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Pacific Northwest Region, Cooperative Programs
1994-2004**



County: Wallowa

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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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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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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County Summary:

Grants Awarded:	21
Total FS Award:	\$860,791
Total Leveraged Funds:	<u>\$467,681</u>
Total Project Funding:	\$1,328,471