

Community Development Partnership Program (CDPP) Grants

Eligibility requirements

Most local governments and nonprofit organizations in LCRA's service area are eligible to apply for a CDPP grant. Grant recipients include:

Cities and counties	Civic organizations
Schools	Volunteer fire departments
Libraries	Emergency medical services
Museums	Historical associations

Projects must meet these criteria to be eligible:

- Project must be for capital improvements.
- Grant applicant must be the property owner where the project is located.
- Projects must be in LCRA's electric or water service area.
- Grants of \$5,000 or more require a minimum 20 percent match of the total project cost; matching funds must be documented in the application.
- The grant recipient must post signage that clearly, permanently and publicly acknowledge the sponsorship of LCRA and its wholesale electric or water customer, if applicable, at the site of the project.
- The project must be maintained for the public purpose for which the grant was awarded.
- Grant applications must be signed by the chief executive administrator or officer of the organization requesting the grant.
- The project must be completed within 12 months of the date the grant is awarded.
- Upon completion of the project, the grant recipient must submit a final report with a photograph of the completed project.
- Failure to complete the project on schedule or abide by the terms of the letter agreement may result in LCRA requiring the recipient to return the grant.

The types of projects that are not eligible include: completed projects; religious or church-sponsored facilities that can only be used by members; social service projects; land acquisition projects; program operating costs; debt-reduction campaigns; training; seminars and conference fees; computer equipment or software; most functions carried out by a taxing entity; appliances; office equipment; and batteries for equipment.

Those ineligible to receive grants include: for-profit entities, individuals, professional associations and nonprofit organizations limited to group membership.