

COUNTY/TRIBES VETERAN SUICIDE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION FUND REQUEST

Important Submission Instructions

Grant funding is available to all Oregon Counties and federally recognized Tribes. The funds are meant to heighten community awareness and publicize mental health supports available to veterans and their families. If you wish to participate and receive grant funding, please complete this form. Funding for each grant is available for up to \$5,000. ODVA requests that you provide a summary of how these grant funds were used and any outcomes, including (as applicable) number of veterans and others served/reached, informational materials distributed, etc. Please provide this information immediately following the event (if applicable) or campaign. Email completed application to [ODVA_DL_CVSO-NSO Funding](#).

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In the space provided below, please indicate the amount requested and describe your intended use of the funds. If planning a future event, please indicate the time frame the event will be scheduled. This does not have to be detailed, or include specific costs. If more space is needed, please continue in the space provided on page 2.

Amount requested: \$ 5,000.00

We have a plan to run a commercial campaign specifically regarding suicide awareness and avenues of assistance. Additionally, we are going to include information about the Central Oregon Secure Firearm Storage Project. This is highly important to include considering Oregon is one of the highest ranked states for firearm suicide by children. Suicide affects everyone; not just Veterans.


Plan is to contract production of the commercial with local Veterans and run the campaign for a year. We will provide any additional needed funding.

Below is a link to an ad ran in the past through this grant:
<https://vimeo.com/716949964/9fc1a9bd16>

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Intended use of funds (continued):

Certification and Signature	
By signing below, I certify that I am qualified to represent my County or Tribe in their request for the Veteran suicide awareness and prevention funds.	
Name of Signer <i>(Printed)</i> <p style="text-align: center;">Sean Kirk</p>	Authorized Signature SEAN KIRK (Affiliate) <small>Digitally signed by SEAN KIRK (Affiliate) Date: 2024.09.09 11:15:42 -07'00'</small>
Title of Signer <p style="text-align: center;">Manager, Deschutes County Veterans' Services</p>	Date Signed <p style="text-align: center;">September 9, 2024</p>

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	PCA 43120	AOBJ 6702	COMM 915-73
Approved Payment \$ 5,000	Approved by Name <i>(Printed)</i> Sheronne Blasi	Approved by Signature 	Date Approved 9/10/24