



Clear Hills County

Effective Date: October 22, 2024

Policy Number: **7004**

Title: **BEYOND BORDERS FUNDING PROGRAM**

1. Policy Statement

- 1.1. Clear Hills County may provide funding support to community organizations beyond the County borders and establish a system for evaluating applications and requests.

2. General

- 2.1. Council may annually during budget deliberations, establish a budget for funding support to community organizations beyond the County borders.
- 2.2. Council may maintain a reserve to assist community organizations beyond the County borders.
- 2.3. The Beyond Borders Funding Program assists community organizations with funding capital projects. Operating and maintenance expenses are ineligible.

3. Applications

- 3.1. Applications must include the following information or documentation:
 - **A clear statement of the purpose of the proposed project**
 - **Current estimates of total costs**
 - **Project budget indicating all anticipated sources of revenue**
 - **Financial statement**
 - **Certificate of Incorporation under the Societies Act**
- 3.2. All applicants will be given the opportunity to present their proposal to Council in person.
- 3.3. The following criteria will be used to determine eligibility of funding:
 - **Facility or program usage by County residents**

- **Contribution to County Residents Quality of Life**
- **Contribution to Regional Residents Quality of Life**
- **Fund Raising Efforts**
- **Other Potential Funding Sources**
- **Capital projects: Enhancement of existing facilities versus new facility construction**
- **Urgency**
- **Previous Beyond Border funds received.**

4. End of Policy

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