
Request for Selectboard approval to apply for grants

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Hello,

Below please find hyperlinks to the grants I am seeking approval to apply for from the Selectboard. Because of the relatively quick turn around, I will not be able to provide the written grant application specifically to the selectboard before submission.

Please let me know if I may be of further assistance in answering any questions or providing supplemental information regarding these exciting opportunities!

I look forward to further conversation Monday.

Thank you,
Bridget

The grants are:

Building Bright Futures Vermont Early Childhood Fund Opportunity Grant

100 Women Who Care- Franklin County (This one requires a nomination by a board member. 3 nominees are selected at random to give a 5 minute presentation at the quarterly chapter meeting, then members vote on which of 3 receives award. Mary Chiapinelli is member, I have not yet asked her for her support. Applicants must be a 501c3, we are not- I need to check if there is an alternative means, since other libraries have been recipients. Members write monthly checks of \$50+ directly to organization chosen for duration of the quarter. Recipients present a 5 minute speech followed by a 5 minute Q&A at conclusion of grant at the quarterly meeting.)



About Us

WHO WE ARE Established in February 2018, we are a group of local women who are interested in making a difference where we live. Our mission is to provide financial assistance to non-profit organizations that have a strong presence in and serve residents of Franklin

www.100wwcfranklincountyvt.com

Substance Misuse Prevention grant from Vt Department of Health, administered by the United Way. See copied text below from secure message. (Make sure to scroll to end, apologies for wonky formatting).

Good morning to all my partners around the region,

An RFP was released today that is hoping to fund Substance Misuse Prevention in the Communities of FGI, Chittenden County and Washington County. Please check it out and consider applying. There's a Q & A session on 3/28.

In good health,

Amy

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Hello All,

We are excited to share the attached [Request for Proposal \(RFP\)](#) inviting organizations to apply for funding for substance misuse prevention during the period of **July 1, 2025, to June 30, 2026.**

These funds are provided by the Vermont Department of Health (VDH) Division of Substance Use Programs (DSU) and have been awarded through a grant to United Way of Northwest Vermont (United Way). United Way is serving as the Lead Prevention Organization (LPO) for DSU's Region 1, which includes the Barre, Burlington, and St. Albans Health Districts.

Please note the important dates listed in the RFP. One key date to highlight is the **Question & Answer Session** scheduled for **Friday, March 28, from 11:30am – 12:30pm**. This virtual session will be held via Microsoft Teams, and the link can be found in the RFP.

***Please send questions in advance to megan@unitedwaynwvt.org.

An FAQ will be available on the **Northwest & Central Vermont Prevention Network** website after the session.

The deadline for applications is **April 11th at 5:00 p.m.**

We encourage you to share this opportunity widely with your networks and with any organizations focused on substance misuse prevention in these health districts.

For questions about the RFP, application and funding process, email Megan Bridges at megan@unitedwaynwvt.org.

For questions about the Northwest & Central Vermont Prevention Network, contact Mahat Abdullahi at mahat@unitedwaynwvt.org.

Best regards,

Megan

Finally, there is a \$1000 STEM Challenge Initiative Grant available through the Franklin County Industrial Development Corporation