

# COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF MORGAN COUNTY

## 2024 Capacity Grant Guidelines

CFMC aims to enhance the quality of life for current and future Morgan County residents.

**Capacity Grant Funding:** *These grants are \$2,000 or less.*

Apply at: <https://smr.to/p95373>

*Approximately \$18,000 has been set aside for capacity grants this year.*

- **Capacity Grants** help organizations become more efficient and effective. This includes funding materials, equipment, technology, training costs, and expenditures for growing needs. Programming applications will not be considered. These one-time expenses will help you serve more clients or increase the quality of services provided to clients. Capacity grant requests may be up to \$2,000. Applications are due by April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024, by 4 p.m. If awarded, grantees can expect checks to be mailed within 30 business days of a signed grant agreement.

### **Eligibility**

#### **What We Fund**

- Non-profit organizations impacting Morgan County: These grants help you do the work you are already doing. This includes materials, equipment, technology, training costs, and expenditures that provide for growing needs. Note that this is not just general operating support; these are specific one-time grants.

#### **What We Do Not Fund**

- Individuals: Individuals wishing to apply must do so with the cooperation of a non-profit organization, and the organization must submit the application.
- Organizations with outstanding grant reports due to CFMC. Programs with open grants may still apply, but, if approved, no further funds will be issued towards that program until all prior grants are properly closed.
- Projects that do not serve Morgan County citizens.
- Projects normally fully funded by government.
- Projects to build or fund an endowment.
- Religious activities or programs that serve or appear to serve predominantly one denomination and not the community at large.
- Political organizations or campaigns.

- National and state fundraising efforts which do not directly benefit local agencies or chapters.
- Projects that could be considered discriminatory.
- Projects operated by for-profit companies.

**Contact Information**

Questions about eligibility, grant requirements, or the online portal should be directed to Jessica Schwarz, Community Development Officer, at [jschwarz@cfmconline.org](mailto:jschwarz@cfmconline.org). She can also be reached by phone at (765) 813-0003.