

# 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**

**November 15, 2023**

**Applications  
Due**

**January 26, 2024  
11:59 pm PST**

**Award  
Notification**

**February 9, 2024**

# 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"><li>1. Local governments</li><li>2. Tribal governments</li><li>3. Non-profit organizations with 501(c) 3 status</li><li>4. Public educational institutions.</li></ol>

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"><li>1. Workforce development</li><li>2. Municipal or community tree canopy planning and management.</li><li>3. Planting and demonstration projects.</li><li>4. Urban forest resiliency.</li><li>5. Urban forest equity.</li><li>6. Urban wood utilization.</li><li>7. Public outreach and education.</li></ol>

## Planting and Education Grants

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

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"><li>1. Tree planting supplies (soil amendments, mulch, tree protection)</li><li>2. Irrigation (no hard line)</li><li>3. Tree care training opportunities</li><li>4. Educational materials</li></ol>