

March 22, 2022 Grant Report Narrative

We have submitted or are working on thirty-nine (39) grant proposals totaling \$4,030,989 for fiscal year 2021-22.

\$377,200 of this has been approved and \$1,726,700 is pending.

Funding Notices:

We received two funding notices since the last grant report. These include:

- \$257,084 from the National Science Foundation as a Supplemental request to the iMEC 2.0 grant project. The additional funds will be used to purchase additional iREAL trainers, fund additional adjunct/overload pay and professional development for secondary instructors that support the project as classroom facilitators. This is a consortium project with South Central College in Minnesota. CCC would receive \$171,586 of the total requested funds. Nate Allen and Doug Pauley are leads on this project.
- \$31,795, Heartland United Way Adult Education. This project will provide funding to the Adult Education program in the Grand Island area. Project is led by Becky Fausett and Ron Kluck

We were also notified that award application to the World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics for an Award of Excellence in the Sustainable Development Goals category was not selected.

Projects Submitted

Three new grant/award applications were submitted this past month.

- \$2,885, ASTI Tree Climbing Safety Training. Funding to support an Arborist Safety Training Institute to be held on the Hastings Campus in October 2022. Aaron Thiessen is the lead.
- \$513, Nebraska Statewide Arboretum. This grant will fund “water wise” plants for the Columbus campus. Ben Newton is the lead.
- \$50,250, NFM Community. Request is to help support the Inclusive Playground project at Ryder Park in Grand Island. The project is a collaboration between the OTA students/program and the City of Grand Island.

In Development

- \$450,000 (estimate) Nebraska Dept of Education, Perkins (Yr 3). Due May 1
- USDA, RISE – Jobs Incubator project, Hastings, led by Maggie Esch and Roxann Holliday
- Perkins reVISION Action Grant, \$100,000 to support the purchase of a truck driving simulator for the Truck Driving program, led by Matt McCann and Nate Allen
- Benjamin Black, \$5,000 to support Christmas of Giving on the Grand Island campus, led by Nick Freelend.
- Up to \$6M. Registered Apprenticeship Program, due April 25, led by Jerry Wallace and Catrina Grey. CCC will be the lead applicant and partner with Northeast Community College.
- Nebraska Career Scholarships 2022-23 cohort. Due in late March/early April

Mini grants

We had one application for mini-grants for the spring round of competition. The proposal was submitted by Haiwei Lu on the Hastings campus. Her proposal will support a lab experimentation project which will allow students to regenerate poplar plants from a single cell.

Reminder:

If anyone is interested in pursuing the “Strengthening Community College Training” grant opportunity, please let me know by March 31. An email with the summary of the project was emailed to the deans and campus presidents on March 15.

We continue to review new grant opportunities each day and send them out to everyone as appropriate. We realize we cannot apply for each and every opportunity that arises, but I encourage you to review them in a timely manner and let us know right away if you are interested in either learning more or developing an application. The turnaround time on most grants is fairly short, so it is important to get started as soon as possible.

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Fiscal Year	# of Grant Projects	Multi - Year (Total) Amount Requested	Multi - Year (Total) Pending	Approved Amount	Not Funded	% of Year
13-14 YTD	72	\$6,929,196	\$0	\$4,855,983	\$1,963,302	100%
14-15 YTD	74	\$12,411,427	\$0	\$8,440,360	\$5,202,847	100%
15-16 YTD	87	\$10,562,485	\$0	\$7,424,878	\$3,007,680	100%
16-17 YTD	82	\$8,542,445	\$0	\$4,345,136	\$4,179,115	100%
17-18 YTD	88	\$9,972,357	\$0	\$8,188,026	\$1,445,442	100%
18-19 YTD	88	\$6,915,278	\$0	\$6,084,494	\$830,784	100%
19-20 YTD	94	\$12,138,650	\$0	\$10,830,376	\$1,308,274	100%
20-21 YTD	43	\$8,298,463	\$20,622	\$6,195,495	\$2,278,555	100%
21-22 YTD	39	\$4,030,989	\$1,726,700	\$377,200	\$778,380	75%

Proposal Number	Agency	Title	PI	Agency Deadline	Submitted	Requested	Received
Dispositioned							
2122-020	National Science Foundation	iMEC 2.0 Supplemental	N. Allen; D. Pauley	n/a	01/07/22	\$257,084	\$257,084
2122-033	Heartland United Way	Adult Education	R. Fausett	01/17/22	01/10/22	\$35,500	\$31,795
2122-019	World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics	Award of Excellence - Sustainable Development Goals	B. Newton	10/31/21	10/28/21	\$0	\$0
Dispositioned Total						\$292,584	\$288,879

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Current Year Active/Funded							
2021-017	National Science Foundation	Project CUATRO (Partnership with CSU-Pueblo)	L. Gillespie	02/10/21	02/10/21	\$136,440	\$136,440
2122-001	Nebraska Statewide Arboreteum	Free Trees for Fall Planting	Aaron Thiessen		07/06/21	\$25,000	\$25,000
2122-002	Caterpillar Foundation	Caterpillar Foundation DEF Matching Grant	Nathan Allen		07/01/21	\$1	\$1
2122-003	Nebraska Cattlemen's Ball Advisory Board	Multi-taction Wall	K. Fuchser		07/28/21	\$9,000	\$5,000
2122-005	Humanities Nebraska	Native American Curriculum	R. O'Brien/R. Holliday		07/29/21	\$17,004	\$12,500
2122-006	Nebraska Cattlemen's Ball Advisory Board	Food Pantry	K. Fuchser		07/28/21	\$1,000	\$500
2122-007	First Presbyterian Church of Hastings, NE	Hastings Food and Hygiene Pantry	B. Stalvey; S. Griffith	10/14/21	10/14/21	\$2,000	\$2,000
2122-011	Nebraska Department of Labor	THIO Industrial LLC Welding Certification	D. Pauley	09/30/21	09/29/21	\$7,360	\$7,360

2122-012	Nebraska Department of Labor	Metalquest Leadership	S Samuelson; J. Davis	09/30/21	09/30/21	\$1,260	\$1,260
2122-013	Nebraska Department of Labor	CNH Industrial Leadership	S. Hooker	09/30/21	09/30/21	\$4,700	\$4,700
2122-015	Cargill, Inc.	Cargill Cares	D. Pauley		02/25/21	\$20,000	\$20,000
2122-016	Vern A and Esther M. Taylor Charitable Trust Wells Fargo	Vern & Esther Taylor Scholarships	D. Moors	09/30/21	09/30/21	\$2,500	\$2,500
2122-018	Nebraska Rod and Custom Association	ADAS Calibration System-AUTB	N. Allen; A. Feeney; M. Hoskins	12/31/21	11/17/21	\$7,500	\$7,500
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2122-033	Heartland United Way	Adult Education	R. Fausett	01/17/22	01/10/22	\$35,500	\$31,795
Awarded Total in 2021-22							\$526,349 \$513,640

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Pending							
2021-009	Dept. of Transportation	NSTI: Nebraska Summer Transportation Institutute for 2022	S. Hooker / J. Weston	10/23/20	10/22/20	\$20,622	
2122-017	Peter Kiewit Foundation	Nebraska Math Readiness Project (NMRP)	C. Hatt / A. Mancini	10/22/21	10/22/21	\$514,863	
2122-021	US Dept of Economic Develoopment / State Chamber	Good Jobs Challenge	N. Allen; E. Pryzmus	02/10/22		\$683,919	
2122-022	Nebraska Department of Labor	WTG Camaco GMAW	D. Pauley	12/31/21	12/22/21	\$5,100	
2122-023	Nebraska Department of Labor	WTG Camaco Robo Welding	D. Pauley	12/31/21	12/22/21	\$5,400	
2122-024	Nebraska Department of Labor	WTG Crete Carrier LDS	S. Hooker	12/31/21	12/22/21	\$1,200	
2122-028	Suzanne and Walter Scott Foundation	Scott Pathway Scholarships	N. Allen / A. Feeney	02/18/22	02/17/22	tbd	
2122-029	Verizon Foundation	Verizon Innovative Learning 2022	R. Kluck / D. Lux	02/18/22	02/15/22	\$120,000	
2122-030	University of Nebraska	Nebraska Science S-STEM Sub-Award	A. Burnham / L. Gillespie	02/22/22	02/22/22	\$342,570	
2022-034	Arborist Safety Training Institute	ASTI Tree Climbing Safety Training	Aaron Thiessen	03/01/22	02/25/22	\$2,885	
2122-036	Nebraska Statewide Arboreteum	Water Wise Plants for Columbus Campus	Benjamin Newton	03/17/22	03/17/22	\$513	

2122-037	NFMCommunity	NE Furniture Mart Inclusive Playground	Jessica Rohan	02/28/22	\$50,250	
2021-22	Total Pending				\$1,747,322	

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In Development							
	Catholic Climate Covenant	Native American Curriculum Project	R. O'Brien; L. Higel	n/a		\$3,000	
	Science Education Partnership (SEPA)	Native American Curriculum Project	R. O'Brien; L. Higel	n/a		\$2,000	
2122-025	USDA	Rural Innovation Stronger Economy (RISE)	R. Holliday; M. Esch	04/19/22		abt 1,000,000	
2122-026	Benjamin A. Black Charitable Trust for Children (Wells Fargo)	Christmas of Caring	N. Freelend	03/31/22		\$5,000	
2122-027	Nebraska Dept of Education	Perkins reVISION Action Grant	N. Allen	03/15/22		\$100,000	
2122-032	NVIDIA Academic Hardware Grant Program		R. Holliday; M. Setlik	01/24/22		\$26,000	
2122-035	Benjamin A. Black Charitable Trust for Children (Wells Fargo)	Benjamin Black CCCF Inclusive Playground	Jessica Rohan	03/31/22		\$5,000	
2122-038	U.S. Department of Labor	Registered Apprenticeships	Catrina Gray	04/25/22		abt \$6M	
2122-039	Nebraska Department of Education	Perkins V - Year 3 (2022-23)	Candace Walton	05/01/22		Abt 400,000	
In Development Total							

CCC Mini-Grants	Project Name	Faculty/Staff	Awarded
SP 2022	Totipotency: regenerating popular plants	Haiwei Lu	\$4,990
FA 2021	Degrees Food Truck Grand Opening Tour	Ronnie O'Brien	\$2,800
FA 2021	Coffee Flights and Baked Goods	Ronnie O'Brien	\$1,500
2021-22	Total Mini-Grants Awarded		\$9,290