



**USDA Forest Service
Oregon Grants Awarded by State and Private Forestry
Pacific Northwest Region, Cooperative Programs
1994-2004**



County: Harney

Federal Identifier: ONFP-02-007
Grant Name: Harney County Fuels Utilization and Byproduct feas
Applicant: Harney County
Contact: Marty Suter, 541-373-5010

Project Start Date: 07/15/2002
Project End Date: 12/31/2004
FS Award: \$50,000
Leveraged Funds: \$33,590
Total Project Funding: \$83,590

Description:

Explore feasibility of producing biomass for steam production, juniper oil production, and value-added process for small mill owners. Reduction of forest fuels. Development of value-added to existing materials. Potential supplemental uses for existing infrastructure.

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Federal Identifier: ONFP-02-008
Grant Name: Mt Vernon Hazard Fuels Composting
Applicant: City of Mt. Vernon
Contact: Dennis Bradley, 541-932-4688

Project Start Date: 10/01/2002
Project End Date: 12/31/2003
FS Award: \$6,572
Leveraged Funds: \$11,843
Total Project Funding: \$18,415

Description:

Purchase and installation of a chipper/shredder to process plant fuel waste into compost. Reduced particulates in air from reduced burning. Reduced fuel loads around residences in high fire hazard community.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-00-003
Grant Name: Rural Fire Protection District Feasibility Study
Applicant: Harney County
Contact: Steven Grasty, 541-573-6356

Project Start Date: 06/01/2000
Project End Date: 12/31/2001
FS Award: \$12,480
Leveraged Funds: \$5,400
Total Project Funding: \$17,880

Description:

Funding from this project will be used to determine the concentration of residential dwellings, emergency medical service locations, and other actions to be taken to determine the feasibility of a plan for implementation of one or more rural fire districts in the county. This project supports economic diversification through housing growth and addresses issues of wildland/urban fire risk in the interface.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-02-004
Grant Name: Water Master Plan
Applicant: City of Hines
Contact: Pamela Mather, 541-573-2251

Project Start Date: 08/01/2002
Project End Date: 12/31/2004
FS Award: \$7,500
Leveraged Funds: \$10,000
Total Project Funding: \$17,500

Description:

Funding for this project will be used to complete a water system master plan. completion of a water system master plan will enable the community to regain compliance with State health regulatory agencies and have adequate infrastructure to support developing small wood utilization industries.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-94-005
Grant Name: Water System Upgrade

Project Start Date: 06/10/1994
Project End Date: 06/30/1995

Applicant: City of Hines
Contact: Pamela Mather, 503-573-2251

FS Award: \$25,000
Leveraged Funds: \$15,313
Total Project Funding: \$40,313

Description:

Funds are for the installation of an 8" water line, and (2) fire hydrants for improved fire protection and water service to Burns. This would provide adequate water and fire protection to business and commercial areas.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-94-055
Grant Name: Contract Capacity Model

Project Start Date: 09/15/1994
Project End Date: 09/30/1995

Applicant: Harney County
Contact: Dale White, 503-573-6356

FS Award: \$25,200
Leveraged Funds: \$13,264
Total Project Funding: \$38,464

Description:

Funding is for the development of a local contracting capacity building model for communities including expansion of local contractor database, information model to share information and general local bids. This would help local contractors successfully compete for jobs offered in the community and the surrounding areas which would help diversify the local economy.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-95-001
Grant Name: Wastewater Engineering/Design

Project Start Date: 05/01/1995
Project End Date: 04/11/1998

Applicant: City of Burns
Contact: Harvey Barnes, 503-573-5255

FS Award: \$25,000
Leveraged Funds: \$30,000
Total Project Funding: \$55,000

Description:

Funding supports the completion of an engineering study for wastewater collection and treatment facilities. Project ties to infrastructure projects from Harney County Strategic Plan in support of diversifying the local economy of a timber dependent community.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-95-009
Grant Name: High Desert Interp Center Plan

Project Start Date: 07/20/1995
Project End Date: 12/15/1996

Applicant: Harney County
Contact: Dale White, 503-573-6356

FS Award: \$29,935
Leveraged Funds: \$30,000
Total Project Funding: \$59,935

Description:

Funding is to support the completion of the County's High Desert Interpretive Center Master Plan. Grant funds would support the County's tourism efforts for economic diversification which includes a natural resource based tourism strategy.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-97-014
Grant Name: Cultural Photohistory Project

Project Start Date: 09/01/1997
Project End Date: 11/30/1998

Applicant: Burns Paiute Tribe
Contact: Wanda Johnson, 541-573-7108

FS Award: \$18,884
Leveraged Funds: \$75,000
Total Project Funding: \$93,884

Description:

Funding is to support the collection and display of culturally important photos of the Burns Paiute People for public education and cultural preservation, including development of a photohistory museum level display. This project will provide training opportunities for Burns Paiute Tribal youth in developing the cultural history information.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-97-015
Grant Name: Street Lighting Renovations

Project Start Date: 09/01/1997
Project End Date: 12/31/1998

Applicant: City of Burns
Contact: James A. Aho, 541-573-5255

FS Award: \$25,000
Leveraged Funds: \$50,000
Total Project Funding: \$75,000

Description:

Funding is for the purchase and installation of new lighting fixtures and electrical conduit along the downtown city streets. This project implements a high priority project from the city's strategic plan that will help promote a diverse and healthy local economy.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-99-006
Grant Name: Harney County GIS

Project Start Date: 08/01/1999
Project End Date: 12/31/2000

Applicant: Harney County
Contact: Steven E. Grasty, 541-573-6356

FS Award: \$25,000
Leveraged Funds: \$7,500
Total Project Funding: \$32,500

Description:

This project will enable the purchase of GIS hardware and software to support the County's local planning capacity. The county is participating in a BLM pilot project with the FS for an integrated public/private land database for the Harney basin. This project implements capacity building for county planning, which integrates with BLM and NFS land planning, improves information databases in support of business development, infrastructure needs and growth management, and supports local diversification strategies for county/private land base. This project also benefits federal land management agencies with access to data for watershed planning, resource protection, and joint project development.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-01-036
Grant Name: Burns Paiute Language and Oral History Project

Project Start Date: 09/02/2001
Project End Date: 12/31/2003

Applicant: Burns Palute Tribe
Contact: Albert Teeman, 541-573-2088

FS Award: \$49,994
Leveraged Funds: \$48,001
Total Project Funding: \$97,995

Description:

Funding is for completing, transcribing, and sharing with the Harney County Library twenty-five oral histories with both elders and key members of the tribe. Language training materials, including videotapes and brochures, will also be developed. We hope this project increases (1) the cultural integrity and community cohesion of the tribe, especially between youth and elders; (2) the self-esteem of tribal youth, particularly in an academic setting; (3) the capacity of your community; and (4) the employment skills of tribal members.

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Federal Identifier: ORRD-03-003

Project Start Date: 05/01/2003

Grant Name: Burns Airport Industrial Park Infrastructure Study

Project End Date: 06/30/2004

Applicant: City of Burns

FS Award: \$27,640

Contact: Robb Corbett, 541-573-5255

Leveraged Funds: \$9,688

Total Project Funding: \$37,328

Description:

This grant will enable completion of a study to determine infrastructure needs, costs, and best locations for development of city-owned industrial land at airport. Completion of this study will lay the groundwork for city recruitment of appropriate businesses to further diversify the local economy.

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County Summary:

Grants Awarded:	13
Total FS Award:	\$328,205
Total Leveraged Funds:	\$339,599
Total Project Funding:	\$667,804