

Amarillo Area Foundation Request for Grant Proposals

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On behalf of **Consolidated Nuclear Security, LLC**, responsible for the management and operations of the **Pantex Plant**, the **Amarillo Area Foundation** (**AAF**) announces a Request for Proposals (RFP). The Advisory Committee for the CNS Pantex Community Investment Fund, a component fund of the Amarillo Area Foundation, will entertain proposals from nonprofit and charitable institutions throughout the twenty-six northernmost counties in the Texas Panhandle (individuals and non-charitable organizations are not eligible). Grant amounts will <u>range from \$2,500 to \$10,000</u>. Organizations who fit the eligibility requirements and whose work is in line with the priorities are encouraged to apply. Only one application per organization will be accepted. Prior recipients with an open CNS Pantex grant will not be eligible. General operating support is a low priority. The priorities for funding are:

- Basic Needs (Food, Clothing, and Shelter)
- Children, Youth, and Family
- Community Development
- Education
- Health and Wellness

Priority will be given to proposals from organizations located and operating in one of the twelve contiguous counties surrounding the Pantex Plant with preference given to projects that serve multiple priority counties. These counties are Armstrong, Carson, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hall, Hutchison, Moore, Oldham, Potter, Randall, and Swisher.

Applications are available online at aaf.spectrumportal.net and are due **April 23, 2021 by 12:00 noon.** See https://www.amarilloareafoundation.org/cns-pantex/ for more information on the CNS Pantex grant program. To register or log in to the Spectrum portal, click on https://aaf.spectrumportal.net/. If you have any questions, please contact grant staff at 806.376.4521 or grants@aaf-hf.org. The anticipated timeline is below.

