

Project Cornerstone

Cornerstone Credit Union's **PROJECT CORNERSTONE** is about enhancing the quality of life for the people in our communities. A total of \$30,000 is available annually through PROJECT CORNERSTONE funding.

If your community group or organization is raising money for a capital project that supports the development of the community, it may qualify for PROJECT CORNERSTONE funding of up to \$30,000.

Applications will be accepted from May 1st - September 30th.

Eligibility Criteria

- The project or program must support one of two priority areas:
 1. Community and economic development
 2. Youth and education
- Funding used to build, expand and/or improve facilities that support the development of our communities and/or development and implementation of programs that support the people in our communities.
- Must benefit groups or many people in the community.
- Must be a capital project or a one-time investment.
Annual operating costs will not qualify for PROJECT CORNERSTONE.
- The majority of funds is directly utilized for the project or program, with minimal administrative costs.
- Must be completed within one year of receiving Project Cornerstone funding. **Receipts and invoices are required.**
- Provides the most exposure possible while maintaining Cornerstone Credit Union's respected and professional image.
- Project or program reflects positively on Cornerstone Credit Union. Key players in the project may be asked to co-operate with the credit union in publicity opportunities.

Funding will not be provided for

- Annual operating costs
- Projects or programs that take place outside the Cornerstone Credit Union region

- Projects that have been funded previously
- Political or religious organizations
- Advocacy organizations whose causes are publicly controversial
- Individuals
- Conferences

Additional Information

- An organization can be funded more than once, but a project cannot.
- While membership at Cornerstone Credit Union is not a requirement, preference will be given to our members when the final decision must be made between two comparable projects.

Apply Now

Applications will be accepted from May 1 to September 30. All requests for funding through PROJECT CORNERSTONE are required to complete a formal application. The application must be complete and clear. It is important to include all relevant information about the project or program, as the recipient will be selected based on the information provided to the selection committee. Requests will be reviewed on an annual basis. Completed applications, along with supporting documents, can be submitted online, returned to your local branch of Cornerstone Credit Union, or by mail, fax, or email.



PROJECT CORNERSTONE intends to grant the funding to one project or program each year. However depending on the number and nature of the applications that are received, funding may be split between one or more worthwhile projects.

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Project or Program:

Project or Program Name: _____

Organization: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

City / Province: _____

Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Profile:

Amount requested: _____

What focus area does your project or program fall under?

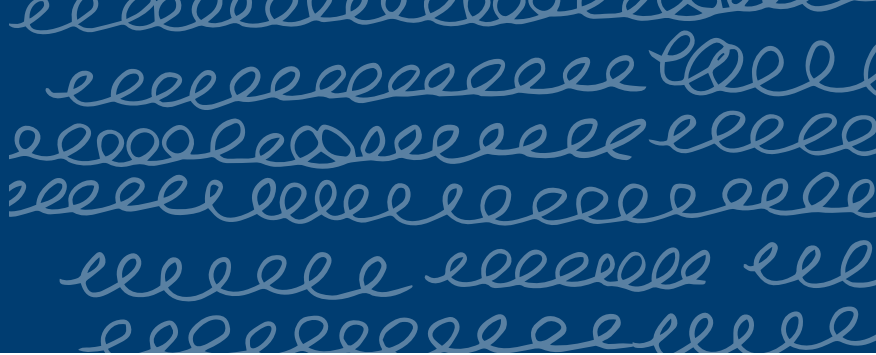
Community and Economic Development

Youth and Education

How did you hear about PROJECT CORNERSTONE: _____

Summarize your project in one sentence. (For example: To upgrade the hall.)

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Organization Information

If the space provided is insufficient, attach additional documents when submitting your application.

Provide a brief history of your organization. What is the primary focus of your organization?

List the Directors of the organization, if incorporated. If the organization is not incorporated, indicate to whom the organization is accountable?

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Project Information

Provide details about this specific project or program.

Is this the first time this project or program is being done? If not, briefly explain the history of the project or program.

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Identify how the community will be involved in this project or program.

What target audience or group will benefit most from this project or program? How often will this project or program be used?

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How will this project or program enhance the social, developmental and/or economic well-being of the community?

Financial Information

Total Cost of Project: _____

Funds Raised to Date: _____

Identify sources of funding (*sponsors, donors, grants, etc*):

Provide a timeline of your project:

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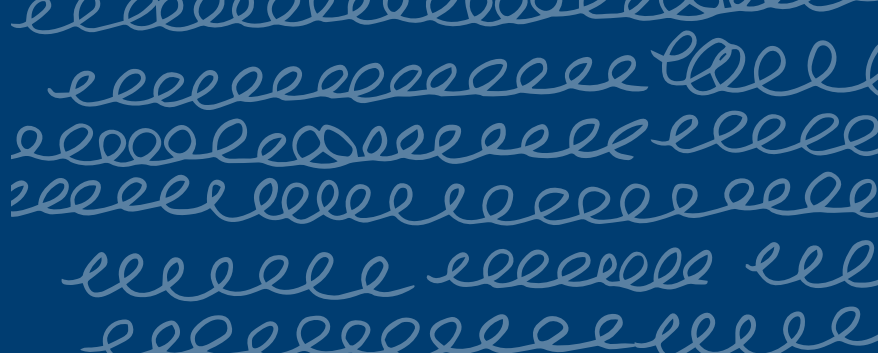


Additional Information

How will this project or program build or enhance the profile of Cornerstone Credit Union in the community? How will Cornerstone be recognized if this project was chosen?

Cornerstone Credit Union employees are very involved in the communities we serve, and volunteer thousands of hours each year to local community organizations and initiatives. Please indicate how Cornerstone Credit Union employees could get involved in your project?

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Thank you for completing the **PROJECT CORNERSTONE** application.
Please include any other relevant information of the project or program with this application.

All applications will be reviewed and evaluated by a selection committee comprised of Cornerstone Credit Union Staff and Board Members.

All candidates will be notified
of the selection committee's
decision prior to
December 31, 2018.

Return completed application to your local branch or:

By mail

Cornerstone Credit Union
c/o Marketing Department
PO Box 1210
Yorkton, SK S3N 2X3

By email

marketing@cornerstonecu.com

By fax

306-786-6878