



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



County: Curry

Federal Identifier: OREC-03-015

Grant Name: Rural Small Business Assistance

Applicant: Southwestern Oregon Community College

Contact: Stephen Kridelbaugh, 541-888-7400

Project Start Date: 07/01/2003

Project End Date: 12/31/2005

FS Award: \$17,000

Leveraged Funds: \$11,000

Total Project Funding: \$28,000

Description:

Funding for this project will provide a minimum of 280 hours of individual business advising to at least 60 clients through 80 or more contacts. In addition, over 35 hours of business training will be provided to at least 80 business attendees through the offering of a minimum of 10 training events. The desired outcomes of this project are the retention of existing and creation of new jobs, the reduction of business failures through a more business-savvy and educated group of business owners, and resources for business owners and those interested in starting new businesses.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-03-021

Grant Name: Reroofing of Port Cannery Building

Applicant: Port of Port Orford

Contact: George Welch, 541-332-7121

Project Start Date: 07/01/2003

Project End Date: 12/31/2004

FS Award: \$25,000

Leveraged Funds: \$6,250

Total Project Funding: \$31,250

Description:

Funding for this project will be used to remove and replace the roof on the Cannery building at the Port of Port Orford. The new roof on the Cannery Building enhances its utility as a business location thereby retaining approximately 30 jobs in the

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Federal Identifier: OREC-94-002

Grant Name: Brookings Harbor Com Dev Plan

Applicant: City of Brookings

Contact: Bob Hagbom, 503-469-0150

Project Start Date: 04/15/1994

Project End Date: 06/30/1996

FS Award: \$19,500

Leveraged Funds: \$5,000

Total Project Funding: \$24,500

Description:

Facilitate a community action team for the Brookings-Harbor area. Project includes a SWOT analysis; facilitation of a Strategic Action Plan; and start-up project to begin implementation of the plan.

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Federal Identifier: OREC-94-012

Grant Name: Renovate Outpatient Facility

Applicant: City of Gold Beach

Contact: Gordon Ensley, 503-247-6621

Project Start Date: 06/01/1994

Project End Date: 12/31/1995

FS Award: \$70,000

Leveraged Funds: \$46,325

Total Project Funding: \$116,325

Description:

Funding for construction of Curry County Health District outpatient facility at Gold Beach Hospital. Project includes renovation of clinic building and parking area improvements. This would provide better outpatient services, and help create additional jobs in the community.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-00-046
Grant Name: Economic Development Strategic Plan

Project Start Date: 09/15/2000
Project End Date: 12/31/2002

Applicant: Curry County
Contact: Marlyn Schafer, 541-247-9565

FS Award: \$28,800
Leveraged Funds: \$8,530
Total Project Funding: \$37,330

Description:

Funding for this project will form a project planning team that has broad community representation both from public and private sectors, and from the county's three population centers to create an economic development strategic plan that with broad community support. This strategic plan will set forth the road map for the diversification of the county's economic base. This project will fund a completed Economic Development Strategic Plan that local citizens can support because they have participated in its formation. The fostering and normalization of an atmosphere within the county that encourages community participation, cooperation, and networking.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-01-008
Grant Name: Brookings Town Center Master Plan

Project Start Date: 07/15/2001
Project End Date: 12/30/2002

Applicant: City of Brookings
Contact: Leroy Blodgett, 541-469-2163

FS Award: \$30,000
Leveraged Funds: \$45,000
Total Project Funding: \$75,000

Description:

This grant will hire a consultant to develop a Downtown Master Plan for revitalization of the downtown core area. The plan will include: physical layout of the Town Center, creation of criteria for the Town Center Zoning District, and an update of the existing Urban Renewal Plan. Implementation of this project will support additional businesses and create more jobs. Without this project, small retail businesses will continue to close.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-01-011
Grant Name: Sewer System I & I Correction Plan

Project Start Date: 08/01/2001
Project End Date: 12/31/2003

Applicant: City of Port Orford
Contact: Gary Doran, 541-332-3691

FS Award: \$22,700
Leveraged Funds: \$16,984
Total Project Funding: \$39,684

Description:

The I & I Evaluation consists of four components: Smoke Testing, Flow Mapping, Video Inspection and a Capital Improvement Plan. The Inflow and Infiltration that comes into the sewer system causes the plant to run at more than the system's capacity in the winter months. This puts the system in a dangerous position of an overflow that would go directly into Garrison Lake. Garrison Lake is the city's back-up drinking water source and a wetland area for wildlife. In addition to the water quality issues, DEQ will allow the city to connect 5 new hook ups to the sewer once the I & I study is complete. This would mean 5 new housing starts, a significant number in a town of 1100 people. The new hook ups would take place immediately since there is a list of folks waiting to hook up. After the I & I plan is implemented the DEQ will allow another 10 new hook ups.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-02-005
Grant Name: Emergency Communication System Eng & Design
Applicant: Curry County
Contact: Lucie LaBonte', 5412473296

Project Start Date: 07/01/2002
Project End Date: 12/31/2004
FS Award: \$50,000
Leveraged Funds: \$46,319
Total Project Funding: \$96,319

Description:

The Engineering and Design of the Emergency Communications project will prepare Curry County to build a communication system that will serve the needs of residents and visitors for many years. The benefit will be reliable public safety communications, service response, and coordination.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-02-006
Grant Name: Downtown and Port Plaza Development Plan
Applicant: Port of Gold Beach
Contact: Mike Nielson, 541-247-6269

Project Start Date: 10/01/2002
Project End Date: 12/31/2005
FS Award: \$35,000
Leveraged Funds: \$35,000
Total Project Funding: \$70,000

Description:

Architectural conceptualization of Port of Gold Beach waterfront development and rendering plans for City of Gold Beach Downtown revitalization. Provide Gold Beach with concepts and rendering for implementation to establish Gold Beach as a vibrant, unique, economically diverse all-season Oregon Coast destination.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-95-019
Grant Name: Nature Based Tourism Planning
Applicant: Curry County
Contact: Terry Hanscam, 503-247-7011

Project Start Date: 06/01/1995
Project End Date: 06/30/1997
FS Award: \$225,000
Leveraged Funds: \$115,000
Total Project Funding: \$340,000

Description:

Funding supports sustainable nature based tourism planning and business development activities. Project supports the development of a natural resource based industry in a timber impacted county with chronic unemployment.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-95-024
Grant Name: Strategic Plan
Applicant: City of Port Orford
Contact: Dotti Myers, 503-332-3681

Project Start Date: 06/01/1995
Project End Date: 12/31/1996
FS Award: \$19,500
Leveraged Funds: \$5,000
Total Project Funding: \$24,500

Description:

Funding is to support completion of a community based strategic plan including \$15,000 for planning efforts and \$5,000 for initial implementation projects identified in the plan. Project would support efforts to diversify the local economy of a

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-96-021
Grant Name: Commercial Building/Board Walk

Project Start Date: 04/15/1996
Project End Date: 12/31/1998

Applicant: Port of Brookings
Contact: Russ Crabtree, 541-469-2218

FS Award: \$249,000
Leveraged Funds: \$601,000
Total Project Funding: \$850,000

Description:

Funding is for completion of a commercial/retail building and 630 Ft of boardwalk. The project implements Curry County's overall economic development plan and supports the diversification of a natural resource dependent economy.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-96-022
Grant Name: Cannery Building Conversion

Project Start Date: 04/15/1996
Project End Date: 06/30/1998

Applicant: Port of Gold Beach
Contact: Ron Armstrong, 541-247-6269

FS Award: \$121,000
Leveraged Funds: \$233,050
Total Project Funding: \$354,050

Description:

Funding is for remodeling of an existing Port of Gold Beach building into a commercial and retail facility. The project supports implementation of the Curry County overall economic development plan and helps diversification of a natural resource based economy. The building will also serve as an incubator type facility with potential increase of 30 full time jobs.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-96-037
Grant Name: Kids Castle Development Proj.

Project Start Date: 07/01/1996
Project End Date: 07/01/1997

Applicant: City of Gold Beach
Contact: Bill Curtis, 541-247-7029

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

Description:

Funding is for purchase of materials and supplies for completion of Kids Castle Community Development Project in Gold Beach City Park. The project supports: 1. a high priority community development project from a community action plan, 2. the City's and County's tourism strategy, and 3. youth and social capital investments.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-96-040
Grant Name: Recreation Master Plan/A&E

Project Start Date: 07/01/1996
Project End Date: 06/30/1998

Applicant: City of Port Orford
Contact: Dotti Myers, 541-332-3681

FS Award: \$24,500
Leveraged Funds: \$6,250
Total Project Funding: \$30,750

Description:

Funding is for the completion of the recreation master plan for Port Orford and preliminary engineering study for the City's community center building. The grant implements a high priority project from Port Orford's community action plan and supports diversification strategies of Curry County.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-97-042
Grant Name: Downtown Beautification/Signs

Project Start Date: 08/15/1997
Project End Date: 12/31/2000

Applicant: City of Port Orford
Contact: Gary Doran, 541-332-3830

FS Award: \$30,000
Leveraged Funds: \$8,000
Total Project Funding: \$38,000

Description:

This project will fulfill the community's vision by completing recommendations of the Downtown Beautification Master Plan to beautify areas along the highway through town. Entrance signs will be developed to welcome visitors to the community. The sign will further create community pride and satisfaction of a tangible project completed. The Master Plan for

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-97-050
Grant Name: NW Visitors Pavilion Feasibili

Project Start Date: 08/15/1997
Project End Date: 08/15/1998

Applicant: CCD Business Development Corporation
Contact: Wayne Luzier, 800-452-6010

FS Award: \$12,891
Leveraged Funds: \$3,500
Total Project Funding: \$16,391

Description:

A study will be done to determine the economic feasibility of the proposed Northwest Visitors Pavilion in Harbor, OR. An attorney will be hired to complete paperwork to create a non-profit corporation to administer and manage the Pavilion. The NW Visitors Pavilion supports tourism & forestry strategies of regional strategies strategic plan. It is estimated that the

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-97-073
Grant Name: Canopy Project

Project Start Date: 08/25/1997
Project End Date: 12/31/2000

Applicant: Curry County
Contact: Bill Roberts, 541-247-7011

FS Award: \$220,514
Leveraged Funds: \$125,000
Total Project Funding: \$345,514

Description:

This project will fund multiple architectural/engineering designs for the four components of the canopy project. These include the interpretive center, the elevated walkway, the multilevel youth trail, the structure for universal access, and the center for interpretation and research. When the architecture, engineering, and environmental analysis is complete for this project, the county will be able to serach for private donations to construct the complete canopy project. The Canopy will be the highlight of the Nature Based Sustainable Tourism Strategy for Curry County, diversifying the economy from timber and fisheries.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-97-074
Grant Name: Channel Relocation

Project Start Date: 06/01/1997
Project End Date: 12/30/1998

Applicant: Port of Gold Beach
Contact: Ron Armstrong, 541-247-6269

FS Award: \$192,825
Leveraged Funds: \$51,257
Total Project Funding: \$244,082

Description:

Funding from this grant is for the completion of the planning and permit process for the Port of Gold Beach boat harbor channel relocation project and to partially fund the construction components including the existing breakwater excavation, materials stockpiling, and the breakwater closure activities. This project will help to provide sustainable, healthy

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-98-028
Grant Name: Dock Replacement

Project Start Date: 08/01/1998
Project End Date: 12/31/2001

Applicant: Port of Port Orford
Contact: Gayle Paige, 541-332-7121

FS Award: \$250,000
Leveraged Funds: \$86,000
Total Project Funding: \$336,000

Description:

Funding from this grant will be used to complete the dock replacement bid documents, support construction management professional services, and purchase equipment hoists for the dock. This project supports the County's overall economic development plan as well as retains local jobs by maintaining functioning port dock facility in a natural resource dependent

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-98-029
Grant Name: Boardwalk Feasibility Study

Project Start Date: 08/01/1998
Project End Date: 08/01/2000

Applicant: City of Gold Beach
Contact: Marlyn Schafer, 541-247-7029

FS Award: \$8,000
Leveraged Funds: \$2,500
Total Project Funding: \$10,500

Description:

This grant will enable the city to hire a consulting firm to assist in completing a feasibility study of a boardwalk adjacent to the Rogue River South Jetty. The study will address environmental concerns, identify landowners and property acquisition options, identify land use issues, study associated facility needs including parking and restroom facilities, and develop a cost benefit analysis for the boardwalk project. The community will benefit in economic development and quality of life. This study will provide the community with the necessary information to lay the ground work for this project.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-98-045
Grant Name: South Beach Park Improvements

Project Start Date: 09/01/1998
Project End Date: 12/31/2001

Applicant: City of Gold Beach
Contact: Marlyn Schafer, 541-247-7029

FS Award: \$75,000
Leveraged Funds: \$75,000
Total Project Funding: \$150,000

Description:

Funding is to complete improvements to South Beach Park including utilities, view deck, parking area, picnic area facilities, and landscaping. The completed improvements to existing park will support the area's natural resource tourism

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-98-054
Grant Name: Fuel Dock Materials

Project Start Date: 09/15/1998
Project End Date: 12/01/2000

Applicant: Port of Gold Beach
Contact: Ron Armstrong, 541-247-6269

FS Award: \$48,000
Leveraged Funds: \$13,000
Total Project Funding: \$61,000

Description:

Funding from this grant will be used to purchase materials and supplies for a new fuel dock at the Port of Gold Beach, including steel pilings, lights, concrete floats, and materials for the office building. This project support the Port's business plan; that indirectly supports the county's tourism related diversification strategy.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-99-025
Grant Name: Cannery Renovation Phase III

Project Start Date: 09/15/1999
Project End Date: 12/31/2003

Applicant: Port of Gold Beach
Contact: George Tice, 541-247-6269

FS Award: \$170,000
Leveraged Funds: \$770,000
Total Project Funding: \$940,000

Description:

The second floor of the Cannery Building will be made ready for tenants to make final improvement including floor and wall finish. The Port will install an elevator, sound proof floors, install insulation, sheetrock, basic electric wiring, restrooms, lighting in common areas, plumbing, additional windows, walls and an outside fire escape. The Cannery Building fills the demand in the Gold Beach area for retail and manufacturing space. The retail/manufacturing space that will be created by this project has the possibility of housing 30+ jobs in the community.

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Federal Identifier: ORNW-99-037
Grant Name: West Side Marina Renovation

Project Start Date: 08/20/1999
Project End Date: 11/30/2000

Applicant: Port of Brookings
Contact: Kenneth Byrtus, 541-469-2218

FS Award: \$150,000
Leveraged Funds: \$121,639
Total Project Funding: \$271,639

Description:

Funding for this project is for the completion of renovation of a sports and commercial boat basin at the Port of Brookings. Funding will be used to purchase materials, fabricate gangways, install new components to existing docks and ramps in the west side of Boat Basin II, and to remove existing underground fuel tanks. This project supports tourism from the community strategic plan by upgrading boat basin and supports diversification of timber and fishing economy of area by adding large boat capacity and improved facilities.

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County Summary:

Grants Awarded:	25
Total FS Award:	\$2,134,230
Total Leveraged Funds:	<u>\$2,451,604</u>
Total Project Funding:	\$4,585,834