and the lodge building will serve as a gathering place as well as somewhere to hold events, trainings and other support for families of children with disabilities.	10,000.00

Every Child Central Oregon	Empowering Community to Support Children & Families Impacted by Foster Care	Through generous support from the Roundhouse Foundation, we will be able to continue, and expand, our My NeighbOR emergency response tangible goods program serving under-privileged, under-served, children and families impacted by foster care. Funding for this project will be used to provide education to community members about our My NeighbOR tangible giving program, meet emergent tangible needs of children & families impacted by foster care, and increase foster family retention rates through radical support.	5,000.00
Family Building Blocks	Supporting children and families in rural Santiam Canyon	Family Building Blocks will provide highly-effective child abuse prevention services in the Santiam Canyon for at least 50 families during the year. Funds will be used to support direct-service positions that are critical to providing intensive hands-on support for families to prevent child abuse and neglect in the Santiam Canyon.	25,000.00
Family Development Center	Building Resilience and Reducing ACE's for Rural Communities	Family Development Center (FDC) has 3 satellite sites that serve our most rural communities. These three sites are located in Sutherlin, Winston, and Canyonville. FDC will use these funds to serve approximately 75-100 families between the three sites. Funds will be used to improve the well being of children 0-5 and their parents by providing intensive home visiting services, parent education, and center-based services using trauma informed approaches.	5,000.00
Firefighters United for Safety, Ethics, and Ecology (FUSEE)	Supporting Oregon Conservation Corps Crews Reducing Wildfire Risks	FUSEE will use funds to create and distribute educational materials, do media outreach and advertising in rural newspapers and radio stations, and provide technical fire management to support youth crews in the Oregon Conservation Corps who are reducing wildfire risks in the greater Willamette Valley. Our goals are to increase public support for and help recruit crew members and property owners to participate in the OCC, and reduce wildfire risks and restore ecosystems to improve the working environment for wildland firefighters.	5,000.00
Food Roots	Food Roots Local Food Equity Programming	Our Local Food Equity project will remove food access barriers for community members facing food insecurity while supporting local farmers and food producers with increased sales and income, impacting roughly 2,000 individuals and families. Known barriers include rural transportation, knowledge of existing services and opportunities and misperception of local food prices. Funds will be used to provide program staffing to administer services, build community partnerships and collaborations, and to evaluate program impacts to build on this work.	20,000.00
Four Rivers Welcome Center	Citizenship and Certified Medical Interpreters	Four Rivers Welcome Center provides 10 week sessions of Citizenship Preparation classes open to the community without restriction. We work closely with the Oregon Law Center in providing culturally specific, legally accurate Citizenship Preparation classes. We want to continue to offer 3 classes a year which was an increase from before we were funded by Roundhouse Foundation. We would also like to provide scholarships for 2 community members to become Certified Medical Interpreters through OHA approved certification classes.	12,000.00
Friends of the Mentor Program	Support for Mentoring	The Friends of the Mentor Program (FOMP) non-profit was established in 2014 to provide funding opportunities to the Lake County Youth Mentor Program (LCYMP) which was established in 2010. LCYMP connects at-promise youth, grades K-12, with engaged, encouraging adults in mentoring relationships to address the isolation and lack of services felt by youth living in a remote, rural community. The Roundhouse Foundation funds will be used for operational support to provide services to approximately 210 students through four mentoring programs.	20,000.00
Fund for Oregon Rural Journalism	Future Journalists of America	The Future Journalists of America is one of three primary programs the Fund for Oregon Rural Journalism has created to support rural news. This two-year program embeds high school students in newsrooms to learn news literacy and journalism skills, report community news and apply modern techniques to operating a sustainable digital publication. We will work with	10,000.00

		students in Central Oregon during the first academic year. The funds will be used primarily to pay for student internships.	
Good Meat Project	Building a Skilled Good Meat Workforce in Oregon	The Good Meat Project is launching a Butchery Apprenticeship Pilot Program in Oregon to address the labor needs of an estimated 70 meat processors and countless retailers who are crucial to the economic viability and ecological impact of an estimated 7000 farmers and ranchers who invest in healthy land, animals, and people. For its first year, our program will support 3 meat processors as mentors who will train 10 apprentices, with an emphasis on recruiting BIPOC, LGBTQ+ and/or women. Funds will be used to hire a full-time program director.	25,000.00
Harney Hospital Foundation	3D Tomography Mammography matching funds for HHF	We are looking for funds to aid in wrapping up the purchase of a 3D Tomography Mammography machine. The need for the upgrade from our current mammography machine is due to advancements in life saving preventive technology as well as the fact that our current mammo machine is at the end of life. HDH serves all of Harney County for its imaging needs, with just over 7600 people and just under half of them are female; this is a much needed service HDH provides. In 2021 HDH completed 670 mammos.	75,000.00
Hood River Senior Citizens Inc / Hood River Valley Adult Center	Hood River Valley Adult Center Meals on Wheels	The Hood River Valley Adult Center is submitting this grant to help with the soaring food prices we are facing as this pandemic continues, and with supply chain issues getting worse by the day. Funds will be used to purchase food & supplies for our home delivered & congregate meal program. Our price per meal cost has gone from a steady 5.60 per meal to 9.75 per meal and we believe this to increase even more in the next year as we are having to purchase smaller amounts of protein from different locations to meet the numbers we use everyday.	25,000.00
HOPE of Rainier	Food Resources to Strengthen Families in Rural Columbia County	HOPE of Rainier will provide a program of nutritional food resources benefiting an estimated 150 families per month in rural Rainier, Oregon. Funds will specifically be utilized to purchase food for distribution (i.e., fresh fruits and vegetables, meats, bread, milk, baby formula, canned goods).	10,000.00
Immigrant and Refugee Community Organization	Basic Needs Assistance for Immigrant & Refugee Families in Eastern Oregon	Proposed funding will support basic needs assistance (e.g., rent, energy, hygiene kits, food, diapers) to 20-48 immigrant and refugee families in Malheur and Baker counties. It will also support operational infrastructure for storage (to house assistance supplies) and the supervision needed to oversee distribution. Leveraged support will come from our Oregon Department of Human Services Resource Navigator to dole out assistance to our direct service programming including early learning and youth services.	20,000.00
Immigration Counseling Service (ICS)	Immigrant Rural Justice Initiative	Immigration Counseling Service (ICS) is requesting a grant from the Roundhouse Foundation to provide immigrants living in rural areas of Oregon with free and low-cost legal services and strengthen our no-cost monthly rural legal clinics. Through these services and partnerships with local community organizations, ICS provides immigrants and refugees with immediate and meaningful access to a host of fundamental human rights—freedom from violence, access to health and education, and the ability to earn a living wage.	20,000.00
Joseph Center For the Arts	Arts & Culture Programming - General Support	The Joseph Center for Arts and Culture (JCAC) is a gathering place to celebrate, promote and inspire arts and culture for all Wallowa County residents and visitors.	25,000.00

Klamath Folk Alliance	2023 Klamath Folk Festival + Community Workshops	The proposal is to use provided funding to hire a diversity of folk and folk-influenced artists to perform at our annual Klamath Folk Festival, partially compensate an event manager, and make the event more accessible for our lower-income neighbors. Additionally, funding would be used to hire instructors for no-cost/low-cost community workshops involving various forms of music education for all ages. These events, and others we host, use music as a tool to build community across cultures and foster artistic growth.	5,000.00
La Pine Community Kitchen	Hot meals/food pantry	We serve meals to over 3800 low/no income people, free of charge, in the rural communities of La Pine, and the surrounding rural communities in Deschutes, North Klamath, and Lakes counties. We also distribute groceries, and hygiene items. The funds from this grant are needed for general operating expenses, which may include the purchase of some food and hygiene items which, due to the economy, are not being donated in sufficient amounts.	15,000.00
Liberty House	Protecting Children Through Abuse Prevention Education	Liberty House is the Children's Advocacy Center for Marion and Polk Counties. We request a grant to support the work of our Prevention Department as we bring child abuse prevention education to more people in the rural areas in the northern part of our region. This project supports phase one of a three phase project to bring all our services to north Marion County: child abuse prevention education, medical care and forensic interviewing, and mental health therapy.	20,000.00
Lines for Life	YouthLine Satellite Team in Warm Springs	As the YouthLine program continues to build capacity, we will extend programming in Warm Springs/Central Oregon that focuses on recruiting, training and mentoring of youth. We will train and mentor 10+ Native American/Central Oregon youth as volunteers by the end of our grant period. Funds will be used to engage marginalized/minoritized youth volunteers via the YouthLine Fellowship Program, providing stipends intended to mitigate barriers that hinder participation in the YouthLine peer-to-peer support, help, and crisis line.	30,000.00
Linn-Benton Community College / Mid-Valley STEM-CTE Hub	Mobile Maker Space Program for Rural Outreach	The Mid-Valley STEM-CTE Hub Mobile Maker Space (MMS) brings STE(A)M supplies, tools, and technology to afterschool and out-of-school programs dedicated to providing underserved students, communities, and schools in Linn and Benton counties with hands-on building, tinkering, and learning experiences that are oftentimes unavailable. Funds from the Roundhouse Foundation will primarily benefit middle school youth in rural East Linn County by engaging regional educators and volunteers with developing culturally-responsive STEM Kits.	20,000.00
Long Tom Watershed Council	Empowering Tribal Youth through Traditional Ecological Knowledge	The LTWC, in support of the Traditional Ecological Inquiry Program, seeks funding to support Tribal youth in ongoing academic and community engagement by fostering intergenerational connections with the land through the exploration of Indigenous ecological science. TEIP will continue to offer seasonal stipends and material support for 8-10 middle school Indigenous youth working on self-guided TEK inquiries. Funds will also be used to convene and continue Tribal governance and guidance in the form of a TEIP "Talking Circle" advisory board.	20,000.00
Madras Community Food Pantry	Truck Acquisition PLEDGE	Funds granted will be used to purchase a refrigerated truck so that we can safely transport food weekly from NeighborImpact in Redmond to Madras for distribution at our Food Pantry.	50,000.00
Marion Polk Food Share Inc	AWARE Food Bank	Marion Polk Food Share is seeking support for our AWARE Food Bank in Woodburn, so that 7,500 low-income individuals, 65% of whom are people of color, may continue to receive food assistance services that will help them to work, learn and thrive.	15,000.00

MIKE Program	Expanding Mentored Health Education Programming in Rural Oregon	This project will sustain and expand MIKE's Mentored Health Education Programming in schools and other community settings in rural Oregon communities. This project will allow for MIKE to hire the necessary staff to successfully deliver programming and launch new pilot programs in the coming year.	2,500.00
MountainStar Family Relief Nursery	MountainStar - Prineville	MountainStar is a nonprofit organization working directly with vulnerable families in an effort to keep children in Deschutes, Jefferson, and Crook Counties safe from abuse and neglect.	25,000.00
NAMI Lane County	Expand Rural Support and Outreach Programming	We will expand our services in rural Oregon to provide individuals living with mental health conditions and their families with free and confidential services including resource information and peer support programming. Funds will be used to support staff time for executing this work, reimburse mileage for outreach, fund advertising efforts for programming, and establish and maintain pop-up Resource Centers in key rural communities.	7,500.00
National Inventors Hall of Fame, Inc.	Camp Invention STEM & Innovation Programs in Rural Oregon Communities	A grant would help underwrite the fees for Camp Invention campers and Leaders-in-Training for up to 130 underserved children in rural Oregon communities. Local directors award full or partial "scholarships" based on families' needs. Camp Invention is a summer enrichment program for K-9 children with curricula focused on developing creativity, inventive thinking and problem-solving through hands-on science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) content.	20,000.00
Necanicum Watershed Council	Necanicum Chinook Climate Collaborative	The Necanicum Watershed Council (NWC) is pursuing a collaborative approach to land conservation and stewardship in the Necanicum Basin that includes the participation of the Chinook Indian Nation (CIN), the aboriginal title holders and Indigenous peoples of these lands for over 10 thousand years. The project will promote youth education, formalize a partnership and involve CIN in watershed restoration. The project expands capacity through an annual limited-duration internship to establish a permanent Tribal Outreach and Engagement Liaison.	25,000.00
North Coast Food Web	Supporting the North Coast Food Web's Kitchen and Storage Incubator Program	Improving infrastructure in the North Coast will help farm businesses expand both direct-to-consumer and retail markets. With the support of Roundhouse Foundation, North Coast Food Web will strengthen our Kitchen Incubator and Storage Program, enabling 15+ small food and farm businesses in our region to start, grow, and expand. The funding will enable us to hire a manager to build and run a high-quality commercial kitchen and storage program that meets producers' needs and supports them through the next step in serving our local community.	25,000.00
NW Noggin	Synaptic Community Connections	NW Noggin has brought real brain specimens, art projects, artists and graduate/undergraduate researchers to over 55,000 K-12 students and individuals since 2012. We propose to extend our interdisciplinary outreach in rural Oregon. We go places entirely as volunteers to listen, learn and collaborate, and to explore where our own stories from labs and classrooms might connect. Funds will help bring volunteers to K-12 students in school districts across the state.	5,000.00
Old Mill Center for Children and Families	Critical supports and playground equipment for Monroe Relief Nursery	To serve the clientele in rural South Benton County, we seek funds for our Satellite Relief Nursery established in 2020. We will create a shelter for the playground for the children in South Benton County, which are a portion of the total clientele of 2000 people that we serve with our programs. With financial supports, and enhancement of the playground experience so that kids are out of the rain, our aim is to alleviate the immediate stressors that children and families have, and ultimately, help prevent child abuse and neglect.	10,000.00

Ophelia's Place	Junction City Partnership to Promote Positive Youth Development	With support from The Roundhouse Foundation, we will strengthen our connections with rural communities in Oregon and facilitate a Junction City Partnership to Promote Positive Youth Development. Ophelia's Place will provide a suite of prevention-focused programming benefiting an estimated 2,000 youth (ages 10-18) in rural Junction City, Oregon and the nearby rural communities of Harrisburg, Monroe, Veneta/Elmira, and Mapleton. Specifically, funding will support the staff facilitating the program, mileage, and program supplies/materials.	30,000.00
Oregon Agricultural Trust	Farm and Ranch Succession Education for Producers and Service Providers	We will create a 6-part video library of case studies on how working land conservation easements can support business and succession planning, told by the farmers, ranchers, and service providers (attorneys, lenders, accountants) who were involved, as well as a companion training manual and powerpoint for service providers. The materials will be available long-term on our website, shared via social media, and used to train 200 farm service providers/year at events coordinated by OAT and partners (e.g. Small Business Development Center).	25,000.00
Oregon Association of Relief Nurseries	Relief Nursery Oversight - General Support	OARN leads and sustains a network of independent relief nurseries across Oregon. Preventing abuse and neglect and keeping families together.	5,000.00
Oregon Desert Land Trust	ODLT Regional Stewardship Manager and Trout Creek Ranch signage	We will hire a Regional Stewardship Manager based in southeast Oregon who will be responsible for growing our partnerships with Tribes, landowners, land managers, and other groups across the region. The Manager's work will focus on developing management plans, monitoring land health, and coordinating restoration and innovation efforts across Oregon Desert Land Trust properties spanning over 20,000 acres. In addition, we will establish signage on our Trout Creek Ranch property to address land management, public access and education goals.	38,260.00
Oregon East Symphony	Oregon East Symphony 2022-2023 Concert Season	The Oregon East Symphony is seeking funding for its 37th annual concert season which will encompass five professional level concerts presented to a rural audience with programs that include symphonic works, holiday music, chamber music and chorale music.	10,000.00
Oregon Humanities	Enriching Rural Communities Through Conversation	As our state struggles with divisions, conversation is an essential and steadfast tool for building connection, understanding, and equity in rural Oregon. Oregon Humanities will provide hundreds of rural Oregonians opportunities to engage their neighbors in difficult discussions, explore diverse perspectives, and strengthen relationships. Grant funds would be used to partner with rural libraries and other partners to hold reflective conversations, workshops, and training in person and online through our fiscal year 2023.	15,000.00
Oregon Jewish Museum and Center for Holocaust Education	Expanding Education and Engagement to Rural Oregon Communities	Funds will be used to support development of an online version of a new core exhibition currently under development, "Human Rights After the Holocaust," to serve the needs of educators, students and the general public who are unable to visit the museum. Funds will also support connecting the new exhibit, as well as existing OJMCHC materials and programs, to rural educators, students and the general public.	25,000.00
Oregon Lions Sight & Hearing Foundation	Patient Care and School Vision Screening in Rural Oregon Communities	Roundhouse Foundation funding will be used to operate OLSHF's vision and hearing services for underserved people in rural Oregon, specifically our School Vision Screening and Patient Care Programs. Roundhouse funds will help OLSHF to - 1. Screen the vision of 4,000 children in rural communities in Oregon during the 2022-23 fiscal year 2. Provide surgery and treatment for approximately 10 adults in rural communities during the 2022-23 fiscal year	20,000.00

Oregon Shores Conservation Coalition	Marine Debris Education and Art for Oregon South Coast Schools	Oregon Shores' CoastWatch program will work with three south coast schools to provide education in shoreline natural history and science, field experiences on miles of shoreline adopted by the schools, knowledge of marine debris and how it may abate, and opportunities for artistic expression related to marine debris. Both marine debris cleanups and art projects will be led by artist and marine debris expert Elizabeth Roberts. Roundhouse Foundation funds will cover Ms. Roberts' time, and share a portion of other projects costs.	14,500.00
Oregon Spinal Cord Injury Connection	Southern Oregon Community Health Worker Program	Oregon Spinal Cord Injury Connection (OSCI) is requesting funding to expand its community health worker (CHW) program in the southern Oregon region benefitting 750 people. OSCI employs people with spinal cord injuries (SCI) as CHW to respond to acute needs of clients, build social fabric of the community through community programs, and elevate community voice through advocacy. The funds will be used to support personnel, purchase program supplies, and build strategic partnerships.	15,000.00
Parousia dba SriPonya	SriPonya Central Oregon Recovery Collective	SriPonya Recovery Collective will serve as a hub for healing through creativity, culturally responsive and trauma-informed programs and community gatherings in rural Oregon. The Roundhouse Grant funds will be used for: (1) partnering and collaborating with community organizations to host documentary screenings about addiction and key mental health issues with panel discussions as well as other sober community gatherings; (2) building out our virtual web content; and (3) offering transformational, in-person and on-line recovery programs.	15,000.00
Pueblo Unido PDX	Collective of Indigenous Interpreters of Oregon (CIIO)	Funding from the Roundhouse Foundation will support coordination and provision of interpretation for at least 40 Indigenous language speakers in rural communities and an in-person outreach presentation in a rural area about Pueblo Unido's legal and social navigation services and Indigenous language interpretation services.	33,155.00
Redmond Council for Senior Citizens Inc.	Grow Meals on Wheels	Redmond Senior Center will provide an additional 40 home-delivered meals to income-eligible older adults in the greater Redmond area and increase online engagement opportunities for approximately 1,300 older adults in our service area. Funds will be used to: (1) increase the number of home-delivered meals prepared and served daily by 33% from 120 to 160; and (2) replace our existing website with a robust, interactive, senior-friendly version.	20,000.00
Rogue Action Center	Disaster Relief Team	The Rogue Action Center (RAC) and our partners have launched the Disaster Relief Team (DRT) to empower communities with the support, knowledge, and resources to recover from disasters. DRT continues to respond to the 2020 Fires while preparing for future disasters. Based on principles of mutual aid, DRT is building the groundwork to bring critical supplies and infrastructure to a disaster area and rapidly deploy aid and support.	10,000.00
Rogue Community Health	Remote Health Monitoring for Rural Patients	We will provide equipment and training for remote blood pressure and glucose monitoring for patients in rural areas. Funds will be used to purchase blood pressure cuffs (250) and glucose monitors (100) to interface with our telehealth system.	24,500.00
Rogue Valley Farm to School	Digging Deeper, Building a More Equitable Local Food System	We will increase the local markets for locally produced foods and improve the quality school meals served to students in Southern Oregon. We also will streamline the delivery process between the farms and cafeterias. Currently, we work with the food services in the Talent/Phoenix, Central Point, Medford, and Grants Pass School Districts reaching more than	7,500.00

		6,000 students, we hope to greatly increase this number with these funds. We will be partnering with the Rogue Valley Food System Network as well as the State Oregon Farm to School Network.	
Rogue Valley Mentoring	Expanding Mental Health Support to Jackson County Youth	Rogue Valley Mentoring (RVM) seeks funding to meet the increased mental health needs of youth in Jackson County due to COVID-19 and the 2020 Almeda wildfire which have resulted in significant and acute collective trauma in our community. Funds will support the expansion of mentoring services including additional training for school staff in crisis intervention, suicide prevention, social-emotional support, and more. Funds will also support increased community outreach activities throughout Jackson County to reach more youth.	20,000.00
Rural Development Initiatives, Inc	Spanish-Language Child Care Business Training in Northeastern Oregon	RDI will provide Spanish-language childcare business training to rural Latinx, building skills for existing providers and leading to the creation of new childcare businesses in underserved rural areas. Northeastern Oregon was selected based on size of Latinx population, lack of access to resources, and regional interest in the program. Roundhouse funds will be used for class facilitators, business consultants, course materials, and expenses related to outreach, implementation, and technical assistance to support 20-30 childcare entrepreneurs.	20,000.00
Sisters School District	Care Solace Grant	The Sisters School District would like to utilize Care Solace as an independent resource to coordinate scheduling mental health appointments for students, staff, and families of the Sisters School District. Care Solace organizes reliable, ethical, and high-quality mental healthcare services no matter the circumstances within 24-72 hours and 365 days a year. This grant has the potential to help 650+ families in the Sisters Community.	14,000.00
Source One Serenity	Purpose-driven Land Stewardship and Ecotherapy for Veterans	Source One Serenity prioritizes the mental health of rural low-income veterans in under-resourced Douglas County. Roundhouse Foundation funds will support program supplies and the organization's Executive Director salary, which will provide additional capacity to advance our ecotherapy program and purpose-driven environmental stewardship. Currently, the Executive Director works 10 hours per week and due to the extreme success of programs, the position needs an additional 15 hours per week to manage the additional workload.	2,500.00
South Lane Mental Health Services, Inc.	Computer Server Replacement	South Lane Mental Health is seeking funding for a computer server. Our current computer server is almost 8 years old, and a server's average life span is typically 5-8 years. A server stores, retrieves, and sends files and data to other computers on its network. This storage frees up memory, enabling individual PCs to perform better. In our case, this storage includes the confidential data of our clients held in our electronic health record. If approved, the requested funds will be used to purchase the server.	10,000.00
Southern Oregon Education Service District	4th Biennial Southern Oregon Trade and Career Expo	A Trade and Career Expo to introduce Southwestern Oregon High School students, Veterans (and spouses), active Military (and spouses) and referrals from public assistance and private agencies to living wage career opportunities in manufacturing, trades, professional and related industries. The next event is scheduled for September 26, 2023 and we have received preliminary engagement of 2,000 or more attendees from six counties and 145 vendors with more agencies and businesses registering every day.	15,000.00
The Stronghold: A Culturally Responsive Peer Support Program	The Stronghold: A Culturally Responsive Peer Support Program	The Stronghold is located in Chiloquin, Oregon, the historical and centralized location for the Klamath Tribes, providing peer delivered services and transitional living to individuals in displaced situations, seeking out opportunities as they navigate through services providers within Klamath County. Services provided exceed over 200 plus individuals, as the Stronghold provides basic necessities, hygiene/toiletries, food boxes, gift cards, connection to resources, education, employment and a clothing closet to community members in need.	20,000.00

Think Wild	Think Wild Education Program	Think Wild will provide education programming (onsite, offsite, and online) for over 2,000 Central and Eastern Oregon K-12 youth that nurtures appreciation for the local environment and provides hands-on learning opportunities with real community impact. Think Wild will use the grant funds to support ongoing operating costs and increased capacity needs to build upon current and develop new education opportunities and partnerships that reach rural and underserved students and educators within Deschutes, Jefferson and Crook Counties.	10,000.00
Todos Juntos	Innovational Education for Rural Clackamas County	We will serve underserved rural communities of Sandy/Estacada and Canby/Molalla. This proposal will fill the gap in our services allowing us to serve youth 7-18 years of age and their families. Programming includes specialized literacy programming for kindergarten to 3rd grade; early learning from 2nd to 5th grade, homework help to our migrant students, enhance summer learning and help us fill the gap and provide education opportunities to the vulnerable ages of 7-12 years old.	20,000.00
Trout Unlimited	Deschutes STREAM Connections Expansion Program	Trout Unlimited's (TU) Deschutes STREAM Connections Expansion Program will reach 1000 students and Girl Scouts in 9 local communities in Deschutes and Jefferson Counties by implementing in-class and after-school watershed outdoor education projects, hands-on river restoration activities, and TU's STREAM Girls curricula. Activities are designed to build confidence in youth as they pursue outdoor skills, science activities, and practice watershed stewardship. Funding will support 18 months of TU coordination, teaching, field trips, and supplies.	15,000.00
Turning Point Community Center Inc.	Emergency Food Supplies for Children and Families in Rural Clatskanie	Turning Point will respond to crisis situations and provide a program of emergency food supplies for an estimated 1,000 families encountering poverty and hunger in rural Clatskanie, Oregon. Grant funds will be utilized to purchase nutritious food items for distribution, in addition to expanding our cold food storage capacity.	15,000.00
Umpqua Valley Farm to School	Supporting a Connected Food System - General Support	We believe food security begins with a strong community connection to the land and its food. By supporting local food systems and providing education to Douglas County youth, UVF2S cultivates skills and passion to build food-community connections. UVF2S aims to achieve an equitable and sustainable food system that nurtures and strengthens Douglas County's people and economy.	2,500.00
United Community Action Network	Food Acquisition and Distribution	Grant funds from Roundhouse Foundation will help Feeding Umpqua in Douglas County enhance operations to meet added emergency food needs. Feeding Umpqua will use additional funds to help meet the needs of approximately 7,000 individuals in need of additional emergency food.	20,000.00
United Way of Southwestern Oregon	Every Child - Coos and Curry	Every Child Coos and Every Child Curry provide love, care, and support to youth in care, resource (foster) parents, biological families, and kinship families throughout their journey. Funds will support new and ongoing Every Child activities including meals, child care, community building events, youth sports scholarships, family night activity kits, tangible health/safety items, and staff time to manage these activities.	10,000.00
Upper McKenzie Community Center	Upper McKenzie Community Center ADA Accessible Bathroom and Kitchen Remodel	We are remodeling our bathrooms and kitchen to be ADA accessible through funding from the Oregon Community Foundation and Ford Family Foundation. Our kitchen will be enlarged and structurally rearranged as part of this remodel. We will have cabinets donated, but we are asking for funding to purchase new kitchen appliances appropriate for a community kitchen. We want to provide a kitchen for community events such as potlucks, weddings, funerals, and gatherings that is accessible to everyone. We want our elders to teach traditional cooking.	56,000.00

Waterfall Clinic	Dillain's Place PLEDGE	Dillian's Place will be the first and only accessible and inclusive playground open to the community along Oregon's Southern Coast. Roundhouse Foundation funds will be used specifically to purchase playground equipment for Dillian's Place. Playground equipment that is accessible for children of all abilities is costly thus we are seeking partnerships to purchase.	25,000.00
Western Environmental Law Center	Providing Legal Technical Assistance Tribes	The Western Environmental Law Center uses the power of the law to safeguard the public lands, wildlife, and communities of the western U.S. in the face of a changing climate. We envision a thriving, resilient western U.S., abundant with protected public lands and wildlife, powered by clean energy, and defended by communities rooted in an ethic of conservation.	10,000.00
Wildlife Images Rehabilitation and Education Center	Wildlife Rehab and Education Programs - General Support	WIREC's mission is to save wildlife and to provide educational programs about wildlife, conservation, and the environment. WIREC is the educational leader of a healthy co-existence with our wildlife neighbors through the rehabilitation of sick, injured and orphaned animals. We work to create environmental stewardships by educating children and adults about the benefits of taking care of the wildlife entrusted to our care.	10,000.00
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Multi-Year Commitments: The organizations below applied in the Fall grants process and have been selected for multi-year funding (Amt Awarded X 3 years). Organizations selected for multi-year funding have an established relationship with Roundhouse and/or represent an area of strategic support.

Organization Name	Project Name	Project Summary	2022 Amount Awarded
Deschutes Public Library Foundation	A Novel Idea	The Deschutes Public Library Foundation's annual "A Novel Idea" program builds community by encouraging residents to read, discuss, and explore selected books and their themes together. All programs are free and open. "A Novel Idea" is beginning its 20th year and has grown into the largest community read program in the state of Oregon with more than 13,000 people participating last year.	10,000
Literary Arts	Literary Arts' Oregon Book Awards Author Tour to Rural Oregon Communities	Literary Arts respectfully requests support for our Oregon Book Awards (OBA) Author Tour to visit rural communities throughout the state. On the tour, OBA award winners and finalists will visit 4-6 rural Oregon communities to give free, public, in-person readings, workshops, and school visits. Literary Arts will collaborate with rural literary partners, libraries, independent bookstores, and schools to schedule and market the tours and free community events. Literary Arts will also pay authors' honorariums, mileage, and lodging.	10,000
Neighbors For Kids	Brighter Days Ahead	Neighbors For Kids will support the needs of children and families in rural Lincoln County, Oregon, with its year-round, out-of-school-time programs and services. NFK will make a positive impact on the community with the "Brighter Days Ahead" Program. In 2023, this program will serve up to 300 youth ages 3-18. Grant funds would support implementation of the Little Kids	25,000

		Zone Preschool, Kids Zone After-School Program, Teen Zone Program, Summer Day Camp, and the USDA Food Program. (Grant extended for aligned programming in 2024 and 2025.)	
Nonprofit Association of Oregon	Capacity Building for Rural Nonprofits	We will build the capacity of Oregon's rural nonprofits by using these grant funds to put on a grant writing series focused on obtaining grants from public funding as well as work with selected Roundhouse grantees on responsive support measures to meet their unique needs. These responsive measures will include listening sessions, NAO memberships, and access to current and past NAO resources.	40,000
Oregon Adaptive Sports	Moving Mountains	The Moving Mountains project will expand the reach of the OAS mission for youth and new-to-OAS athletes, as well as creating new program opportunities at Mt Ashland and Mt Hood.	20,000
Rogue Valley Children's Discovery Museum	Educational Activities & Programming	We will provide educational activities and drop-in classes to 4,300 young children and their families each month over the next year. We will use project grant funds to support the cost of hiring one new museum educator and sustaining a total of 6 museum educator and support positions over the year. These educators provide instruction during drop-in classes; offer mentorship, support, and resources for parents; and some offer bilingual or multicultural classes.	25,000
Talent Maker City	TMC's Rise Up + Rebuild & Professional Development Programs	Talent Maker City will continue our Rise Up + Rebuild programming to support Southern Oregon communities that continue to be impacted by the Alameda Fire. Recovery will take years, so we are working with partners to provide innovative, hands-on workshops for everyone in our community to make needed items for those directly impacted by the fire. Grant support will also be used to continue professional development for staff to strengthen our services, provide more representation for the communities we serve, and enhance organizational culture.	25,000
Thadds Place	Thadds Place Grief Center and Cancer Support	We will provide grief counseling and companionship for clients. Currently we are the only grief center in Eastern and Central Oregon that focuses on children's grief and offer grief counseling in group sessions as well as individual settings. Funds from this potential grant would be used to supplement the LSWC salary in conjunction with Blue Mountain Hospice. Since the establishment of Thadd's Place in 2020 we have worked hard to make a shift in mental health as it relates to normalizing grief support.	10,000
The 1017 Project	1017 Project - Beef for food banks	In Oregon 1 in 10 people are experiencing hunger. In addition, food banks and community kitchens are experiencing historic deficiencies in nutritionally balanced food donations to food insecure families, which is contributing to increases in life threatening ailments such as diabetes, cancer, and cardiovascular disease among our most vulnerable citizens. The 1017 Project will increase donations of high-quality USDA beef to low-income Central Oregonians by providing protein servings to over 40 food pantries, kitchens and schools.	10,000
Tower Theatre Foundation	LessonPLAN/Educational Programming & General Ops Support	We will apply grant funding awarded from the Roundhouse Foundation toward our arts education program, LessonPLAN, and general operations of the Tower Theatre.	20,000
Upper Deschutes Watershed Council	The Upstream Stewardship Project	The Upstream Stewardship Project will engage 100 adult community members and 400 local students in watershed education and stewardship activities. Project participants will develop an informed connection to our home waters that inspires them to become active, long-term watershed stewards.	25,000