

Urban & Community Forestry Grants



Community Forestry Assistance Grant Program

Community Forestry Assistance (CFA) Grants prioritize projects that improve urban tree canopies, promoting equitable distribution statewide. CFA grants offer a maximum award of \$25,000 with a 20% match requirement, totaling \$100,000 in federal funding for projects across Nevada.

Applicants can submit proposals for **Program Development and Urban Tree Canopy Management Projects** or **Planting and Education Projects**.

Eligibility Criteria


Eligible projects must meet Federal and State Program objectives for Urban Forestry, as outlined in the [Ten Year National Urban and Community Forestry Action Plan](#) and/or the [2020 Nevada Forest, Range, and Watershed Action Plan](#). Generally speaking, projects that develop, strengthen, and expand urban canopies can be submitted for consideration.



Nevada's Champion Sequoia.
Photo by Stephen Leonardi, courtesy of NASF

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Key Dates

Application Portal
Opens

December 9, 2024

Applications
Due

February 9, 2025
11:59 pm PST

Award
Notification

February 23, 2025

Program Development and Tree Canopy Management

Funding Request Range	Grant Delivery Method	Communities Served	Eligible Entities
\$5,000 - \$25,000	Subgrant award from NDF	Statewide	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Local governments 2. Tribal governments 3. Non-profit organizations with 501(c) 3 status 4. Public educational institutions.

Cost/In Kind Match Requirement	Project Time Frame	Eligible Activities (not an exhaustive list)
20%	Up to 2 years	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Workforce development 2. Municipal or community tree canopy planning and management. 3. Planting and demonstration projects. 4. Urban forest resiliency. 5. Urban forest equity. 6. Urban wood utilization. 7. Public outreach and education.

Planting and Education Grants

Funding Request Range	Grant Delivery Method	Communities Served	Eligible Entities
\$1,000 - \$5,000	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Subgrant award from NDF, <p>OR</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. NDF direct purchase of materials 	Statewide	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. State agencies 4. Counties 5. Communities 6. Educational institutions 7. Tribal governments 8. Non-profit 501(c)3 groups 9. Neighborhood associations 10. Civic groups 11. Religious groups

Cost/In Kind Match Requirement	Project Time Frame	Eligible Activities (not an exhaustive list)
20%	Up to 1 year	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tree planting supplies (soil amendments, mulch, tree protection) 2. Irrigation (no hard line) 3. Tree care training opportunities 4. Educational materials