



Oregon Community Foundation



In the last 10 years the Oregon Community Foundation has awarded almost \$2 million in grants to Grant County nonprofits, schools, and local government. Most of these dollars have come from OCF community grants, the Shelk Advised Fund, and other donor funds and initiatives.

Nonprofit grant recipients have included: Blue Mountain Healthcare Foundation, Families First of Grant County, Juniper Arts Council, CASA, Heart of Grant County, Lake Creek Youth Camp, Monument Senior Citizens Association, Greater Prairie City Community Association, and the City of Granite, among many others.

The Oregon Community Foundation was established in 1973 as a permanent endowment for community improvement throughout the state. Stuart and Pauline Shelk from Ochoco Lumber Company were among the first donors to establish a fund with OCF – the Shelk Advised Fund.

Grant applications to the Shelk Advised Fund are made through OCF Community Grants.

- Spring cycle application opens December 1 and closes January 15 with funding in May.
- Fall cycle application opens June 1 and closes July 15 with funding in November.
- Application portal, grantwriting tips, resources and FAQs at oregoncf.org

Shelk Foundation



Connecting People and Resources in Communities

The Shelk Foundation provides Grant County nonprofits with technical assistance and resources for board training, grantwriting, project planning, and professional development.

Our relationships with statewide foundations and other funders can help you direct your grant proposal to the right funder.

Contact Kristi Steber for information about grants and assistance with your nonprofit

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