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**Federal Identifier:** OEDD-01-001  
**Grant Name:** Old Growth Diversification`

**Project Start Date:** 04/23/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0123

**FS Award:** \$550,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$550,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$1,100,000

**Description:**

The primary purpose of the USDA Forest Service grant the the OEDD is to assist rural communities with economic development projects which stabilize and/or diversify their economies and are connected to a locally-developed community plan. The project will support quality development objective of OEDD; assists the communities indiveresifying their economy, creating and/or retaining jobs; increases the competitiveness of the forest products industry; and benefits communities listed as distressed by the OEDD.

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**Federal Identifier:** OEDD-02-001  
**Grant Name:** Rural Economic Diversification program

**Project Start Date:** 05/05/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2005

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0123

**FS Award:** \$650,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$650,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$1,300,000

**Description:**

Capacity building and technical assistance for communities and regions in the State of Oregon.

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**Federal Identifier:** OEDD-94-001  
**Grant Name:** Old Growth Diversification

**Project Start Date:** 01/01/1994  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1997

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-373-1200

**FS Award:** \$2,541,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$2,600,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$5,141,000

**Description:**

Funds help OEDD assist rural, timber-dependent communities with economic development projects that stabilize and diversify their economies. By giving priorities to projects that add value to existing timber resources or those that create immediate economic impacts, the economic and social benefits to the communities would be derived more

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**Federal Identifier:** OEDD-95-001  
**Grant Name:** Old Growth Diversification

**Project Start Date:** 01/11/1995  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1999

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-373-1200 Ex. 255

**FS Award:** \$1,910,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$1,910,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$3,820,000

**Description:**

Funds help OEDD assist rural, timber-dependent communities with economic development projects that stabilize and diversify their economies. By giving priorities to projects that add value to existing timber resources or those that create immediate economic impacts, the economic and social benefits to the communities would be derived more effectively.

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**Federal Identifier:** OEDD-96-001

**Grant Name:** Old Growth Diversification

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept

**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0077

**Project Start Date:** 03/11/1996

**Project End Date:** 03/31/2001

**FS Award:** \$1,080,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$1,080,000

**Total Project Funding:** \$2,160,000

**Description:**

Funds help OEDD assist rural, timber-dependent communities with economic development projects that stabilize and diversify their economies. By giving priorities to projects that add value to existing timber resources or those that create immediate economic impacts, the economic and social benefits to the communities would be derived more effectively.

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**Federal Identifier:** OEDD-97-001

**Grant Name:** Old Growth Diversification

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept

**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0077

**Project Start Date:** 04/01/1997

**Project End Date:** 06/30/2003

**FS Award:** \$1,150,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$1,150,000

**Total Project Funding:** \$2,300,000

**Description:**

Funds help OEDD assist rural, timber-dependent communities with economic development projects that stabilize and diversify their economies. By giving priorities to projects that add value to existing timber resources or those that create immediate economic impacts, the economic and social benefits to the communities would be derived more effectively.

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**Federal Identifier:** OEDD-98-001

**Grant Name:** Old Growth Diversification

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept

**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0077

**Project Start Date:** 04/01/1998

**Project End Date:** 04/01/2003

**FS Award:** \$1,335,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$1,150,000

**Total Project Funding:** \$2,485,000

**Description:**

Funds help OEDD assist rural, timber-dependent communities with economic development projects that stabilize and diversify their economies. By giving priorities to projects that add value to existing timber resources or those that create immediate economic impacts, the economic and social benefits to the communities would be derived more effectively.

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**Federal Identifier:** OEDD-99-001

**Grant Name:** Old Growth Diversification

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept

**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0123

**Project Start Date:** 04/01/1999

**Project End Date:** 03/31/2004

**FS Award:** \$564,050

**Leveraged Funds:** \$564,050

**Total Project Funding:** \$1,128,100

**Description:**

Funds help OEDD assist rural, timber-dependent communities with economic development projects that stabilize and diversify their economies. By giving priorities to projects that add value to existing timber resources or those that create immediate economic impacts, the economic and social benefits to the communities would be derived more effectively.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-010  
**Grant Name:** Biomass Resource Assessment

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** Oregon Office of Energy  
**Contact:** Bruce Westerberg, 503-378-3637

**FS Award:** \$99,988  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$26,797  
**Total Project Funding:** \$126,785

**Description:**

Funding for this project will be used to develop and administer a contract to complete a three-county biomass resource assessment in NE Oregon. The project will be coordinated by the Office of Energy and oversight and assistance will be provided by Willamette Resources, the Grande Ronde Model Watershed Council, the Baker County Planning Dept, and the Oregon Dept of Forestry. The resource and market assessment will be summarized in a final report. This project will provide resource and market information critical to the future of biomass energy development in the 3-county area with potential benefits including business development, job creation and reduced risk of catastrophic wildfire in the area.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-011  
**Grant Name:** Central Oregon Youth Corp Pilot Program

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** Heart of Oregon Corps, Inc.  
**Contact:** Janice Jaworski, 541-617-6040

**FS Award:** \$44,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$35,770  
**Total Project Funding:** \$79,770

**Description:**

Funding for this project will support the demonstration project which strives to build the capacity of the Heart of Oregon Corps., Inc., which operates a youth training and employment program while implementing the National Fire Plan. This project creates training, work and community service opportunities for youth, providing trained workers for local jobs in forest restoration, landscaping, and other fields while reducing fuels in the urban interface to aid in creating safer communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-015  
**Grant Name:** Applegate Communities Collaborative Fire Prot. Str

**Project Start Date:** 08/24/2001  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/2002

**Applicant:** Applegate Partnership (BLM)  
**Contact:** Jack Shipley, 541-899-9982

**FS Award:** \$40,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$40,000

**Description:**

Funding will be used to develop a prioritized strategic fire plan for the Applegate Communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-016  
**Grant Name:** Treated Wood Post Awareness Campaign

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** Montana Community Development Corporation  
**Contact:** Rosalie Sheehy Cates, 406-728-9234

**FS Award:** \$60,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$15,750  
**Total Project Funding:** \$75,750

**Description:**

Funding will (1) identify and characterize the Western United States market for treated roundwood posts; (2) develop technical and educational outreach material, based on market research, concerning proper post treatment; (3) distribute educational and outreach material to targeted buyers and media; and (4) monitor, evaluate, and modify materials and distribution as needed to improve effectiveness. We hope this project increases the knowledge and ability of end-buyers to distinguish different wood post treatment standards and understand implications for service life; maintains local markets and processing capability for smaller diameter logs; retains local jobs; and reduces market penetration by treated wood post substitutes.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-021  
**Grant Name:** Regional Wildfire Plan Coordination

**Project Start Date:** 09/26/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** Rogue Valley Council of Governments  
**Contact:** Michael Cavallaro, 541-664-6674

**FS Award:** \$9,984  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$8,586  
**Total Project Funding:** \$18,570

**Description:**

Funding is for coordinating with Oregon Department of Forestry, Jackson and Josephine Counties, all municipalities, and all rural fire districts to develop a strategy for conducting community fire planning across both counties. We hope this planning project successfully coordinates efforts by interested parties, leading to mitigated fire hazard, reduced duplication of efforts, identified data needs, and prioritized future needs.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-024  
**Grant Name:** National Fire Plan Projects

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** Oregon Department of Forestry  
**Contact:** Marvin Brown, 503-945-7444

**FS Award:** \$268,539  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$69,085  
**Total Project Funding:** \$337,624

**Description:**

Funding supports community fire planning projects in Umatilla, Marrow, Union, and Douglas Counties; wildland urban interface fire planning materials; and community-based wildland urban interface risk reduction activities. We hope these projects reduce fire risk, protect infrastructure, improve forest health, and increase job opportunities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-02-013  
**Grant Name:** New Drying Technology Demonstration

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Oregon State University  
**Contact:** Peggy Lowry, 541-737-3437

**FS Award:** \$26,643  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,661  
**Total Project Funding:** \$33,304

**Description:**

Funding for this project will conduct a demonstration that a lumber-drying technology developed in New Zealand has potential to produce straight, high-value lumber from small diameter timber by using high temperatures and elevated pressure. Improved drying techniques for warp-prone small diameter-dried lumber will expand markets and utilization of

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-02-014  
**Grant Name:** Post/Pole Preservative Treatment

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Oregon State University  
**Contact:** Peggy Lowry, 541-737-3437

**FS Award:** \$14,890  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$7,445  
**Total Project Funding:** \$22,335

**Description:**

New preservative treatment processes and product enhancement will be demonstrated for the production of treated posts and poles. The study results will be summarized in a user guide for development treatment operations. Rural economies would benefit from new, effective post treatment techniques that utilize local supplies of small diameter, low-value timber.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-02-015  
**Grant Name:** Building Market Capacity, Risk Reduction

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Sustainable Northwest  
**Contact:** J. Martin Goebel, 503-221-6911

**FS Award:** \$100,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$25,650  
**Total Project Funding:** \$125,650

**Description:**

Project will provide marketing and utilization workshops and tradeshow exposure for small business, provide marketing materials and tools such as product portfolios, displays and trade booth materials, and conduct communications and educational networking opportunities among partnership businesses and manufacturers. Increase capacity of forest-dependent communities to take advantage of NFP opportunities to restore local forests, reduce fire hazards, expand small businesses, and increase collaboration among Partnership members and land management agencies.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-02-016  
**Grant Name:** Small-Diameter Lodgepole Pine Mfg. Trials  
**Applicant:** Northwest Wood Products Assoc.  
**Contact:** Dennis Brock, 541-385-9910

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004  
**FS Award:** \$35,500  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$18,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$53,500

**Description:**

The project will conduct and document manufacturing trails at three Oregon secondary manufacturers to evaluate characteristics and appearance of products made from Oregon lodgepole pine (*Pinus contorta* ver. *murrayana*) to determine market acceptance. A report summarizing the project will be written and distributed to regional wood products manufacturers. Confirmation of beneficial manufacturing and project characteristics and increased market acceptance of the species under investigation could lead to greater use of this species for value-added purposes, improving markets for trees removed in fuels treatment operations.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-02-018  
**Grant Name:** Defensible Space in Wildland Urban Interface  
**Applicant:** Oregon Department of Forestry  
**Contact:** Jim Brown, 503-945-7231

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 08/01/2007  
**FS Award:** \$673,460  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$84,026  
**Total Project Funding:** \$757,486

**Description:**

Funding will be used to treat hazardous fuels on private forestlands within the wildland-urban interface in several areas of the state.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-03-001  
**Grant Name:** Small Diameter Habitat Enhancement Market Stu  
**Applicant:** Central Oregon Intergovernmental Council  
**Contact:** Tom Moore, 541-548-9523

**Project Start Date:** 05/01/2003  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004  
**FS Award:** \$28,010  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$33,495  
**Total Project Funding:** \$61,505

**Description:**

Funding for this project will demonstrate utilization of a variety of small diameter fuel treatment by-products in 3 sites across Central Oregon. Products will include habitat enhancement and watershed restoration products. In addition to the demonstrations, data will be collected and analyzed to monitor product effectiveness and for potential business plan development. Increased hazardous fuel treatments in Central Oregon would decrease the risk of catastrophic wildfire in addition to further commercializing of the product line which would develop jobs in the woods and in processing and marketing products.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-03-002  
**Grant Name:** Southwest Oregon Wood Prod Clearinghouse

**Project Start Date:** 05/15/2003  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Southwest Oregon RC&D Council  
**Contact:** Robert Jones, 541-774-2439

**FS Award:** \$84,817  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$68,662  
**Total Project Funding:** \$153,479

**Description:**

Development of one-stop-shopping center for landowners, contractors, and manufacturers utilizing small diameter wood. Creation of database and marketing materials (webpage, hard copies, trade show, etc.) that link suppliers to manufacturers to wholesale and retail outlets. Clearinghouse and marketing efforts will increase capacity for landowners, primary processors, and value added manufacturers to capitalize on the small diameter material available from fuels treatment and forest health projects.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-03-003  
**Grant Name:** Eastern Oregon Small Diameter Wood Products Fair

**Project Start Date:** 05/15/2003  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Wallowa Resources  
**Contact:** Diane Snyder, 541-426-8053

**FS Award:** \$52,172  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$21,750  
**Total Project Funding:** \$73,922

**Description:**

Wallowa Resources is the fiscal partner representing eight Eastern Oregon Counties and many additional partners who are planning a Small Diameter Wood Products Fair scheduled for March 2004. The Fair will connect citizens to markets and business opportunities associated with small diameter and underutilized wood products. In addition, the fair will encourage diversifying use of forest restoration resources and technologies. The Wood Products Fair will be a two-day event held in La Grande, Oregon. This event will include individuals and organizations from throughout the nation that have developed or are developing markets and technologies for underutilized and small diameter wood materials. The introduction of producers to markets and technology has the potential to develop new products and create new jobs. Any

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-03-004  
**Grant Name:** NE Oregon Community Fire Planning

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/2003  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Oregon Department of Forestry  
**Contact:** Roy Woo, 503-945-7231

**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$12,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$62,500

**Description:**

This project will support strategic community fire planning in the high-risk areas of NE Oregon District with the Oregon Department of Forestry providing coordination between Federal, State, County, BIA, and private landowners. The community fire planning will coordinate and track the many fuels reduction projects being accomplished in the interface area to provide accurate accomplishment reporting, identify high priority areas, and increase cooperation. Oregon Department of Forestry is taking the lead in NE Oregon to develop a comprehensive strategy that will include all partners within the fire protection districts in the four county area. The project establishes an advisory committee that will set priorities and guide the development and implementation of the plans. The goal is fuels reduction activities that are

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<b>Federal Identifier:</b> ONFP-03-005	<b>Project Start Date:</b> 08/07/2003
<b>Grant Name:</b> WUI Community Fuels Treatment in Eastern Oregon	<b>Project End Date:</b> 12/31/2007
<b>Applicant:</b> Oregon Department of Forestry	<b>FS Award:</b> \$859,500
<b>Contact:</b> Marvin Brown, 503-945-7231	<b>Leveraged Funds:</b> <u>\$598,499</u>
	<b>Total Project Funding:</b> \$1,457,999

**Description:**

Funds will be used to provide cost-share incentives for private non-industrial landowners in Baker, Union, Umatilla and Baker counties. The projects will coordinate and assist with fuels reduction activities to create defensible space and to reduce fire hazard around home sites.

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<b>Federal Identifier:</b> ONFP-04-001	<b>Project Start Date:</b> 05/19/2004
<b>Grant Name:</b> Wildland Urban Interface Projects	<b>Project End Date:</b> 12/31/2006
<b>Applicant:</b> Oregon Department of Forestry	<b>FS Award:</b> \$1,142,000
<b>Contact:</b> Marvin Brown, 503-945-7231	<b>Leveraged Funds:</b> <u>\$317,498</u>
	<b>Total Project Funding:</b> \$1,459,498

**Description:**

This grant will support Wildland Urban Interface Projects in Central Oregon, John Day, Chiloquin, Southwest Oregon, and Josephine County.

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<b>Federal Identifier:</b> ONFP-04-002	<b>Project Start Date:</b> 06/01/2004
<b>Grant Name:</b> Support of Wildfire Risk Reduction Treatments	<b>Project End Date:</b> 08/01/2005
<b>Applicant:</b> Sustainable Northwest	<b>FS Award:</b> \$60,000
<b>Contact:</b> Ryan Temple, 503-221-6911	<b>Leveraged Funds:</b> <u>\$15,000</u>
	<b>Total Project Funding:</b> \$75,000

**Description:**

Funding from this National Fire Plan project will 1) grow the capacity of wood products businesses to compete in a broader marketplace, 2) strategically expand Health Forest Health Communities regionally and as a model for replication across the west, and 3) educate target markets on purchasing choices that support forest restoration and community resiliency and introduce Health Forest Health Community product lines that build the brand while creating income. Creating a broader market for forest restoration by-products will support efforts to reduce hazardous fuels in the wildland urban interface.

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<b>Federal Identifier:</b> ORCD-99-001	<b>Project Start Date:</b> 08/20/1999
<b>Grant Name:</b> Public Info Survey	<b>Project End Date:</b> 11/30/2000
<b>Applicant:</b> Columbia Blue Mountain RC&D	<b>FS Award:</b> \$5,000
<b>Contact:</b> Emile Holeman, 541-278-6203	<b>Leveraged Funds:</b> <u>\$4,018</u>
	<b>Total Project Funding:</b> \$9,018

**Description:**

Funding for this project is to complete a public information baseline survey for Eastern Oregon noxious weed public affairs project This project addresses communication needs to support ecosystem restoration activities focused on noxious weeds with goal to reduce economic impact due to better awareness, action on part of private and public landowners

Umatilla



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**Federal Identifier:** ORCG-94-001  
**Grant Name:** CRGNSA Economic Development

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1993  
**Project End Date:** 02/28/1999

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-373-1200

**FS Award:** \$365,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$365,000

**Description:**

Funding will be used for the following strategies: Assisting emerging businesses, focus on comparative advantages, of the National Scenic Area, promote economically healthy national scenic area communities, and regional cooperation. Stabilizing and diversifying the economy, retaining and creating jobs, increased tourism potential, and revitalize

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**Federal Identifier:** ORCG-96-001  
**Grant Name:** CRGNSA Economic Development

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1996  
**Project End Date:** 08/15/2001

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0110

**FS Award:** \$1,225,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$1,225,000

**Description:**

Funding will be used for the following strategies: Assisting emerging businesses, focus on comparative advantages of the National Scenic Area, revitalize National Scenic Area communities, and provide a Gorge-wide planning framework for improving the economic vitality in the entire National Scenic Area. Stabilizing and diversifying the economy, retaining and creating jobs, increased tourism potential, and revitalize communities through expanding infrastructure capacity.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORCG-97-001  
**Grant Name:** CRGNSA Economic Development

**Project Start Date:** 03/31/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0123

**FS Award:** \$1,475,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$1,475,000

**Description:**

Funding will be used for the following strategies: Assisting emerging businesses, focus on comparative advantages of the National Scenic Area, revitalize National Scenic Area communities, and provide a Gorge-wide planning framework for improving the economic vitality in the entire National Scenic Area. Stabilizing and diversifying the economy, retaining and creating jobs, increased tourism potential, and revitalize communities through expanding infrastructure capacity.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-03-007  
**Grant Name:** Lewis and Clark Workforce Orientation & Training

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/2003  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Columbia River Gorge Visitors Association  
**Contact:** Phyllis Thiemann, 503-695-5126

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,250  
**Total Project Funding:** \$31,250

**Description:**

Grant assistance will provide the Columbia River Gorge Visitors Association with funds to contract for Phase II outcomes for their Lewis and Clark Workforce Orientation and Training Project. Phase II includes 1) preparing an expanded 2-hr version of the on-line training with expanded county by county information that can be delivered 'live'; 2) presenting 12 scheduled deliveries of the live training to tourism and hospitality businesses in the Gorge, including site location, class promotion, and class materials; 3) using content created for the brochure to create a website for consumers; 4) delivering the expanded training on a CDROM for refresher training after live training; and 5) developing a train-the-trainer module for continued delivery of the course in 2005. Training the tourism and hospitality workforce in Lewis and Clark history will assist the predominantly small businesses in the area in capturing Lewis and Clark visitors for longer stays, and possibly

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-03-009  
**Grant Name:** Visitor Industry Cooperative Marketing

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/2003  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Southern Oregon Visitors Association  
**Contact:** Kerrie Walters, 541-476-5510

**FS Award:** \$40,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$11,750  
**Total Project Funding:** \$51,750

**Description:**

This grant will fund the continuation of development of a cooperative visitor industry among rural communities and tribes in Southern Oregon. This project will develop marketing tools for the area, provide additional training to frontline staff throughout the region, and provide seed funds to be matched by local entities for cooperative marketing of the region, focusing on national Scenic byways and All American Roads. This project will stretch very limited marketing funds in our rural communities to take advantage of ties to Crater Lake National Park, national scenic byways, wild and scenic rivers, and other nationally designated resources.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-03-025  
**Grant Name:** Resource Assistance for Rural Environments 2002-03

**Project Start Date:** 07/15/2003  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** University of Oregon  
**Contact:** Megan Smith, 541-346-3881

**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$572,769  
**Total Project Funding:** \$622,769

**Description:**

Funding will be used to support 20-25 RARE student placements in rural communities and organizations in Oregon. RARE participants will provide technical assistance to these communities and organizations in completing their local priority projects. This project will provide additional local capacity for communities and organizations. RARE placements receive work experience and training while working with their communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-03-027

**Grant Name:** Healthy Forests, Healthy Communities

**Applicant:** Sustainable Northwest

**Contact:** J. Martin Goebel, 503-221-6911

**Project Start Date:** 08/08/2003

**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**FS Award:** \$75,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$25,000

**Total Project Funding:** \$100,000

**Description:**

Funding for this project will continue the Healthy Forest Healthy Communities Partnership to 1) increase the technical assistance and training to wood products entrepreneurs, 2) develop tools to inform markets of restoration-based product alternatives, and 3) investigate a labeling campaign to create market differentiation of restoration by-products.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-04-003

**Grant Name:** Resource Assistance for Rural Environments 04-05

**Applicant:** University of Oregon

**Contact:** Karen Findtner, 541-346-5131

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/2004

**Project End Date:** 09/30/2005

**FS Award:** \$50,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$52,843

**Total Project Funding:** \$102,843

**Description:**

Funding for this project will support placement of RARE students in rural communities and organizations throughout Oregon. RARE participants will provide technical assistance to these communities and organizations in developing and completing local priority projects. While RARE placements receive work experience and training, they benefit local communities and organizations by helping to improve the economic, social, and environmental conditions specified by the host rural communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-04-007

**Grant Name:** Oregon Crafted Wholesale Art Show

**Applicant:** Oregon Council for Business Education

**Contact:** Joan Shea, 541-687-8353

**Project Start Date:** 07/15/2004

**Project End Date:** 03/15/2006

**FS Award:** \$14,630

**Leveraged Funds:** \$4,125

**Total Project Funding:** \$18,755

**Description:**

Funding for this grant will help to develop a Business and Action Plan for an Oregon Wholesale Art show. The Plan will include a comparison with existing wholesale art shows in the United States and will determine aspects of existing shows that would be appropriate for use in developing the Oregon Wholesale Art Show. Creating a business plan for the art

Willamette

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-036

**Grant Name:** Planning/Leadership Wkshp

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept

**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0069

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/1994

**Project End Date:** 10/01/1994

**FS Award:** \$5,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$4,500

**Total Project Funding:** \$9,500

**Description:**

Grant would go towards a Strategic Planning and Community Leadership Development Seminar. The Seminar will focus on issues facing the economic and environmental health of Oregon communities. The seminar would help community

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-054  
**Grant Name:** Tourism Strategy Plan

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/1994  
**Project End Date:** 03/31/1996

**Applicant:** Greater Eastern Oregon Development Corporation  
**Contact:** Denny Newell, 503-276-6745

**FS Award:** \$30,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$60,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$90,000

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of the North Central Oregon Tourism Strategy Plan for the Counties of Gillam, Grant, Morrow, Sherman, Wasco, and Wheeler. The tourism strategy would help diversify the local timber dependent economies.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-96-001  
**Grant Name:** Tourism Marketing

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1996  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/1997

**Applicant:** Greater Eastern Oregon Development Corporation  
**Contact:** Denny Newell, 541-276-6745

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$10,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$35,000

**Description:**

Funding is to support development of tourism marketing materials and event management for the Journey Through Time Celebration to be hosted by eastern Oregon in September 1996. The project supports: 1) community/county economic diversification strategies; 2) natural resource/cultural heritage tourism; 3) and implements activities identified in the North Central Tourism Strategy Plan.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORED-94-003  
**Grant Name:** Income Survey - Block Grants

**Project Start Date:** 03/07/1994  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/1996

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-378-3732

**FS Award:** \$79,136  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$79,136

**Description:**

The surveys are needed to establish the number and percentage of low and moderate income persons living in the cities where the 1990 median household incomes are low enough to potentially qualify for block grants. The results of the survey will help determine which timber dependent communities are eligible for grants from Rural Development Administration/Farmers Home Administration programs.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORED-94-005  
**Grant Name:** Recycled Panel Board Study

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/1994  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1995

**Applicant:** Eugene/Springfield Metropolitan Partnership  
**Contact:** John Lively, 503-686-2741

**FS Award:** \$30,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$40,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$70,000

**Description:**

Funds would be used to complete all three parts of the Recycled Panelboard Technology Commercialization Study. This includes the Mixed Paper Material Recovery Evaluation, the Product Testing Evaluation, and the Manufacturing Equipment Testing Evaluation. The recycling technology is capable of supporting existing Pacific Northwest panelboard manufacturers as well as creating new manufacturing employment opportunities in the region.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-00-017  
**Grant Name:** Social Assessment of the NWEAI  
**Applicant:** Forest Community Research  
**Contact:** Jonathan Kusel, 530-284-1022

**Project Start Date:** 06/30/2000  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002  
**FS Award:** \$240,540  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$282,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$522,540

**Description:**

Funding for this project will enable an assessment that will examine communities in which NWEAI interventions took place, kinds of projects funded, effects of projects, effects on community well-being, and the effects on community capacity. By coupling the 'local knowledge' of initiative leaders as well as the community and project-level participants with the independent evaluation of the assessment team, the project will provide a multi-layered and rigorous analysis of the initiative.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-00-034  
**Grant Name:** Arts Builds Communities  
**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0129

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2000  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001  
**FS Award:** \$60,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$60,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$120,000

**Description:**

Funding to support the Oregon Arts Commission's Arts Builds Communities grant program. Supports art organizations and businesses in rural communities in linking with local economic diversification strategies. Focuses outreach on

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-00-041  
**Grant Name:** NW Native Arts Assessment for Training Institute  
**Applicant:** Indian Art Northwest  
**Contact:** Gail Chehak, 503-224-8650

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2000  
**Project End Date:** 03/30/2001  
**FS Award:** \$16,320  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,050  
**Total Project Funding:** \$21,370

**Description:**

Funding to complete assessment for the NW Native Arts Training Institute. The assessment will be used to develop a Native Arts Institute for training and resource needs of native artists. Supports tribal businesses and individual artists in

Statewide

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-00-042  
**Grant Name:** RARE 2000-2001  
**Applicant:** University of Oregon  
**Contact:** Gary Chaffins, 541-346-5131

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2000  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001  
**FS Award:** \$99,943  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$556,285  
**Total Project Funding:** \$656,228

**Description:**

Funding to support placement of thirty graduate level students in rural Oregon communities to assist with technical assistance for community and economic development and watershed restoration. This project will accomplish two major goals of 1) Technical assistance to rural communities/counties for capacity building, and 2) Training and educational

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**County: Regional**

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-00-043  
**Grant Name:** Capacity Building for Rural Comm. for L & C Activi  
**Applicant:** Rural Development Initiatives, Inc.  
**Contact:** Kathleen Jaworski, 541-684-9077

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2000  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002  
**FS Award:** \$85,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$78,100  
**Total Project Funding:** \$163,100

**Description:**

Funding to support leadership and organizational capacity building for rural community groups working on Lewis and Clark Bicentennial commemoration activities. This project supports technical assistance and leadership training for rural communities.

Statewide

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-001  
**Grant Name:** Cooperative Visitor Industry Project  
**Applicant:** Southern Oregon Visitors Association  
**Contact:** Julie Petretto, 541-779-4847

**Project Start Date:** 05/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003  
**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$180,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$230,000

**Description:**

Procure contractor to design and implement cooperative marketing campaign(s) for Crater Lake National Park gateway communities and Tribes, taking advantage of Crater Lake National Parks 2002 centennial. Offer training to rural communities and Tribes in tourism development and promotion. Provide seed monies for implementation of cooperative community/Tribal visitor development efforts. Capture additional tourism revenues in the region by promoting local communities during the Crater Lake National Park centennial. Build long-term cooperative visitor industry relationships between CLNP and gateway communities/Tribes. Develop standing rural communities sub-committee to SOVA board to sustain marketing exposure gained through this project.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-010  
**Grant Name:** Klamath Lake Geothermal Ag Industrial Park Feas.  
**Applicant:** South Central Oregon EDD  
**Contact:** William Barry, 541-882-9600

**Project Start Date:** 07/30/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002  
**FS Award:** \$24,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$7,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$31,500

**Description:**

With severe reductions in the agricultural economy of the Klamath Basin, as a result of reduced supplies of irrigation water, it is clear that other agricultural options are needed. This feasibility study should help identify new agricultural enterprises that can be economical through the use of the basin's geothermal resources. It is expected that these new agricultural endeavors will use considerably less water to produce high value products while creating stable jobs and enhancing the long-term agricultural economy. Agriculture has been a stable segment of the Klamath Basin economy for nearly 100 years. This year, that stability has abruptly ended. Trained agricultural workers, primarily Hispanic, are leaving the area for opportunities elsewhere and all other segments are facing severe hardships as the loss of the agricultural sector ripples through the economy. This feasibility study is the first step in developing agricultural alternatives that can help restore some long-term stability to the sector for the benefit of all basin residents.

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**County: Regional**

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-039  
**Grant Name:** Ecosystem Workforce Project

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** University of Oregon  
**Contact:** Gary Chaffins, 541-346-5131

**FS Award:** \$170,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$46,110  
**Total Project Funding:** \$216,110

**Description:**

Funding will support the Institute For Sustainable Environment's Ecosystem Workforce Project, which is attempting to create institutional change through quality jobs in ecosystem management. We hope this project fosters the development of a high-skilled, high-wage approach to ecosystem management in the Pacific Northwest, as well as an increase in

Statewide

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-043  
**Grant Name:** RARE Program

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** Office of Research Services  
**Contact:** Karen Findtner, 541-346-5131

**FS Award:** \$93,378  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$615,268  
**Total Project Funding:** \$708,646

**Description:**

Funding will support placing RARE participants in community based positions in rural communities.

Statewide

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-007  
**Grant Name:** Youth Employment Program Mktg Study

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Heart of Oregon Corps, Inc.  
**Contact:** Daniel Saraceno, 541-617-3339

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

**Description:**

Create Planning and Marketing products to enable Applicant to develop module for start-up youth training and employment programs. Training and employment for at-risk youth, model that can be replicated in other communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-011  
**Grant Name:** Resource Development and Grant Writer

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Central Oregon Intergovernmental Council  
**Contact:** Tom Moore, 541-548-9522

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$35,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$60,000

**Description:**

This project will research and create a reference database of information on sources of grants, government-backed loans and other financial assistance for community and economic development projects. This project will benefit communities by

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-030  
**Grant Name:** Rural/Community Development

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0129

**FS Award:** \$10,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$2,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$12,500

**Description:**

The Oregon Economic and Community Development Department and the Oregon Rural Development Council will develop the comprehensive agenda for two community forums addressing rural issues; co-chair planning efforts concerning the 2002 U.S. Holiday Tree and communication of the "Oregon message"; and plan and develop a Statewide rural telecommunications conference focusing not only on adequate levels of telecommunications infrastructure, but also on the role of telecommunications on how rural residents live and work. Improvements to Oregon's long-term livability and increases in the sustainability of the State's natural resources, communities and economy. Additional resources should be developed for rural communities thus increasing opportunities for establishing and building community capacity. In addition, a minimum of 10 jobs should be created and/or retained as a result of ORDC efforts.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-042  
**Grant Name:** Local Workforce and Contractor Training and TA

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/2004

**Applicant:** Organization for Economic Initiatives  
**Contact:** J. Rick Evans, 541-756-5596

**FS Award:** \$49,784  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$12,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$62,284

**Description:**

The project will develop and present Federal contract workshops, delivering training in Urban Wildland Interface high-risk areas and economically impacted communities throughout Oregon; develop training materials and an instructional guide to contracting on government lands in English and Spanish; and provide ongoing technical assistance and counseling support. The local contracting workforce participation in support of fire hazard reduction efforts will increase as skills are enhanced. With the expansion of workforce capabilities, ecosystem restoration and resource management efforts will expand and improve. Risk of catastrophic fire in high hazard areas will be reduced.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-001  
**Grant Name:** Americorps-Rural Development

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/1994  
**Project End Date:** 11/30/1995

**Applicant:** University of Oregon  
**Contact:** David Povey, 503-346-3812

**FS Award:** \$136,907  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$54,800  
**Total Project Funding:** \$191,707

**Description:**

Recruit, place, train and manage 5 Americorp members to work with timber dependent communities. This would include technical assistance for grant writing, Internet access, project management, community involvement processes, and economic development strategies. Americorp members will help build community capacity by assisting with rural development efforts in their assigned communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-006  
**Grant Name:** Tourism Workshop

**Project Start Date:** 04/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 12/30/1996

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0123

**FS Award:** \$30,684  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$19,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$50,184

**Description:**

Funding is for the development of a workshop that will assist communities in developing interpretive facilities as highlighted in local and regional tourism strategies. This would help build community capacity by helping community, county, and tribal government tourism strategies.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-007  
**Grant Name:** Woods Products Network Proj.

**Project Start Date:** 04/20/1995  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/1997

**Applicant:** Wood Manufacturers Coop. & Tech. Training Cntr  
**Contact:** Jim Brown, 541-535-6420

**FS Award:** \$240,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$278,300  
**Total Project Funding:** \$518,300

**Description:**

Funds support the development of a flexible network association of secondary wood products manufacturers in Southern Oregon. Project supports natural resource dependent communities and businesses in diversifying the economic base through secondary wood products.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-008  
**Grant Name:** Jobs-in-the-Woods Demo Proj.

**Project Start Date:** 04/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 07/31/1996

**Applicant:** Rogue Institute for Ecology and Economy  
**Contact:** Brett KenCairn, 503-482-6031

**FS Award:** \$27,200  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$27,200

**Description:**

Funding supports Rogue Jobs-in-the-Woods Demonstration Project by building local capacity for administrative support while helping employment and training of dislocated timber workers in watershed/ecosystem investment work. Project supports natural resource based communities in employing dislocated workers in the emerging watershed restoration industry.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-012  
**Grant Name:** NWEAI Communities Survey

**Project Start Date:** 03/20/1995  
**Project End Date:** 01/31/1996

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0110

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$14,580  
**Total Project Funding:** \$34,580

**Description:**

Funding supports a survey which evaluates the changes in economic conditions in Oregon resulting from NWEAI during the first year. Survey will help evaluate the economic diversification/development activities and changes in economic conditions in timber dependent communities, counties, and tribal governments.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-021  
**Grant Name:** JITW Demo -Coord/Support

**Project Start Date:** 05/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/1996

**Applicant:** Management Training Corporation  
**Contact:** Sam Hunter, 503-626-2000

**FS Award:** \$29,595  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$29,595

**Description:**

Funding for this project supports project coordination for Tillamook area Jobs In The Woods (JITW) demonstration project. Project helps build local community capacity to work with natural resource dependent communities in support of dislocated workers.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-028  
**Grant Name:** Worker Adjustment Training

**Project Start Date:** 03/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 09/01/1996

**Applicant:** Chemeketa Community College  
**Contact:** H. Philip Barth, 503-399-5079

**FS Award:** \$102,500  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$27,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$130,000

**Description:**

Grant would provide funds to help complete the water/waste water system for the refurbished worker retraining and social services center that serves the communities of the North Santiam Canyon. This facility, when completed, will provide employment and training services in a consolidated approach to North Santiam Canyon dislocated workers and families.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-031  
**Grant Name:** J.I.W. Worker Research

**Project Start Date:** 08/18/1995  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/1996

**Applicant:** Oregon State University  
**Contact:** Richard Scanlan, 503-737-3437

**FS Award:** \$19,056  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$7,666  
**Total Project Funding:** \$26,722

**Description:**

Funds are in support of research which is tracking the Ecosystem Workforce Pilot Program in the City of Sweet Home and the Dislocated Worker Program at Linn-Benton Community college through re-employment scenarios. Funding of this research would help monitor and evaluate the effects of the Northwest Economic Adjustment Initiative.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-036  
**Grant Name:** Commercial Development Program

**Project Start Date:** 07/15/1995  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1997

**Applicant:** North Santiam Chamber of Commerce  
**Contact:** Gary Jurden, 503-897-2295

**FS Award:** \$60,193  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$18,452  
**Total Project Funding:** \$78,645

**Description:**

Funds would pay for the coordination of a commercial business retention/expansion program modeled after the Main Street USA approach. The project would address business expansion, retention, and recruitment economic diversification strategies identified by the North Santiam Canyon communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-037  
**Grant Name:** Industrial Business Develop.

**Project Start Date:** 07/15/1995  
**Project End Date:** 03/01/1997

**Applicant:** North Santiam Chamber of Commerce  
**Contact:** Gary Jurden, 503-897-2295

**FS Award:** \$22,270  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,298  
**Total Project Funding:** \$28,568

**Description:**

Funds are for technical assistance to local industries to encourage expansion, retention and recruitment. Industrial business expansion, retention, and recruitment is one of the economic diversification strategies being applied by the North Santiam Canyon communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-038  
**Grant Name:** Midcoast Workforce Demo. Proj.

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 11/30/1996

**Applicant:** Community Services Consortium  
**Contact:** Don Lindly, 503-265-8505

**FS Award:** \$24,272  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$24,272

**Description:**

Funding is to support Waldport/Midcoast J.I.T.W. demonstration project by building local capacity for administrative support to the community partnership. The demo project supports employment and training of dislocated timber workers. The project helps a natural resource based community in transition. It also supports a community based partnership.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-043  
**Grant Name:** Maritime Tech. Program Develop

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 02/28/1998

**Applicant:** Clatsop Community College  
**Contact:** John Wubben, 503-325-0910

**FS Award:** \$96,645  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$35,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$131,645

**Description:**

Funding is to support curriculum development for the Integrated Maritime Technologies program for the Maritime Environmental Research & Training Station. The project would support the county economic diversification strategy for employment, training and business recruitment.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-047  
**Grant Name:** Powers/Glendale Bike Rt.

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1995  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/1997

**Applicant:** Coos County  
**Contact:** Bev Owen, 503-396-3121

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,900  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,900

**Description:**

Funding is for the development of a community vision as to how the Powers/Glendale Bike Route will be positively incorporated into the community of Power's future. An education component to keep the project in focus will be part of the process. A marketing strategy will be developed to assure successful implementation of the bike route program. The Marketing plan will have an advertising component including an attractive bike route brochure. The project will benefit the resource dependent community of Powers. The development of a vision and marketing plan should result in the high use of the bike route which should help business development, expansion and employment for the local residents.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-048  
**Grant Name:** Powers/Glendale Bike Route

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1995  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/1997

**Applicant:** City of Glendale  
**Contact:** H.B. Clark, 503-832-2106

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,400  
**Total Project Funding:** \$26,400

**Description:**

Funding is for the development of a community vision as to how the Powers/Glendale Bike Route will be positively incorporated into the community of Glendale's future. An education component to keep the project in focus will be part of the process. A marketing strategy will be developed to assure successful implementation of the bike route program. The Marketing plan will have an advertising component including an attractive bike route brochure. The project will benefit the resource dependent community of Glendale. The development of a vision and marketing plan should result in the high use of the bike route which should help business development, expansion and employment for the local residents.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-054  
**Grant Name:** Rural Comm. Tech. Asst. (RARE)

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1996

**Applicant:** University of Oregon  
**Contact:** Steadman Upham, 503-346-5131

**FS Award:** \$98,090  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$94,638  
**Total Project Funding:** \$192,728

**Description:**

Funds are for support of the Resource Assistance for Rural Environments (RARE) program which would place, train and manage 5 college level students living/working in rural Oregon and Washington communities. RARE students will help build community capacity by assisting with rural development efforts in their assigned communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-011  
**Grant Name:** Sustainable SFP Development

**Project Start Date:** 03/15/1996  
**Project End Date:** 03/15/1999

**Applicant:** Rogue Institute for Ecology and Economy  
**Contact:** Brett KenCairn, 541-482-6031

**FS Award:** \$40,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$15,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$55,000

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of a sustainable special forest products (SFP) development project. The project supports

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-012  
**Grant Name:** Ecosystem Workforce Assessment

**Project Start Date:** 03/15/1996  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/1997

**Applicant:** Rogue Institute for Ecology and Economy  
**Contact:** Brett KenCairn, (541)482-6031

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,800  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,800

**Description:**

Grant funds are for the completion of an Ecosystem Workforce Assessment designed to develop, model and evaluate employment opportunities in a landscape-scale ecosystem management approach using Applegate Valley as an example. The project supports a natural resource based employment, business retention and development strategy, and should

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-013  
**Grant Name:** Small Timber Marketing Project

**Project Start Date:** 03/15/1996  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/1998

**Applicant:** Rogue Institute for Ecology and Economy  
**Contact:** Brett KenCairn, 541-482-6031

**FS Award:** \$37,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$8,900  
**Total Project Funding:** \$45,900

**Description:**

Funding is for completion of a small diameter material (timber) market research development project in South Western Oregon. This project supports economic diversification of a primary timber resource related industry. It also supports economic development/watershed restoration opportunities for private landowners through ecosystem restoration/uplands

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-014  
**Grant Name:** Applegate Strategic ActionPlan

**Project Start Date:** 03/18/1996  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1999

**Applicant:** Rogue Institute for Ecology and Economy  
**Contact:** Brett KenCairn, 541-482-6031

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,000

**Description:**

Funds are for completion and initial implementation of a strategic plan for the Applegate Valley unincorporated communities in Jackson and Josephine Counties. The grant funds supports a community based, community lead planning effort.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-027  
**Grant Name:** Rural Technology Support Proj.

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/1996  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1998

**Applicant:** Central Oregon Community College  
**Contact:** James Jones, 541-383-7209

**FS Award:** \$235,892  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$60,008  
**Total Project Funding:** \$295,900

**Description:**

Funding is for the purchase of equipment for implementing the rural technology support project at the Prineville, La Pine, and Madras Community College Centers and at the North Campus Center at Redmond. The project supports : 1) economic diversification strategies for 3 Central Oregon Counties; 2) retraining dislocated timber and mill workers and emerging workforce; 3) implements high priority project from college and regional economic development plan.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-041  
**Grant Name:** Income Survey

**Project Start Date:** 08/10/1996  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/2003

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0123

**FS Award:** \$120,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$30,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$150,000

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of income surveys for resource dependent communities. Income surveys will help determine eligibility for other funding resources such as Community Development Block Grants. The project supports resource dependent communities developing financial capital for high priority projects.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-054  
**Grant Name:** Community Development Training

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1996  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/1997

**Applicant:** Portland State University  
**Contact:** William H. Feyerherm, 503-725-3423

**FS Award:** \$15,951  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$155,060  
**Total Project Funding:** \$171,011

**Description:**

This grant will help to provide scholarships, technical assistance, and on-site visits to local communities who will receive training in solving their economic development issues. The project would provide relief from the current strain on uses of natural resources of the local area.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-057  
**Grant Name:** Ecosystem Workforce Program

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1996  
**Project End Date:** 04/30/1998

**Applicant:** Clatsop Community College  
**Contact:** John Wubben, 503-325-0910

**FS Award:** \$21,540  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$15,714  
**Total Project Funding:** \$37,254

**Description:**

The funding for this grant will support organizing and implementing a Northwest Oregon Ecosystem Workforce Demonstration Project. Funding will support facilitation and coordination for the local steering committee in support of developing partnerships and employing dislocated natural resource workers. This grant supports diversifying timber dependent counties with more effort on ecosystem enhancement activities in an area without federal land.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-010  
**Grant Name:** Commercial Development Program

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1999

**Applicant:** North Santiam Canyon Econ. Dev. Corp.  
**Contact:** Tim Kirsch, 503-897-2295

**FS Award:** \$30,081  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$10,600  
**Total Project Funding:** \$40,681

**Description:**

Funding is for the implementation of high priority projects identified in the updated Strategic Plan of the North Santiam Canyon Economic Development Corporation. These projects include, 1) design and implementation of a business needs assessment, 2) development, publication, and distribution of an updated Canyon Business Directory, 3) design and implementation of a computer module, 4) business seminars to meet the technical assistance needs of local businesses, 5) development and implementation of a Canyon image promotion including graphics, 6) development, production, and distribution of a Canyon Events calendar, and 7) design and hold a charette in one community. Momentum and support for the Main Street Program in the North Santiam Canyon has grown substantially since its beginnings in 1995. Phase 2 consists of implementation of the Canyon Community's highest priority projects and further growth of the program. The Commercial Development Program is designed to encourage a stronger, more diverse local business community, leading to increased jobs in the future.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-018  
**Grant Name:** Commercialized Rest Area Study

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 06/01/1999

**Applicant:** Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reserv  
**Contact:** Raymond F. Calica, Sr., 541-553-3232

**FS Award:** \$30,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$22,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$52,000

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is for the completion of a feasibility study for a commercialized rest stop on Highway 26 to serve travelers through the Warm Springs Indian Reservation. This grant provides technical assistance for a project identified in the Tribe's overall development plan, specifically the highway study done with Oregon Department of Transportation. This project also supports potential tribal business diversification and supports a healthy ecosystem by potentially resolving waste issues along highway corridors.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-025  
**Grant Name:** Ecosystem Workforce Training

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 03/31/1999

**Applicant:** Rogue Institute for Ecology and Economy  
**Contact:** Cassandra Moseley, 541-482-6031

**FS Award:** \$93,600  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$23,591  
**Total Project Funding:** \$117,191

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of the Ecosystem Workforce Training Partnership Curriculum including costs of hosting 1997's training classroom instruction and trainee personal support and case management. This project supports workforce development and diversification of natural resource industries. Institutionalizing training curriculum will lead to state certification and long term funding support for the program through state higher education funds at the community college level.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-060  
**Grant Name:** Regional Leadership Dev.

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1997  
**Project End Date:** 08/15/2001

**Applicant:** Rural Development Initiatives, Inc.  
**Contact:** Lynn Youngbar, 541-684-9077

**FS Award:** \$100,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$25,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$125,000

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is for the support of regional leadership development tools including an integrated curriculum outlining skills and knowledge for local leaders, program guide to design effective leadership program inventory of existing leadership training programs and an inventory of funding options for delivering leadership training. This project should support increased skills, knowledge, and abilities of the local people.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-064  
**Grant Name:** Regional Leadership Training

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 08/30/1999

**Applicant:** Rogue Valley Council of Governments  
**Contact:** Michael Cavallaro, 541-664-6674

**FS Award:** \$35,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$8,750  
**Total Project Funding:** \$43,750

**Description:**

Funding is to conduct and develop local leadership training sessions for rural communities in Jackson and Josephine counties resulting in a long term, sustainable model of ongoing capacity building. This project will provide an improved use of skills, knowledge, and abilities of the local people, provide capacity building training for local and emerging leaders,

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-065  
**Grant Name:** 97-98 RARE Program

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

**Applicant:** University of Oregon  
**Contact:** Gary Chaffins, 541-346-5131

**FS Award:** \$150,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$1,460,735  
**Total Project Funding:** \$1,610,735

**Description:**

Funding is to support placing University of Oregon RARE students in rural communities during the 1997-98 school year. This project will provide an increased use of skills, knowledge, and abilities of local people, improved community initiative, responsibility and adaptability, strengthened relationships and communication, sustainable, healthy ecosystems with

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-069  
**Grant Name:** OR Tourism Rural Small Grants

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/2000

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0110

**FS Award:** \$200,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$50,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$250,000

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is for the support of the rural tourism small grants program for tourism product development, capacity building, and marketing. This project supports the implementation of the Oregon Tourism Statewide Rural Tourism Strategic Plan. It also supports rural community diversification efforts by providing seed money for tourism

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-070  
**Grant Name:** Oregon Rural Tourism Workshops

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/2003

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0110

**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$17,797  
**Total Project Funding:** \$67,797

**Description:**

Funding is to support the Oregon Tourism Commission to develop and present rural tourism workshops to provide technical assistance and training to rural communities. This project implements the goals of the Oregon Statewide Rural Tourism Strategic Plan as well as provides technical training and local capacity building to rural communities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-071  
**Grant Name:** Oregon Arts Builds Communities

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1999

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0110

**FS Award:** \$120,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$120,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$240,000

**Description:**

Funding for this grant is to support the Oregon Arts Commission's 'Arts Build Communities' program in rural Oregon. This project supports community capacity building and diversification of rural economies through arts businesses and community development activities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-075  
**Grant Name:** Community Development Training

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

**Applicant:** Portland State University  
**Contact:** William H. Feyerherm, 503-725-8211

**FS Award:** \$11,632  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$69,091  
**Total Project Funding:** \$80,723

**Description:**

Funding is for the support of Portland State University's Oregon Community Development training seminar series for the 1997-98 school year. Three seminars will be held in rural locations during the school year. This project will increase community development skills, knowledge, and abilities of the local people.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-013  
**Grant Name:** Small Bus. Education/Outreach

**Project Start Date:** 05/15/1998  
**Project End Date:** 05/15/2000

**Applicant:** Southern Oregon Women's Access to Credit  
**Contact:** Karen Davison, 541-779-3992

**FS Award:** \$28,251  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$19,723  
**Total Project Funding:** \$47,974

**Description:**

This project will complete a directory of local businesses throughout the Applegate Valley. A marketing plan for businesses working through the Applegate Agrarians and Gatherers will be developed. A business assistance training and mentoring program will be completed with local entrepreneurs. It is anticipated that through small business development support, the capacity of the community will be enhanced, supporting business expansion and retention in this rural area. It meets the strategic plan goal of assisting with development of home-based small businesses.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-015  
**Grant Name:** Farmers Market Building TA

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2000

**Applicant:** City of Astoria  
**Contact:** Willis Van Dusen, 503-325-5821

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$7,751  
**Total Project Funding:** \$32,751

**Description:**

The City of Astoria will conduct a planning process that involves community-wide input and results in a detailed plan for building or redeveloping an existing building for the Astoria Farmers Market. Process will identify an appropriate site and plan for the facility. This plan will ultimately lead to the construction of a permanent Farmers Market Facility. Farm products are in great demand and a permanent facility will allow increased supply to meet the demand. The Farmers Market Association will be strengthened through this process as well as enhanced opportunities for economic diversification in the Clatsop County area. Facility is envisioned as a year-round public gathering site which broadens the use and versatility

Siuslaw

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-020  
**Grant Name:** Williams Arboretum Plan

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 02/15/2001

**Applicant:** Josephine County  
**Contact:** Jim Brock, 541-474-5275

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$15,109  
**Total Project Funding:** \$40,109

**Description:**

This grant will provide a strategic business plan for the Williams, Oregon Arboretum-Botanic Garden and Educational Center. The plan will include an economic feasibility study, fund raising strategies, conceptual building drawings, and a project implementation timeline. The botanic garden and education center will promote the creation of new cottage industries through it's education programs, and will support and help expand local business through the money spent by attendees of seminars and visitors, and create five to seven new jobs to operate the facility. Fortifying existing businesses and supporting emerging ones will strengthen the economic and cultural fabric of the Williams community. Training and retraining of people for agriculture related jobs is a value added enterprise that stabilizes the economy and enhances the future desired condition of the area.

Siskiyou

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-023  
**Grant Name:** Riverfront Park Improvements

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 05/31/2000

**Applicant:** City of Harrisburg  
**Contact:** Danny Eckles, 541-995-6655

**FS Award:** \$40,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$40,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$80,000

**Description:**

This project will fund First Street improvements which include 1) the development of final engineering, design, and bid documents and 2) construct and reconstruct an area of First Street with roadbed, sidewalks, curbs, and gutters. The community of Harrisburg is diversifying its economy through implementation of tourism strategies; small business retention/expansion/recruitment; and attracting clean industry. Completion of the Riverfront Park improvements with this project will finalize a key feature of Harrisburg's unique setting and quality of life. With completion of Riverfront Park, the community can be more successful in drawing increased visitors, small business relocation; retaining important business which are now located there; and providing for a pleasant community in which to live and play.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-024  
**Grant Name:** Detroit/Idanha Sewer TA

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2000

**Applicant:** City of Idanha  
**Contact:** Karen Clark, 503-854-3313

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,275  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,275

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is to support preparation of grant and load applications; staff support to Regional Sewer Committee, additional engineering services in response to the City of Salem; participation in Regional Sewer Committee meetings; WPCF permit; preparation/fee; draft intergovt. agreements; preparation and distribution of information regarding future bond. The cities of Idanha and Detroit need financial assistance for continued community-based future sewer treatment facility. Community capacity is increased through participation in the facility development process. Long term benefits will be increased water quality in the watershed; adequate water treatment/distribution infrastructure for the communities.

Willamette

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-033  
**Grant Name:** Bal'diyaka Cultural Center

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** Conf. Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua, Siuslaw  
**Contact:** David Bartels, 541-888-9577

**FS Award:** \$170,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$54,230  
**Total Project Funding:** \$224,230

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is for completion of architectural and design components for the Bal'diyaka Cultural Center This implements a project from the Tribe's strategic plan and self-sufficiency plan.

Siskiyou

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-035  
**Grant Name:** Small Towns Program

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 11/30/2001

**Applicant:** Oregon Department of Environmental Quality  
**Contact:** Langdon Marsh, 503-229-5300

**FS Award:** \$74,688  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$88,131  
**Total Project Funding:** \$162,819

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is for the support of DEQ in providing technical assistance through the small towns program to implement additional self help approaches for infrastructure projects in Oregon This project supports resolving water

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-036  
**Grant Name:** RARE Program

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1999

**Applicant:** University of Oregon  
**Contact:** Gary Chaffins, 541-346-5131

**FS Award:** \$150,022  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$1,254,282  
**Total Project Funding:** \$1,404,304

**Description:**

Funding is to support the Resource Assistants for Rural Environments placements in rural communities for the 1998-99 school year. This project supports local technical assistance and capacity building of rural communities by placing 30

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-038  
**Grant Name:** Ecosystem Workforce Project

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/2001

**Applicant:** University of Oregon  
**Contact:** Gary Chaffins, 541-346-5131

**FS Award:** \$262,010  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$316,066  
**Total Project Funding:** \$578,076

**Description:**

Funding is for the support of technical assistance to public and private land managers, workers and contractors, communities and community-based organizations to 1) encourage work design and procurement strategies that support quality jobs and stable, local workforce and business capacity, and 2) create networks among land managers and their partners to implement a quality jobs approach.

This project links social, economic, and ecosystem objectives.

Statewide

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-051  
**Grant Name:** Ecoforestry Pilot and Demo

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2000

**Applicant:** Rogue Institute for Ecology and Economy  
**Contact:** Lon Patterson, 541-482-6031

**FS Award:** \$22,756  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$77,846  
**Total Project Funding:** \$100,602

**Description:**

The Ecoforestry Pilot and Demonstration Project: Harvesting Small Diameter Materials for Forest and Community Health will test the availability, utilization, and cost-effectiveness of a variety of pieces of small diameter yarding equipment as well as sorting, transport, and on-site milling equipment. The RIEE will provide a user-friendly outcome report on production costs and cost/yield ratios. This project will provide the information needed by local contractors to conduct cost/benefit analysis on a variety of harvesting and processing equipment that may achieve economic diversification through job creations, entrepreneurship opportunities, and increased industry production.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-014  
**Grant Name:** Interpretive Plan

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

**Applicant:** Oregon Coastal Environments Awareness Network  
**Contact:** Janice Newlander, 541-759-3636

**FS Award:** \$37,620  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$34,923  
**Total Project Funding:** \$72,543

**Description:**

Funding from this grant will be used to develop an Interpretive Plan for the North Bend Information Center that will introduce the Coastal Environments Learning Network satellite sites and their programs to local residents and tourists. This interpretive plan will showcase the outdoor educational activities that tourists can expect to experience when they visit one or more of the interpretive sites for the Learning Network. The functioning Network programs will fit nicely into package tours offered by local natural tourism businesses. This grant also helps to implement projects from the Coos County tourism strategy, focusing on diversifying economy through increasing natural resource based tourism.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-023  
**Grant Name:** Rural Tourism Small Grants

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Dev. Dept.  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0129

**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$50,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$100,000

**Description:**

Funding is for rural tourism grants to support community projects as developed through the Oregon Tourism Commission. This project supports state's rural tourism strategy, invests in local, community based tourism products, many of which are linked to rural community economic diversification strategies and plans.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-024  
**Grant Name:** Arts Builds Communities

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-986-0129

**FS Award:** \$60,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$120,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$180,000

**Description:**

Funding is to support the Oregon Arts Commission's Arts Builds Communities program in support of underserved, rural communities throughout Oregon. This project supports local community capacity, incorporates arts projects as part of community development and local economic development strategies, and supports local arts businesses.

Regional Office

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-034  
**Grant Name:** Ecosystem Mgmt. Industry Dev.

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1999  
**Project End Date:** 08/31/2001

**Applicant:** Rogue Institute for Ecology and Economy  
**Contact:** Lon Patterson, 541-482-6031

**FS Award:** \$28,533  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$112,687  
**Total Project Funding:** \$141,220

**Description:**

This project will develop the ecosystem management industry by working with federal, state, and watershed council partners to develop alternative contracting options, identify and document challenges to non-traditional contacts and disseminate findings to broad audience. This project supports linking social and economic needs of communities with local businesses and workers in utilizing natural resources and establishes mechanisms for retention and creation of jobs in stewardship contracting.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-036  
**Grant Name:** RARE 1999-2000

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001

**Applicant:** University of Oregon  
**Contact:** Gary Chaffins, 541-346-5131

**FS Award:** \$124,995  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$1,060,363  
**Total Project Funding:** \$1,185,358

**Description:**

Funding is to support placement of at least 25 graduate students in rural communities throughout Oregon to support technical assistance, capacity building and training. This project improves rural community capacity.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-038  
**Grant Name:** Healthy Forest Community Ptnrs  
**Applicant:** Sustainable Northwest  
**Contact:** J. Martin Goebel, 503-221-6911

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001  
**FS Award:** \$100,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$396,600  
**Total Project Funding:** \$496,600

**Description:**

Funds are available to 1) promote forest ecosystem management on public and private lands, 2) build and strengthen the ability of local communities to provide forest restoration services and add value locally to the by-products of ecosystem management 3) increase commerce and profitability of partnership members products, and 4) build a self-sufficient collaborative organization that effectively serves partnership participants. This project will help establish a framework for improving forest and watershed health in the Pacific Northwest while also developing jobs and businesses in economically-disadvantaged rural communities.

Regional Office

**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-03-007  
**Grant Name:** Sustainable Economic and Community Development  
**Applicant:** Sustainable Northwest  
**Contact:** J. Martin Goebel, 503-221-6911

**Project Start Date:** 07/07/2003  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004  
**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$50,000

**Description:**

Funding will be used to make a comprehensive list of marketing and utilization projects funded in Region 6 through the National Fire Plan and to provide leadership training to rural communities throughout Oregon and Washington based on lessons learned from Sustainable Northwest's Community, Market-based, and Education/Outreach programs, as well as from collaborative work with other community-based forestry groups throughout the United States.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-04-001  
**Grant Name:** Arts Build Communities  
**Applicant:** Oregon Arts Commission  
**Contact:** Christine D'Arcy, 503-986-0087

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/2004  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2005  
**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,000

**Description:**

This project will support community-based projects which utilize local cultural assets in community development. Funding will help support projects specifically focused on issues related to Oregon Tribes, natural resources, and the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Commemoration. All projects focus on building stronger communities and may focus on the following areas: community economic development; public art and downtown development; facility development; festivals and community celebrations; building pride in ethnic heritage and cultural diversity; skill building and leadership development; youth and family projects; school and community collaborations; arts and conservation (natural environment; and arts and community healing.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-94-007  
**Grant Name:** Western Juniper Demo

**Project Start Date:** 09/26/1994  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1997

**Applicant:** Oregon State University  
**Contact:** Scott Reed, 503-737-3700

**FS Award:** \$3,792  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$3,400  
**Total Project Funding:** \$7,192

**Description:**

Grant funds are for the establishment of a western juniper demonstration area in Klamath County and to conduct a workshop and training exercise on juniper management for resource professional who deal with management alternatives on both public and private lands. A plan would be developed to direct the project sponsors efforts. The plan would further develop management practices for Western Juniper which would help promote wise use of a growing value-added wood products industry.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-94-008  
**Grant Name:** Income Survey - Block Grants

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/1994  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/1996

**Applicant:** Oregon Economic and Community Development Dept  
**Contact:** Michael Burton, 503-378-3732

**FS Award:** \$28,721  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$28,721

**Description:**

Funds are for income surveys for Eastern Oregon communities needing to establish the number of low and moderate incomes for potential lblock grant recipients. Surveys could identify new block grant eligibility enabling communities to

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-94-009  
**Grant Name:** Juniper Demonstration Plan

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

**Applicant:** State of Oregon  
**Contact:** Lorena Buren, 503-945-7230

**FS Award:** \$5,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$5,000

**Description:**

Funds would be for the development of a management training and demonstration area plan. The plan would further develop management practices for Western Juniper which would help promote wise use of a growing value-added wood

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-95-002  
**Grant Name:** Forest Stewardship Demo.

**Project Start Date:** 07/15/1995  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/1998

**Applicant:** Rogue Institute for Ecology and Economy  
**Contact:** Brett KenCairn, 503-482-6031

**FS Award:** \$30,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$15,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$45,000

**Description:**

Funding is to support a Stewardship Demonstration Project in the Jackson County area. The project would develop a network of non-industrial private landowners in completing uplands density management to support ecosystem management. The project would help the diversification of natural resource economies in SW Oregon.

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**Regional Summary:**

<b>Grants Awarded:</b>	109
<b>Total FS Award:</b>	\$21,511,781
<b>Total Leveraged Funds:</b>	<u>\$20,049,258</u>
<b>Total Project Funding:</b>	\$41,561,039



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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-00-001  
**Grant Name:** Community Action Plan

**Project Start Date:** 05/31/2000  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** City of Rufus  
**Contact:** Clifford Jett, 541-739-2321

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,213  
**Total Project Funding:** \$26,213

**Description:**

This grant will assist the city of Rufus conduct and complete a community action plan for the community and adjacent special district of Biggs Junction. Rufus is located adjacent to Interstate 84 just east of the Highway 97 junction. Rufus wants to utilize their 60 acre industrially zoned property to bring jobs and additional housing to their community. The community action planning process will help Rufus determine whether the development should be tourist, residential, and/or industrial. They want to explore the feasibility of these different options and engage the residents in the decision making process. They also want to explore the different options to attract development to the city beyond the scope of their own 60 acres. This is the City of Rufus' and Sherman County's number one priority for technical assistance and community readiness. This area was originally identified in the Sherman County Strategic Plan for future industrial or commercial development. Action planning process will also incorporate the Biggs Junction special district business interests. The City recognizes that any action they take could be impacted by the continued direction of development in the Biggs Junction area. Completing a community plan may help retain population in the area (especially youth), as it has been on a decline. In addition, Biggs has little or no housing. They draw on employees from surrounding communities. Plan will address housing needs also for these two areas.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-004  
**Grant Name:** Strategic Action Plan

**Project Start Date:** 04/01/1994  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/1997

**Applicant:** Sherman County  
**Contact:** Mike McArthur, 503-565-3606

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$10,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$35,000

**Description:**

PLAN DEVELOPMENT AND SUPPORT FOR SUBTITLE G ACTION PLAN- The County of Sherman, OR is initiating an action team. The funding will help facilitate the organization and execution of the Community Development Plan. The action team planning effort will begin the process of developing a long range strategic economic plan for the community.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-98-003  
**Grant Name:** RV Corral Park Eng/Design

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/1999

**Applicant:** Sherman County  
**Contact:** Mike McArthur, 541-565-3601

**FS Award:** \$10,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$2,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$12,500

**Description:**

Grant funding will assist Sherman County in completing the design and engineering plans in order to pursue funding from other sources to construct new restroom facilities at Sherman County's RV Corral Park. The design and engineering will meet ADA requirements for the new restrooms and shower facilities. The existing restrooms are not ADA accessible and not able to serve a park of this magnitude. Sherman County is committed to promoting tourism as one of their economic development strategies, and the enhancement of this site will serve as a destination for RV travelers.

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**County: Sherman**

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-033  
**Grant Name:** Engineering Plan for Emergency Svc. Bldg.  
**Applicant:** City of Rufus  
**Contact:** Clifford Jett, 541-739-2321

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004  
**FS Award:** \$5,800  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$1,600  
**Total Project Funding:** \$7,400

**Description:**

Grant funds will assist the City of Rufus with completion of the design and engineering for a 40x40' heated building to house and store the city's fire apparatus and fire department equipment. Having water tender available 12-months of the year would allow the City to provide better fire protection within the city and surrounding areas that are not inclose

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-003  
**Grant Name:** Special Forest Prod Speaker  
**Applicant:** Western Forestry and Conservation Assoc.  
**Contact:** Richard Zabel, 503-226-4562

**Project Start Date:** 04/03/1998  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/1998  
**FS Award:** \$3,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$3,000

**Description:**

Grant funds are being used to support the travel of specific speakers for the 'Special Forest Products: Working Together in a Changing World' conference. The conference will result in the increased knowledge of attendees concerning the resource management and commercialization of special forest products so that they may identify rural development opportunities within their areas of responsibility. Special forest products offer local communities opportunities for developing small businesses based on local resources.

Regional Office

**County Summary:**

<b>Grants Awarded:</b>	5
<b>Total FS Award:</b>	\$63,800
<b>Total Leveraged Funds:</b>	<u>\$20,313</u>
<b>Total Project Funding:</b>	\$84,113



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**County: Tillamook**

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-02-005  
**Grant Name:** Tillamook Forest Interpretive Ctr Eng & Design

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Oregon Department of Forestry  
**Contact:** Jim Brown, 503-945-7231

**FS Award:** \$490,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$332,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$822,000

**Description:**

Funding will be used to complete the Tillamook Forest Interpretive Center Final Engineering and Design documents including construction documents, drawings, specifications and all materials necessary to place the center out to bid. This facility will serve as a natural resource environmental education center in NW Oregon. The facility will support continuing education on wildland fire reduction and forest management education. In addition, this facility is expected to produce long term tourism opportunities to benefit local communities.

Regional Office

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-00-037  
**Grant Name:** Hebo Sewer TA

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/2000  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001

**Applicant:** Hebo Joint Water & Sanitary Authority  
**Contact:** Gerald Poulsen, 503-392-3557

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,000

**Description:**

The Hebo Joint Water & Sanitary Authority will apply these funds to complete a preliminary engineering design. This is the next step after having completed an evaluation and rehabilitation plan. This technical assistance will enable the HJWSA to move ahead with plans to rehabilitate the waste water treatment plant and bring it back into compliance with DEQ regulations. It's an emergency situation with the potential for adverse economic impacts to the community if the sewer system is not brought back into compliance.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-015  
**Grant Name:** South County Unincorporated Communities Plan

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Tillamook County Economic Development Council  
**Contact:** Karen Viehoever, 503-842-2236

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,000

**Description:**

Outcome of this grant project is the development and completion of a comprehensive communities plan for the unincorporated communities of Hebo, Cloverdale, and Beaver in South Tillamook County. It will identify available or potential needs, projects, resources, and partnerships. This resource action plan will provide a roadmap for improvements to each town and help leverage the communities' available funding sources and support their goals of community livability and economic sustainability.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-029  
**Grant Name:** Hebo Joint Water & Sanitary Authority Final Eng. .  
**Applicant:** Tillamook County  
**Contact:** Gerald Poulsen, 503-392-3557

**Project Start Date:** 08/10/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002  
**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$43,325  
**Total Project Funding:** \$93,325

**Description:**

Funding for a portion of the final engineering design for upgrading the wastewater treatment plant. This plant has been cited by the DEQ for violation of its National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Permit. This project will provide the City of Hebo with the needed repairs and improvements needed to bring the plant back into compliance. These

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-049  
**Grant Name:** Industrial Park  
**Applicant:** Port of Tillamook Bay  
**Contact:** Kenneth E. Bell, 503-842-2413

**Project Start Date:** 08/20/1996  
**Project End Date:** 07/01/1998  
**FS Award:** \$100,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$100,000

**Description:**

Forest Service funding is to be used for final engineering and design and administration and legal work. This grant will implement priority development from overall Economic Development Plan and supports capacity infrastructure for diversification of a natural resource dependent community.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-067  
**Grant Name:** Pioneer Museum Preliminary Eng  
**Applicant:** Tillamook County EDC  
**Contact:** Valerie Folkema, 503-842-2236

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1998  
**FS Award:** \$100,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$25,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$125,000

**Description:**

This grant of \$100,000 will help provide for development and implementation of a site plan which will include infrastructure engineering for storm water, fill and site preparation, street lighting and utilities, driveways and parking, and landscaping. A local heritage museum would add to other tourist attractions in Tillamook County to build an economy that has been devastated by a downturn in Federal timber operations and the fish industry.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-032  
**Grant Name:** Communities Downtown Revitaliz  
**Applicant:** Tillamook County EDC  
**Contact:** Valerie Folkema, 503-842-2236

**Project Start Date:** 09/08/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001  
**FS Award:** \$45,500  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$32,462  
**Total Project Funding:** \$77,962

**Description:**

This project funds Phase II of a rural communities' downtown revitalization process for Tillamook City, Wheeler, Garibaldi, and Rockaway Beach. Each community is in a different spot in its process and will continue to build on the progress each has made to date to revitalize and diversify its downtown commercial core through a community-wide participatory process. Tillamook County communities have integrated efforts to overcome reductions in timber and fishing industries. Four rural communities will be working individually and collectively to diversify, improve, and enliven their downtowns.

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*County: Tillamook*

County Summary:

<i>Grants Awarded:</i>	7
<i>Total FS Award:</i>	\$825,500
<i>Total Leveraged Funds:</i>	<u>\$442,787</u>
<i>Total Project Funding:</i>	\$1,268,287



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**County: Umatilla**

**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-02-017

**Grant Name:** Value Added Options for Local Sawmill

**Applicant:** Greater Eastern Oregon Development Corp.

**Contact:** Melisa Jo Drugge, 541-276-6745

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002

**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**FS Award:** \$31,500

**Leveraged Funds:** \$8,000

**Total Project Funding:** \$39,500

**Description:**

Funding for this project will be used to examine options to add value to smaller diameter logs removed from Federal, State, and private lands in the Blue Mountains. A report will be produced that will include basic market analysis and economic feasibility, and a general description of equipment recommended or needed. Successful processing of smaller

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-00-006

**Grant Name:** Homeland Heritage Corridor

**Applicant:** Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla

**Contact:** Antone Minthorn, 541-276-3165

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2000

**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**FS Award:** \$84,006

**Leveraged Funds:** \$31,190

**Total Project Funding:** \$115,196

**Description:**

The products are transcribed and interpreted oral history interviews with tribal elders that will be synthesized to a single map that will be distributed to local businesses and communities for use by local citizens and travelers. The map will provide the location of tribal villages at the time of the Lewis and Clark Corps of Discovery visits in 1805 & 1806 and interpret life style, culture, and heritage for present-day visitors. The products of this grant will foster the continued partnership between CTUIR and local communities and with Umatilla County. The expected influx of travellers to the region during the L & C observance is expected to provide an economic boost to the area.

Regional Office

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-00-014

**Grant Name:** Orchard Park Restrooms

**Applicant:** City of Milton-Freewater

**Contact:** Howard Moss, 541-938-5531

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2000

**Project End Date:** 11/30/2002

**FS Award:** \$26,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,514

**Total Project Funding:** \$32,514

**Description:**

Funding to construct restrooms and RV dump station at Orchard park. Supports community development project designed to encourage travelers to spend time in town.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-04-010

**Grant Name:** Ukiah Senior Center

**Applicant:** City of Ukiah

**Contact:** Clint Barber, 541-427-3271

**Project Start Date:** 07/30/2004

**Project End Date:** 07/29/2005

**FS Award:** \$7,705

**Leveraged Funds:** \$356,810

**Total Project Funding:** \$364,515

**Description:**

This project will establish native habitats that will enable students of the Ukiah School to study different species and plants in native environments while providing landscaping of the Ukiah Senior Center. The outcome of this project will be a fully

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**County: Umatilla**

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-020  
**Grant Name:** OR Trail Interpret Site Plan

**Project Start Date:** 06/20/1994  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/1995

**Applicant:** Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla  
**Contact:** Donald Sampson, 503-276-3165

**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$12,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$62,500

**Description:**

Funds will be used for the planning and design costs of the building site, road grading, and trail preparation for an Oregon Trail Interpretive Institute. Completion of the interpretive center will bring in more tourism dollars and help diversify the Reservation economy.

Umatilla

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-021  
**Grant Name:** Develop Entrepreneurial Opport

**Project Start Date:** 06/22/1994  
**Project End Date:** 05/31/1996

**Applicant:** Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla  
**Contact:** Donald Sampson, 503-276-3165

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,000

**Description:**

This grant will augment previously established seed money matching fund grant program to allow more Tribal entrepreneurs to seize development opportunities provided by the opening of the Oregon Trail Interpretive Institute. This will help improve the economy of the Reservation for the benefit of Tribal members and the Tribe by developing and promoting private and Tribal enterprise within the Reservation.

Umatilla

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-056  
**Grant Name:** Community Park Improvement

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/1994  
**Project End Date:** 10/31/1997

**Applicant:** City of Ukiah  
**Contact:** Clinton Barber, 503-427-3584

**FS Award:** \$8,583  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,646  
**Total Project Funding:** \$15,229

**Description:**

Funding is for completion of improvements to the Ukiah Community Park including construction fo a water and wastewater facility. Improvements to the park would encourage more tourism to the area and contribute to the diversification of the local economy.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-076  
**Grant Name:** Business Incubator Space

**Project Start Date:** 09/30/1994  
**Project End Date:** 03/31/1996

**Applicant:** Port of Umatilla  
**Contact:** Chester Prior, 503-922-3224

**FS Award:** \$58,761  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$64,665  
**Total Project Funding:** \$123,426

**Description:**

Funding is to support completion of a flex-space building. This would include utilities, restrooms, sidewalks and driveway. This would provide space for business development with a particular focus on value-added agriculture industry. This would help diversify the local economy of Milton-Freewater.

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**County: Umatilla**

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-97-010  
**Grant Name:** Artists Workshop Series

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/1998

**Applicant:** Crow's Shadow Institute  
**Contact:** Marie Hall, 541-276-3954

**FS Award:** \$15,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$15,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$30,000

**Description:**

Funding from this grant will assist in the expansion of the artist's workshop series to support technology transfer business development associated with the Crow's Shadow Institute. This project supports economic diversification through art as a cultural activity and business opportunity as well as supports the tourism goals associated with the Confederated Tribes of

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-98-006  
**Grant Name:** Water System Master Plan

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/2000

**Applicant:** City of Pilot Rock  
**Contact:** Steve Draper, 541-443-2811

**FS Award:** \$14,750  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$15,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$29,750

**Description:**

Funding from this grant will be used to complete a water system master plan for the City of Pilot Rock. This project support community infrastructure improvements in order to help community with basic capacity and the City's ability to attract business and diversify their economy

Umatilla

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-041  
**Grant Name:** Ukiah City Park Restroom Facility

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** City of Ukiah  
**Contact:** Clint Barber, 541-427-3271

**FS Award:** \$24,410  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,315  
**Total Project Funding:** \$30,725

**Description:**

Funding is for installing a fully accessible public restroom facility for community members and visitors to the area. We hope installing a public restroom enhances services available for community emmbers and visitors while at the same time promoting tourism and economic growth in the area.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-042  
**Grant Name:** Umatilla Co. Tax Lot Digitization

**Project Start Date:** 09/21/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** Umatilla County  
**Contact:** William Hansell, 541-278-6202

**FS Award:** \$70,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$20,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$90,000

**Description:**

Funding will consolidate various efforts by Federal, State, City, and Rural Fire Departments into a common database to store, analyze, and share data and information; then create the appropriate Geographic Information System (GIS) layer by digitizing all tax lots within Umatilla County. This project will provide the County and its cooperators access to an integrated GIS-based digitized tax lot layer which can be used in fire response, fire hazard identification, evacuation, and planning.

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**County: Umatilla**

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-034  
**Grant Name:** Wastewater Collection System Study  
**Applicant:** City of Athena  
**Contact:** Mark Seltmann, 541-566-3862

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$40,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$60,000

**Description:**

Funding for this project will be used to contract with a professional engineer to prepare an update for the I&I study that will include an assessment of what is needed to bring the City of Athena system back into compliance. The City is currently in violation of DEQ regulations for the sewer system. An assessment will be made of the current system and a determination

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-036  
**Grant Name:** Water System Master Plan Update  
**Applicant:** City of Ukiah  
**Contact:** Clint Barber, 541-427-3271

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$10,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$35,000

**Description:**

Funding for this project will provide for an update of the water system that will include a rate study, recommended improvements with cost estimates, and the evaluation of remaining well capacity and storage needs. Upgrading the current water system will improve water service to users in the City of Ukiah.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-039  
**Grant Name:** Technical Assistance Workshops for Nonprofits  
**Applicant:** Greater Eastern Oregon Development Corp  
**Contact:** Melisa Jo Drugge, 541-276-6745

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,000

**Description:**

GEODC will conduct a needs assessment regarding local nonprofits. Based on the needs assessment, GEODC will then deliver programs to these local nonprofits offering educational and training opportunities to provide needed skills. GEODC will offer technical and financial assistance to rural nonprofits to build their capacity to govern, raise funds, and operate programs. This in turn will help them assist local communities, businesses, and industries in creating jobs. Local nonprofits will increase their capacity to govern, fund raise, and deliver their normal programs. Nonprofits that operate more efficiently and effectively should better serve local communities in job retention, expansion, and creation efforts.

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**County Summary:**

<b>Grants Awarded:</b>	15
<b>Total FS Award:</b>	\$475,714
<b>Total Leveraged Funds:</b>	<u>\$602,640</u>
<b>Total Project Funding:</b>	\$1,078,354



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**County: Union**

**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-014

**Grant Name:** Economic Monitoring of NFP Projects

**Applicant:** Blue Mountain Natural Resources Foundation, In

**Contact:** Larry Cribbs, 541-962-6590

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/2001

**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**FS Award:** \$27,721

**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,121

**Total Project Funding:** \$33,842

**Description:**

Funding for this project will monitor natural resource project and contracts in Union, Wallowa, and Grant Counties with a focus on National Fire Plan funded projects. This project will increase community knowledge of the role of natural resource agencies and industries in the economy as well as develop community capacity of project monitoring for

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-02-001

**Grant Name:** Wood Biomass to Energy Analysis

**Applicant:** Union County Economic Development Corp

**Contact:** Joel Frank, 541-963-0926

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/2002

**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**FS Award:** \$40,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$37,300

**Total Project Funding:** \$77,300

**Description:**

Phase 2 of analysis to study and identify all existing applications for which wood biomass and/or chipped hog fuel may be used in a cost effective manner. Develop a sustainable economic environment that will enhance and improve forestry management practices through biomass fuel applications.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-00-005

**Grant Name:** Buffalo Peak Facilities

**Applicant:** City of Union

**Contact:** Dave Thomas, 541-569-5197

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2000

**Project End Date:** 03/15/2002

**FS Award:** \$30,400

**Leveraged Funds:** \$17,127

**Total Project Funding:** \$47,527

**Description:**

This project will provide gap funding to complete the engineering and construction for the extension of utilities to the city of Union, Buffalo Peak Public Golf Course & Wastewater Facility. Completion of this project will contribute to the large environmental goals of improved water quality and salmon habitat in Catherine Creek; as well as the diversification and expansion of the local economy.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-00-015

**Grant Name:** Small City Marketing Package

**Applicant:** Union County

**Contact:** Dennis Spray, 541-963-1001

**Project Start Date:** 08/30/2000

**Project End Date:** 04/30/2002

**FS Award:** \$40,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$20,485

**Total Project Funding:** \$60,485

**Description:**

Funding for marketing packages including business recruitment at Elin City industrial park and Union County Tourism with emphasis on City of Union opportunities. The goal of both marketing efforts would be to promote Union County as a rural area with many opportunities for business development and a variety of destination tourism activities.

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**County: Union**

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-01-002  
**Grant Name:** Water System Master Plan

**Project Start Date:** 07/16/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** City of North Powder  
**Contact:** Carrie Crook, 541-898-2185

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$11,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$31,500

**Description:**

The water system master plan will identify and prioritize the needs and issues of the city's water system. The plan will be completed and provide a plan to bring the system into compliance with OHD requirements. The City of North Powder will benefit from an improved and efficient water system. The plan will address existing and future compliance issues.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-01-003  
**Grant Name:** City of Imbler Waste Water System Study

**Project Start Date:** 07/16/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** City of Imbler  
**Contact:** Joseph Combe, 541-534-6095

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$10,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$30,000

**Description:**

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-01-004  
**Grant Name:** City of Union Water System Master Plan

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/2004

**Applicant:** City of Union  
**Contact:** Bill Searles, 541-562-5197

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$11,565  
**Total Project Funding:** \$31,565

**Description:**

This grant will help the city of Union complete a Water System Master Plan. Completion of this plan will meet an Oregon Water Resources Department requirement that the City have a plan on file that addresses existing and foreseeable future regulatory compliance issues. The City of Union continues to make water system improvements to meet the needs of a steadily increasing population. This plan will provide needed planning direction

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-01-005  
**Grant Name:** Union County Strategis Plan Update

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** Union County  
**Contact:** Colleen MacLeod, 541-963-1001

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

**Description:**

Update or create a new Union County Strategic Plan. The previous plan was completed in 1995 and many goals have been accomplished. Developing a new strategic plan will bring together a diverse group of people from the community to celebrate accomplishments and plan for future community direction.

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**County: Union**

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-01-006  
**Grant Name:** Union County Digital Tax Lot Map  
**Applicant:** Union County  
**Contact:** Colleen MacCleod, 541-963-1001

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003  
**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$20,680  
**Total Project Funding:** \$45,680

**Description:**

Completed project will produce a highly accurate map available for use by public, agencies and business. The completed map will provide up-to-date accurate information for fire planning, long-range land use issues and local decision making.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-057  
**Grant Name:** Industrial Park Development  
**Applicant:** City of Elgin  
**Contact:** Randy McKone, 503-437-2253

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/1994  
**Project End Date:** 08/31/1996  
**FS Award:** \$3,091  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$3,530  
**Total Project Funding:** \$6,621

**Description:**

Funds are for the completion of the feasibility study for the City of Elgin industrial park including an engineering and industry analysis, and marketing plan. This would help enable the community to explore ways to diversify the local economy.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-058  
**Grant Name:** Museum Renovation  
**Applicant:** Union County  
**Contact:** Lorance Savage, 503-963-1001

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/1994  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/1995  
**FS Award:** \$18,100  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$23,100

**Description:**

Funding is for completion of improvements to the Union County Museum. Newly renovated museum would help attract more tourism to the area and help diversify the local economy.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-059  
**Grant Name:** Community Action Plan  
**Applicant:** Union County  
**Contact:** Lorance Savage, 503-963-1001

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/1994  
**Project End Date:** 03/31/1997  
**FS Award:** \$23,708  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,620  
**Total Project Funding:** \$30,328

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of a county-wide strategic action plan and initial action plan implementation activities. Development of a community action plan would help diversify the local timber dependent economies.

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**County: Union**

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-95-010  
**Grant Name:** Strategic Plan Implementation

**Project Start Date:** 07/20/1995  
**Project End Date:** 12/18/1998

**Applicant:** City of Union  
**Contact:** Leonard Almquist, 503-562-5197

**FS Award:** \$14,010  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$7,100  
**Total Project Funding:** \$21,110

**Description:**

Funding is to support implementation projects identified in the City of Union's Strategic Action Plan including implementation of at least 3 project funding strategies and grant applications. Grant funds support the community and county's economic diversification strategies.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-96-003  
**Grant Name:** City Park Planning and Design

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1996  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/1997

**Applicant:** City of Elgin  
**Contact:** Randy McKone, 541-437-2253

**FS Award:** \$9,800  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$74,450  
**Total Project Funding:** \$84,250

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of planning, design, and funding technical assistance for the City of Elgin Hunaha Park. The project supports the City's tourism strategy and the diversification of the local resource dependent economy.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-97-006  
**Grant Name:** Airport Light Ind Park-Phase 3

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/1998

**Applicant:** Union County  
**Contact:** Steve McClure, 541-963-1001

**FS Award:** \$15,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$8,400  
**Total Project Funding:** \$23,400

**Description:**

Funding for this project will complete the necessary pre-engineering and development plan for a 172 acre expansion of the light industrial park at the LaGrande/Union County Airport. This grant will assist the county to build diversity for the local resource based economy.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-97-007  
**Grant Name:** Cove Community Planning

**Project Start Date:** 06/15/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/2000

**Applicant:** City of Cove  
**Contact:** Richard Thew, 541-568-4566

**FS Award:** \$19,982  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,482

**Description:**

Approximately \$15,000 grant funds are for the development of a community strategic plan that provides focus and direction for the orderly development of community programs and services for the greater Cove community. The remaining balance (\$5,000) is for the implementation of action items identified by the plan. This project will provide a working document for the great Cove community, aiding in future development and economic revitalization.

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**County: Union**

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-98-002  
**Grant Name:** Airport Industrial Park

**Project Start Date:** 02/09/1998  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/2000

**Applicant:** Union County  
**Contact:** John Howard, 541-963-1001

**FS Award:** \$12,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$480,461  
**Total Project Funding:** \$492,461

**Description:**

Funds for this project will be used to provide water, sewer and other infrastructure from Phase I to Phase II site of county Industrial Park. Project is anticipated to provide approximately 150 new jobs and supports a project from Union County's overall Economic Development Plan and Strategic Plan.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-99-001  
**Grant Name:** Community Athletic Complex

**Project Start Date:** 06/04/1999  
**Project End Date:** 03/15/2001

**Applicant:** City of Union  
**Contact:** David Thomas, 541-562-5197

**FS Award:** \$40,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$12,420  
**Total Project Funding:** \$52,420

**Description:**

Funding from this project will provide materials for completion or community meeting building and bleachers. The facility will provide enhanced athletic and recreational opportunities for the youth, adults, and families of Union County. The complex is a key piece of the framework identified in the City of Union Strategic Plan to increase livability and quality of life. The facility fills future needs for increased community infrastructure. The community meeting facility provides increased meeting space and enhances the usability of the entire complex.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-026  
**Grant Name:** EMT Rural Edu Partnership

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 03/31/2000

**Applicant:** NE Oregon Area Health Edu Ctr, Inc  
**Contact:** Sandra D. Ryman, 541-962-3800

**FS Award:** \$64,425  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$18,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$82,425

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is for the purchase of emergency medical training supplies for use in developing rural community access to training in the State of Oregon. This project should support rural community capacity building by helping rural

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-95-001  
**Grant Name:** Industrial Park Engineering

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/1995  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/1997

**Applicant:** Union County  
**Contact:** Steve McClure, 503-963-1001

**FS Award:** \$46,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$8,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$54,000

**Description:**

Funding is for the final engineering package for the Union County Light Industrial Park phase II. The implementation of the project was identified in the county's strategic plan and Overall Economic Development Plan (OEDP). The engineering package will enable the county to pursue construction of the industrial park.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-96-001  
**Grant Name:** Reforestation Network

**Project Start Date:** 03/05/1996  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/2000

**Applicant:** Private Lands Forest Network  
**Contact:** Daniel Hoyt, 541-963-3168

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,000

**Description:**

Funds are to support contract administration costs for public outreach and project coordination in assisting landowners with technical planting and reforestation needs, over a two year period. Project promotes integration of sustainable stewardship efforts with non-federal lands and rural community economic development. The technical assistance should increase the effectiveness of reforestation efforts which would enhance the long term sustainability of forest resources in the local communities.

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<b>Grants Awarded:</b>	21
<b>Total FS Award:</b>	\$539,237
<b>Total Leveraged Funds:</b>	<u>\$771,759</u>
<b>Total Project Funding:</b>	\$1,310,996



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**County: Wallowa**

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-001  
**Grant Name:** Joseph Rural Fire District Formation

**Project Start Date:** 03/15/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/01/2002

**Applicant:** Wallowa County  
**Contact:** Mike Hayward, 541-426-4543

**FS Award:** \$4,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$15,540  
**Total Project Funding:** \$19,540

**Description:**

Funding for this grant will assist the City of Joseph with the development of a proposal to form a rural fire district in the area surrounding the City. This proposal will be taken to voters in October 2001. The community and surrounding countryside will benefit from an organized local fire protection district.

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-006  
**Grant Name:** Market Based Incentives/Small Diameter Materials

**Project Start Date:** 07/16/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Wallowa Resource  
**Contact:** Diane Snyder, 541-426-8053

**FS Award:** \$179,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$83,012  
**Total Project Funding:** \$262,012

**Description:**

Funding will be used to support a pilot study of small diameter wood processing in Wallowa County. Wallowa Resources will purchase and lease to private mill operator precision saw mill systems equipment for the pilot test and support he operation of the equipment in the area during the grant period. This pilot will provide new information on utilization of biomass materials for use for new small diameter wood products which may lead to increased employment opportunities for NE Oregon mills.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-00-013  
**Grant Name:** Flora School Water Closet Project

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/2000  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** Flora School Education Center  
**Contact:** Vanessa Thew Thompson, 541-938-7834

**FS Award:** \$10,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$9,825  
**Total Project Funding:** \$19,825

**Description:**

The Flora School needs the water system repaired to complete the ongoing restoration. This grant will aid the school in providing the needed water system repairs. This project will allow full use of the Flora School Building as a folk arts and

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-04-013  
**Grant Name:** Wallowa County Strategic Plan Update  
**Applicant:** Wallowa County  
**Contact:** Mike Hayward, 541-426-4543

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2004  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2006  
**FS Award:** \$12,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$3,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$15,000

**Description:**

Wallowa County will contract for services to complete a comprehensive update of the County strategic plan. The current plans date back to 1996 and were partially updated in 2003-2004. This project would add sections on recently completed research on local economic trends and opportunities, provide for public participation and involvement of cities, non-profits, and other economic development partners, incorporate creative and visual tools to communicate options and impacts of different types of development as part of the community involvement process. A complete and comprehensive community strategic plan will be an important tool to address community goals for long term sustainability and capacity for economic and community development.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-060  
**Grant Name:** Winter Rec. Park Study  
**Applicant:** Wallowa County  
**Contact:** Arliegh Isley, 503-426-4543

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/1994  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/1995  
**FS Award:** \$12,716  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$4,425  
**Total Project Funding:** \$17,141

**Description:**

Funding is for completion of a winter park feasibility study. The study would help the community develop winter recreation opportunities which would bring more users to the area and help diversify the local economy.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-95-012  
**Grant Name:** Airstrip Renovation  
**Applicant:** City of Enterprise  
**Contact:** Michele Young, 503-426-4196

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1996  
**FS Award:** \$25,500  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$23,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$49,000

**Description:**

Funding would go towards the repaving of the existing runway at the Enterprise Airstrip. The project would help maintain a segment of the city's infrastructure in support of the timber dependent county. This was identified in their Strategic

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-95-014  
**Grant Name:** Strategic Plan  
**Applicant:** Wallowa County  
**Contact:** Arleigh Isley, 503-426-4543

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1997  
**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$8,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$33,500

**Description:**

Funding is for a complete update of the Wallowa County Strategic Plan including \$20,000 for plan completion and \$5,000 to support initial implementation of projects. The project supports county/community led planning efforts for economic

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-95-015  
**Grant Name:** Sno-park Eng/Design/Construct

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1996

**Applicant:** Wallowa County  
**Contact:** Arleigh Isley, 503-426-4543

**FS Award:** \$10,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$3,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$13,500

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of an environmental analysis, final engineering & design, and reconstruction of Ferguson Ridge Winter Sno-park. This project was identified in the county strategic plan which helps support diversification of the local economy through a tourism strategy.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-96-006  
**Grant Name:** Wallowa Woodlands & Products

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1996  
**Project End Date:** 09/30/1999

**Applicant:** Wallowa County  
**Contact:** Benjamin Boswell, 541-426-4543

**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$16,534  
**Total Project Funding:** \$66,534

**Description:**

Funding is to initiate implementation of the Wallowa Woodlands and Products project. This project helps to implement a project from the County's strategic action plan and to diversify the economy of this timber and range dependent county.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-96-007  
**Grant Name:** Airstrip Fencing Materials

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1996  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1998

**Applicant:** Wallowa County  
**Contact:** Arleigh Isley, 541-426-4543

**FS Award:** \$10,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$11,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$21,500

**Description:**

Funding is to purchase materials and supplies for fencing at Wallowa County's Joseph Airport. This project implements a high-priority project from the County's strategic plan and supports community infrastructure capacity.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-97-004  
**Grant Name:** NezPerce Trail Interpret Ctr.

**Project Start Date:** 01/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/1998

**Applicant:** Wallowa Band Nez Perce Trail Interpret Ctr, Inc  
**Contact:** Jo T. Hallam, 541-426-3031

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$42,852  
**Total Project Funding:** \$67,852

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is to complete planning and design for the Wallowa Band of the Nez Perce Trail Interpretive Center including preparation of an economic impact analysis and business plan, master site plan, implement a community and involvement process to complete the planning phases of the project. This grant supports a high priority project from the Wallowa County Strategic Plan, diversifies a natural resource dependent community, and supports community/tribal/government partnerships for cultural/heritage tourism.

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**County: Wallowa**

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-97-008  
**Grant Name:** Summer Arts and Music Festival

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 03/31/1999

**Applicant:** Wallowa Valley Arts Council  
**Contact:** Robert M. Gergison, 541-426-4494

**FS Award:** \$4,900  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$10,425  
**Total Project Funding:** \$15,325

**Description:**

Funding from this grant will support the Wallowa Valley Arts Council Summer Festivals Enhancement and Promotion marketing effort aimed at increasing community tourism opportunities and success of local artisans' businesses marketing results. This project supports tourism components from the Wallowa County Strategic Plan aimed at diversifying the local

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-98-004  
**Grant Name:** Wallowa Lake Basin Master Plan

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/2000

**Applicant:** Wallowa County  
**Contact:** Ben Boswell, 541-426-4543

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

**Description:**

This grant will fund completion of a feasibility study to determine possibility and desirability of a master plan. Study includes mapping, public issue meetings, and incorporation of existing studies and plans. This project will produce a concept paper that describes the advantages and disadvantages of a master plan area and tentative boundaries of area.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-99-004  
**Grant Name:** Downtown Revitalization

**Project Start Date:** 07/15/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/2000

**Applicant:** City of Enterprise  
**Contact:** Susan Roberts, 541-426-4196

**FS Award:** \$40,825  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$28,550  
**Total Project Funding:** \$69,375

**Description:**

The Enterprise Downtown Revitalization Project will purchase and install decorative street lamps throughout the Enterprise downtown business district. This project is a companion project to a larger ODOT roadbed and sidewalk reconstruction project occurring along the Wallowa Lake Highway this summer. The Wallowa Lake Highway runs through downtown Enterprise. The decorative street lamps along Main Street, a parrallel street, will give the entire downtown area a clean new look and create a more favorable business environment for residents and visitors alike.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-006  
**Grant Name:** City of Joseph Water System Master Plan

**Project Start Date:** 07/10/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** City of Joseph  
**Contact:** W. Kevin Warnock, 541-432-3832

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$11,521  
**Total Project Funding:** \$31,521

**Description:**

The grant will provide funds for the city to complete a water system master plan to identify and prioritize the issues and needs for city water uses. The current water system is decaying. The water system master plan will identify how to make

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-014  
**Grant Name:** City of Lostine Water System Master Plan  
**Applicant:** City of Lostine  
**Contact:** Krag Norton, 541-569-2415

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/15/2003  
**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$11,684  
**Total Project Funding:** \$31,684

**Description:**

The Water System Master Plan will identify the city's water system needs, supply, storage and distribution system. The City currently gets their water from an old spring-fed system. During the dry part of the year, there isn't adequate supply for fire protection and customer use. The plan will help the City decide the best way to improve their system.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-002  
**Grant Name:** Lone Eagle Marketing Survey  
**Applicant:** NE Oregon Economic Development Dist.  
**Contact:** Sara Miller, 541-426-3598

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004  
**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$2,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$22,500

**Description:**

The Lone Eagle Marketing Strategy will gather information to develop a marketing plan to encourage other lone eagles to move to Wallowa County. The information will also be used for ongoing support of lone eagles already working in the county. This strategy has been identified as a good one for improving economic and social conditions in Wallowa County by providing a support system for local business owners.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-031  
**Grant Name:** Community Center Upgrades  
**Applicant:** Wallowa County  
**Contact:** Mike Hayward, 541-426-4543

**Project Start Date:** 09/18/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004  
**FS Award:** \$24,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$33,425  
**Total Project Funding:** \$57,425

**Description:**

This project will fund the kitchen upgrades in the community center in Wallowa County. It will also provide the installation of an irrigation system. The kitchen upgrades will provide a commercial facility large enough for conferences and meetings and also will be available for family gatherings and community activities. The irrigation upgrades to the grounds will expand the use of the facilities and complete the space needs identified by the County Strategic Plan.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-035  
**Grant Name:** City Park Power & Lighting Upgrade  
**Applicant:** City of Joseph  
**Contact:** W. Kevin Warnock, 541-432-3832

**Project Start Date:** 09/18/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004  
**FS Award:** \$6,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$1,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$7,500

**Description:**

Funding for this project will be used to upgrade the existing transformer and route underground wiring to provide additional and permanent lighting and power to the event and vendor area in the lower end of the park. The City Park is the center of community tourism and recreation activities. The additional of permanent electrical facilities will make the park safer and provide for increased use.

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**County: Wallowa**

**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-01-002

**Grant Name:** Connecting Natural Resource Mgmt, Mkts, Enterprise

**Applicant:** Wallowa Resources

**Contact:** Diane Snyder, 541-426-8053

**Project Start Date:** 09/21/2001

**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**FS Award:** \$300,000

**Leveraged Funds:** \$121,000

**Total Project Funding:** \$421,000

**Description:**

The projects to be completed with this funding - portable wood bridge fabrication, dry forest mechanized fuels treatment trials, forest certification assistance, and small wood manufacturing assistance - will integrate natural resource management emerging roundwood product markets, and local business enterprise in northeast Oregon. Economic benefits include improved opportunities to capture value from small diameter timber, improved security of wood products manufacturing jobs, and increased local workloads for forest contractors. Social benefits include maintenance and expansion of high wage jobs in a county with persistently high unemployment, increased value to private forest ownerships, and decreased pressure on families, schools, and local institutions.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-99-001

**Grant Name:** Forest and Economic Health

**Applicant:** Wallowa Resources

**Contact:** Diane Snyder, 541-426-8053

**Project Start Date:** 06/15/1999

**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001

**FS Award:** \$36,850

**Leveraged Funds:** \$9,888

**Total Project Funding:** \$46,738

**Description:**

Funding for this project is to help establish a framework for exploring and engaging in restoration of local forest health and revitalization of the local natural resource based economy through local and regional partnerships. This project works towards diversifying and meeting community needs with small scale, local solutions. Opportunities exist to do forest restoration and small diameter wood processing by locally based businesses. The initiative will approach these challenges through local and regional partnerships.

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<b>Grants Awarded:</b>	21
<b>Total FS Award:</b>	\$860,791
<b>Total Leveraged Funds:</b>	<u>\$467,681</u>
<b>Total Project Funding:</b>	\$1,328,471



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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-01-026  
**Grant Name:** Wildland-Urban Interface Community Assmt  
**Applicant:** Wasco County  
**Contact:** John Mabrey, 541-296-2207

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003  
**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,510  
**Total Project Funding:** \$31,510

**Description:**

Funding for this project will develop a coordinated assessment, awareness, and education program to inform landowners, local government officials, and others about wildland-urban interface problems in portions of Wasco County. The data created will improve (1) emergency response times by local agencies; (2) planning efforts by the County Planning

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**Federal Identifier:** ONFP-02-009  
**Grant Name:** Fire Prevention and Community Education  
**Applicant:** Pine Hollow Fire Dept Corp  
**Contact:** Jim Turner, 541-544-2434

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2005  
**FS Award:** \$10,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$3,875  
**Total Project Funding:** \$13,875

**Description:**

Funding for this project will educate fire department volunteers on fuels reduction and fire prevention, educate the community on fuels reduction and fire prevention utilizing special workshops by the State Fire Marshal's Office and booths at organized community functions, and identify problem areas needing fuels reduction utilizing assistance from the State Fire Marshal's Office and other county-wide resources.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORCG-00-002  
**Grant Name:** The Dalles Riverfront Trail  
**Applicant:** Northern Wasco County Parks & Recreation Distr  
**Contact:** Karl Cozad, 541-296-9533

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2000  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2005  
**FS Award:** \$1,145,620  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$265,283  
**Total Project Funding:** \$1,410,903

**Description:**

Funding to complete final engineering design and construction of the Dalles Riverfront Trail. Supports project from County/The Dalles/ Gorge NSA plan. Also, supports outdoor recreation-river activities, natural resource based tourism.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORCG-99-001  
**Grant Name:** Discovery Center L&C  
**Applicant:** Crate's Point  
**Contact:** Ken Karsmizki, 541-296-8600

**Project Start Date:** 09/30/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003  
**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$78,275  
**Total Project Funding:** \$128,275

**Description:**

This grant will provide the Gorge Discovery Center and Wasco county Museum with funds for the design and fabrication of exhibits and interpretive materials for the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Observance. Enhancements and expansion of Lewis and Clark information and exhibits will attract visitors and benefit the local community of the Dalles as well as the entire region within the Columbia Gorge.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-01-009  
**Grant Name:** "Waterfront Park Improvements"

**Project Start Date:** 08/30/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2006

**Applicant:** City of Mosier  
**Contact:** Bill Ward, 541-478-3505

**FS Award:** \$488,900  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$122,225  
**Total Project Funding:** \$611,125

**Description:**

Funding will be used to implement Phase I of the Mosier Waterfront Park, providing low impact recreational opportunities along the Columbia River within the Mosier urban area. Improvements include riparian restoration; parking access; screening and landscaping; portable restrooms; accessible pedestrian trails; fencing and gates where necessary; native plantings; information kiosks; fishing piers; and boardwalks. We hope this project provides the community of Mosier with recreational amenities that bring visitors, recreationists, windsurfers, and others into Mosier to utilize the new park, thus improving economic opportunities for the City.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-003  
**Grant Name:** Strategic Action Plan

**Project Start Date:** 04/01/1994  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1995

**Applicant:** Wasco County  
**Contact:** Kimberly Jacobsen, 503-298-5169

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$17,280  
**Total Project Funding:** \$42,280

**Description:**

Create a strategic action plan for Wasco County. Organize teams to implement the strategic plan and initiate action on at least one strategy. Development of a community action plan would help build capacity to diversify the local timber

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-016  
**Grant Name:** Visitor Center Improvement

**Project Start Date:** 05/07/1994  
**Project End Date:** 08/30/1995

**Applicant:** City of Maupin  
**Contact:** Sherry Holiday, 503-395-2698

**FS Award:** \$13,950  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$3,855  
**Total Project Funding:** \$17,805

**Description:**

Funds would pay for improvements to the new visitors center. These would include the paving of the parking lot and associated site preparation and landscaping. Completion of the visitor's center would help diversify the local economy by capturing more tourism dollars for the local businesses.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-00-044  
**Grant Name:** Columbia Gorge Comm. College Facilities Assessment

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/2000  
**Project End Date:** 11/30/2002

**Applicant:** Columbia Gorge Community College  
**Contact:** Wm. E. Bell, 541-296-6182

**FS Award:** \$25,938  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$17,292  
**Total Project Funding:** \$43,229

**Description:**

Funding to complete facilities assessment for adding health care program to college operation in support of local businesses. This project supports health care business retention and expansion goals. Tied to Wasco County Strategic Plan economic diversification goals.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-95-042  
**Grant Name:** City Park Improvements

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/1995  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/1998

**Applicant:** City of Maupin  
**Contact:** Sherry Holliday, 503-395-2698

**FS Award:** \$250,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$72,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$322,500

**Description:**

Funding is for completion of improvements to Maupin City Parks. The project would help diversify a natural resource dependent economy through a tourism strategy identified from a community based strategic plan.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-008  
**Grant Name:** Kitchen Collaborative

**Project Start Date:** 04/01/1996  
**Project End Date:** 03/31/1997

**Applicant:** Columbia Gorge Community College  
**Contact:** Dr. William E. Bell, 541-298-3118

**FS Award:** \$32,205  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$0  
**Total Project Funding:** \$32,205

**Description:**

Funding is to support technical assistance for the development of a kitchen collaborative facility. The project supports natural resource diversification for agricultural and special forest and range products.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-031  
**Grant Name:** Crates Pt. Picnic Area Develop

**Project Start Date:** 06/10/1996  
**Project End Date:** 05/31/1997

**Applicant:** Wasco County  
**Contact:** John Mabrey, 541-296-2207

**FS Award:** \$160,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$242,564  
**Total Project Funding:** \$402,564

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of a picnic area and landscaping at Crates Point as a part of Wasco County's project at the Gorge Discovery Center. Grant funds would help implement a tourism diversification strategy supported by the Columbia

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-96-055  
**Grant Name:** Col Riv Marine Facility Study

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1996  
**Project End Date:** 08/15/1998

**Applicant:** Port of The Dalles  
**Contact:** John E. Geiger, 541-298-4148

**FS Award:** \$24,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$36,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$60,000

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is to complete the Columbia River Marine Facility Study for the Port of The Dalles including a conceptual marine facilities plan and a marina redevelopment master plan. This grant will support the implementation of a project from the Wasco County Strategic Plan and the Oregon Economic Development Plan. It will also support economic diversification of a natural resource dependent county by developing alternate uses for the Port.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-017  
**Grant Name:** Kah-Nee-Ta Interpretive Center

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 05/30/1999

**Applicant:** Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reserv  
**Contact:** Raymond F. Calica, Sr., 541-553-3232

**FS Award:** \$31,900  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$17,400  
**Total Project Funding:** \$49,300

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of preliminary engineering and design of Kah-Nee-Ta Village Interpretive Center/Restaurant complex and an interpretive trail from the village to the resort. Also included is the final design for the Interpretive Center Display. This grant implements a project from the Tribe's tourism plan and overall economic development plan. This grant

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-019  
**Grant Name:** White River Health/Living Need

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 06/01/1998

**Applicant:** Wasco County Court  
**Contact:** John Mabrey, 541-296-2207

**FS Award:** \$16,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$4,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$20,000

**Description:**

This grant of \$16,000 will produce a needs assessment to determine the type and amount of facility desired and or development plan to guide the facility's non-profit board in designing, funding, and operating the facility. South Wasco County is in dire need of medical and senior retirement services. This grant will fund the assessment and planning necessary to define the type of facility needed. The closest medical and/or retirement facilities for residents are 50 miles away.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-021  
**Grant Name:** Commercial Kitchen Equipment

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1998

**Applicant:** Columbia Gorge Community College  
**Contact:** Dr. William E. Bell, 541-298-3118

**FS Award:** \$55,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$125,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$180,000

**Description:**

Funding is for the purchase of commercial kitchen equipment and to improve the kitchen facilities at the Columbia River Gorge Community College. This project supports the diversification of the region's natural resource based economy as

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-043  
**Grant Name:** Dalles RiverFront Trail Design  
**Applicant:** Wasco County  
**Contact:** John Mabrey, 541-296-2207

**Project Start Date:** 09/01/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002  
**FS Award:** \$93,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$24,334  
**Total Project Funding:** \$117,334

**Description:**

This grant of \$80,000 will complete the design and engineering for The Dalles Riverfront Trail. Currently 3.5 miles of the 10-mile long trail has been constructed. Funds will allow for the remaining 6.5 miles to be designed and construction drawings to be completed in anticipation of future funding for construction. Riverfront Trail will then connect the Dalles Dam to the Columbia Gorge Discovery Center and the community with the riverfront pathway. Completion of the remaining 6.5 miles of The Dalles Riverfront Trail will reconnect the community with the Columbia River affecting residents and the many visitors to the area. The project will make The Dalles " a river city" again.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-97-058  
**Grant Name:** South Wasco Website Services  
**Applicant:** City of Maupin  
**Contact:** Sherry Holliday, 541-395-2698

**Project Start Date:** 09/05/1997  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1998  
**FS Award:** \$13,700  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$21,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$35,200

**Description:**

Funding from this grant will purchase computer equipment and supplies for the schools Information Technology Management class. The class will develop and establish a website for school and community information. Students will learn how to setup and manage a web server business and pilot an Internet Service Provider role to the community. This project will establish and maintain a successful community/school partnership where students receive valuable training and experience while providing high tech services to the community at large. Indirect results may be the creation of high tech jobs in the community, retention of younger workforce population stratum, and recruitment of high tech business in

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-025  
**Grant Name:** Chenoweth Industrial Park Eng.  
**Applicant:** Port of The Dalles  
**Contact:** Scott Hege, 541-298-4148

**Project Start Date:** 06/30/1998  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2000  
**FS Award:** \$117,955  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$29,489  
**Total Project Funding:** \$147,444

**Description:**

Funding from this grant will assist the Port of the Dalles with obtaining the final engineering portion for their Chenoweth Creek Industrial Park development. The engineering component for the Chenoweth Creek project includes final engineering and construction drawings for the project to go forward to construction. This will allow the 58 acre site to be readied for immediate development, expecting to result in creation of 350 new jobs. As the largest developed industrial land owner in Wasco County, the Port of the Dalles has a responsibility to use the lands they own effectively in order to diversify the county's economic base. This includes meeting the demands of the market and providing ready-to-develop lots. The overall project will provide 58.8 fully developed acres for targeting identified businesses considering relocating in The Dalles.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-98-034  
**Grant Name:** Civic Auditorium Design/Eng  
**Applicant:** Wasco County  
**Contact:** John Mabrey, 541-296-2207

**Project Start Date:** 08/01/1998  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001

**FS Award:** \$79,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$23,199  
**Total Project Funding:** \$102,199

**Description:**

Grant funding will assist Wasco County and The Dalles Civic Auditorium Historic Preservation Committee in completing all design and engineering plans for the final restoration needs for the Civic Auditorium in The Dalles. Funding will provide the architectural, mechanical, electrical, plumbing and structural engineering for heating and cooling, restrooms, elevator, support beams, catering, fire escape and other remodeling. The Civic Auditorium Historic Preservation Committee was formed in 1992 to renovate this historic facility. They have had great community support and have received urban renewal funds to complete the structural improvements and restoration. The importance of the project to the community is to provide a facility which can be used for conventions, regional meetings, and cultural events for an eight county market area.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-001  
**Grant Name:** Downtown Renaissance Feasib  
**Applicant:** City of The Dalles  
**Contact:** Nolan Young, 541-296-5481

**Project Start Date:** 05/20/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001

**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$65,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$115,000

**Description:**

The goal of this project is to restore the historic tie which the City of the Dalles downtown area had to their riverfront while providing access to the Columbia River and the Riverfront Trail. The grant would investigate engineering feasibility and cost estimates of converting current grain conboy tunnel which runs under Interstate 84 to a pedestrian and bike pathway to the riverfront. Grant will also provide engineering and cost estimates to extend the existing tunnel through the future site to the city's wastewater treatment facility, and construction ready engineering documents and cost estimates of trail head in order to connect downtown The Dalles with the riverfront trail and proposed tourist dock. The city of The Dalles continues to develop its tourist based economy through a number of initiatives. This current opportunity, to convert prior grain convoy tunnel to a pedestrian access tunnel in order to connect downtown to the waterfront, is yet another example of the city's interest in expanding tourism as a regional economy. This new access will also provide a main connection to the downtown business community with the soon to be completed Riverfront Trail. These connections will, over time, make The Dalles an overnight destination. In addition, this project will be the precursor for completion of a cruise dock within the same vicinity making this a complete recreational enhancement. This project also brings several community organizations together to partnership in the overall completion and ongoing management of these facilities.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-016  
**Grant Name:** Discovery Ctr Water System Imp  
**Applicant:** Wasco County  
**Contact:** John Mabrey, 541-296-2207

**Project Start Date:** 07/15/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2001

**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$30,691  
**Total Project Funding:** \$80,691

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of engineering and design plans for correcting water system, water quality problems at the Gorge Discovery Center and to fund construction of improvements. This project completes resolution of water quality

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-99-022  
**Grant Name:** Waterfront Park Design/Eng

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1999  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2002

**Applicant:** City of Mosier  
**Contact:** Matthew Koerner, 541-478-3883

**FS Award:** \$66,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$40,947  
**Total Project Funding:** \$106,947

**Description:**

Funding from this grant is for the completion of engineering and design for the Mosier downtown park and waterfront area. This project implements a high priority project from the Mosier 20/20 plan and Wasco County Strategic Plan. It supports natural resource based economic diversification by designing visitor services along the Columbia River.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-01-001  
**Grant Name:** Juniper Flat Station #3 Engineering and Design

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** Juniper Flat Rural Fire Protection District  
**Contact:** Thomas Morelli, 541-328-6388

**FS Award:** \$10,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$3,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$13,000

**Description:**

Engineer and design a new fire station in the community of Pine Grove, Oregon, for structure and interface engines. Final design will be used to obtain Nation Fire Plan construction funds next year. The increase in fire protection needs in the area around Pine Grove has made it necessary to build a new fire station to provide the necessary equipment and a place to house them.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORRD-02-001  
**Grant Name:** Facilities Master Plan

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** Columbia Gorge Community College  
**Contact:** Frank Toda, 541-296-6182

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$37,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$62,000

**Description:**

Grant funds will assist the Columbia Gorge Community College in completing a facilities master plan for its 60-acre campus. A recent space utilization study revealed that the college needs an additional 27000 square feet of classroom and lab space to meet the expected enrollment and program requirements, which will be laid out in an overall development assessment of the college campus in the master planning process.

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**County Summary:**

<b>Grants Awarded:</b>	24
<b>Total FS Award:</b>	\$2,858,168
<b>Total Leveraged Funds:</b>	<u>\$1,287,219</u>
<b>Total Project Funding:</b>	\$4,145,386



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**County: Wheeler**

**Federal Identifier:** OREC-03-005  
**Grant Name:** Paleo Project Program Development

**Project Start Date:** 06/01/2003  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2004

**Applicant:** Wheeler County  
**Contact:** Jeanne Burch, 541-763-3460

**FS Award:** \$40,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$21,500  
**Total Project Funding:** \$61,500

**Description:**

Project will hire a consultant to develop and market programs providing edu-tourism opportunities in Wheeler County and neighboring counties. Project will offer and market statewide at least 12 Science courses to be held during the summer of 2003 in conjunction with natural resource partners, and will establish a database of area businesses offering support services such as lodging, catering, vehicle shuttles and other logisitics of serving educational groups. Project is designed to draw visitors through small gateway communities that will benefit from increased tourism. Project is based on utilizing the predominant natural resources - paleotological resources - to promote natural resource related tourism for the economic benefit of rural north-central Oregon.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-94-053  
**Grant Name:** Sidewalk Renovation Project

**Project Start Date:** 09/15/1994  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/1996

**Applicant:** City of Fossil  
**Contact:** Jeanne Burch, 503-763-2698

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$9,240  
**Total Project Funding:** \$29,240

**Description:**

Funding is for the completion of the sidewalk renovation project for the downtown area. Renovation of the sidewalks would provide safety, accessibility, and improve the visual impacts of the downtown area.

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-95-008  
**Grant Name:** County Wide Strategic Plan

**Project Start Date:** 07/20/1995  
**Project End Date:** 01/31/1998

**Applicant:** Wheeler County  
**Contact:** Jeanne Burch, 503-763-2911

**FS Award:** \$25,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$6,813  
**Total Project Funding:** \$31,813

**Description:**

Funding is to help complete the Wheeler County Strategic Plan and initial implementation activities. The project supports

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**Federal Identifier:** OREC-97-013  
**Grant Name:** Emergency Svcs. Center Const.

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/1997  
**Project End Date:** 06/30/2000

**Applicant:** City of Fossil  
**Contact:** John B. Kautenberg, 541-763-2698

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$74,800  
**Total Project Funding:** \$94,800

**Description:**

Funding is for the construction of an Emergency Services building in Fossil This project supports 1) implementing a project from the City of Fossil and Wheeler County Strategic Plans, 2)capacity building for emergency services infrastructure in the county, 3)supports USDA agency partnerships between Rural Development and the Forest Service.

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**County: Wheeler**

**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-005  
**Grant Name:** Paleo Project Development Plan

**Project Start Date:** 07/01/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** Wheeler County  
**Contact:** Jeanne Burch, 541-763-3460

**FS Award:** \$50,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$35,000  
**Total Project Funding:** \$85,000

**Description:**

Technical assistance to create a Develop Plan for the Paleo Project, including the following elements: Connecting partners, conducting community presentations, regionalizing associations, developing a web page, identifying niche marketing to travelers for edu-tourism, completing a feasibility study for the proposed Paleo Center , and conducting economic and community development analysis, The heart of this project is the proposed multi-partner education-science-cultural facility at Fossil that will jumpstart regional revitalization through strategies that focus on connecting partners, stimulating downtown development, regionalizing the visitor industry businesses and niche-marketing. These efforts will serve several communities and counties and will be focused on integrating the many paleontologic and geologic features of north central Oregon as a catalyst for economic development across the region.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-01-034  
**Grant Name:** City of Spray

**Project Start Date:** 08/15/2001  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** City of Spray  
**Contact:** Andrew Leckie, 541-468-2069

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$5,010  
**Total Project Funding:** \$25,010

**Description:**

Technical Assistance to prepare a Wastewater Pre-design report and an Environmental Report. This report is required by the DEQ prior to financing and constructing of a community-wide sewage collection and treatment system. The project will prepare the City of Spray to proceed with construction of a centralized wastewater collection and treatment system. The current system is failing and pose health hazards and impact the water quality of the John Day River.

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**Federal Identifier:** ORNW-02-028  
**Grant Name:** Environmental Report for the Industrial Park and

**Project Start Date:** 10/01/2002  
**Project End Date:** 12/31/2003

**Applicant:** City of Fossil  
**Contact:** John Kautenberg, 541-763-2698

**FS Award:** \$20,000  
**Leveraged Funds:** \$4,990  
**Total Project Funding:** \$24,990

**Description:**

THIS PROJECT WILL ALLOW THE CITY TO CONTRACT TO PREPARE AN ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT FOR THE CITY'S INDUSTRIAL PARK AND WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS. THE REPORT WILL MEET FUNDING REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICABLE AGENCIES, ALLOWING THE CITY TO PROCEED WITH CONSTRUCTION OF THE INDUSTRIAL PARK AND IMPROVEMENTS TO ITS AGING WATER SYSTEM. AID COMMUNITY'S ECONOMIC GROWTH. PREVENT GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION IN THE FUTURE. ENHANCE WILDLAND URBAN INTERFACE PROTECTION CAPABILITIES.

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**County Summary:**

<b>Grants Awarded:</b>	7
<b>Total FS Award:</b>	\$195,000
<b>Total Leveraged Funds:</b>	<u>\$157,353</u>
<b>Total Project Funding:</b>	\$352,353



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<b>Grants Awarded:</b>	721
<b>Total FS Award:</b>	\$55,985,479
<b>Total Leveraged Funds:</b>	<u>\$75,073,530</u>
<b>Total Project Funding:</b>	\$131,059,008