

# Wyoming Intertie Community Investment Program - Summer 2025

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## *Wyoming Community Foundation*

### *Overview*

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The Wyoming Intertie Community Investment Program (WICIP) was established at the Wyoming Community Foundation by Wyoming Intertie LLC. WICIP supports communities in Albany, Carbon and Platte Counties, where the Wyoming Intertie Project - a transmission line connecting U.S. eastern and western electric grids in Wyoming - will be located. Wyoming Intertie is dedicated to partnering with these communities; as a result, WICIP funds support innovative projects that enhance quality of life while strengthening communities in Wyoming.

**Grant Cycles:**

WICIP has two application cycles each year. In 2025, applications will be due on June 17th and December 15th.

**Requirements:**

Applicants must be a 501(c)(3) nonprofit or government entity, such as a local government, tribal government, or school district. Non-501(c)(3) nonprofits may be eligible. Individuals and for-profits are ineligible; however, individuals and for-profits may apply through a fiscal sponsor that is eligible.

Applicants that have applied for previous grant cycles may apply for subsequent grant cycles for different phases of their project. Applicants do not need to be based in Albany, Carbon, or Platte County, however, grants must be used for projects benefiting communities in these counties. Only one application is allowed per organization per cycle.

**Grant Amounts:****WICIP will now be offering two types of grants:**

- **General operating:** If you are applying for existing and ongoing programs and your request includes costs for staff time, rent, utilities, etc., please select General Operating. WICIP offers up to \$10,000 for general operating grants. Organizations that do not have 501(c)3 status are not eligible for general operating grants.
- **Project costs:** If you are applying for equipment, building renovations, new program start-up costs, or other project related costs, please select Project Costs. WICIP offers up to \$50,000 for project costs. Non 501(c)3s may be eligible for these grants. Please contact Allison Anderson at [allison@wycf.org](mailto:allison@wycf.org) with eligibility questions.

**Eligible Projects:**

- Projects that have a broad impact on the quality of life for a significant number of people in Albany, Carbon or Platte County, Wyoming.
- Projects that propose ways to address community issues and problems.
- Projects that leverage other sources of support.
- Projects that encourage others to get involved in addressing community needs.
- Projects that are creative in their approach to solving problems or capturing opportunities.
- Projects that are responsive to changing and emerging needs.
- Projects that support innovative approaches to economic and community development.
- General operating up to \$10,000

**Ineligible Projects:**

- Religious, partisan, or sectarian programs or projects.
- One-time events that are not part of longer-term economic and community development goals.

**Reporting:**

A project report will be due within one year of receiving funds. Project reports must be received before additional grants are made.

## *Contact Information*

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**Organization's Legal Name\***

Please provide the legal name of the organization applying for funding. *If you are using a fiscal sponsor, this should be the fiscal sponsor.*

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**Organization's Employer Identification Number (EIN)\***

Please provide the EIN for the organization applying for funding.

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**Primary Contact\***

Please provide the name of the primary contact for the grant request.

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### Email Address\*

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### Phone Number\*

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### Mailing Address\*

Please provide the mailing address for the organization applying for funding

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### Fiscal Sponsorship Agreement

If using a fiscal sponsor, please attach a fiscal sponsorship agreement.

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## Staff Summary and Review

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### Staff Comments

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## Grant Request

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### Project Name\*

Name of Project.

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Please select the county or counties in which the proposed program/project is located.\*

#### Choices

Albany County

Carbon County

Platte County

### What kind of grant are you requesting?\*

See instructions above or contact Programs staff at 307-721-8300 if you are unsure.

#### Choices

General Operating (up to \$10,000)

Project Costs (up to \$50,000)

### Request Amount\*

Please do not request an amount over the maximum request listed above.

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## Total Project Cost (if requesting Project Costs)

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## Other Funding Already Secured (if applicable)

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## *Narrative - General Operating*

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### Organization Programs and Impact\*

Briefly provide brief background information and describe your organization's ongoing programs and community impact. How does your organization provide ongoing benefits to residents in Albany, Carbon or Platte County? Please be as specific as possible.

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### Organization Results\*

How is success of the organization defined and measured? Please include qualitative or quantitative metrics when possible.

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### Organization Community Support\*

What funding sources and/or programmatic partnerships does the organization have? There is a space under Budget and Timeline Attachments to upload letters of support.

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## *Narrative - Project Costs*

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### Proposed Project\*

Briefly describe the proposed project/program. How will this project/program provide an ongoing benefit to residents in Albany, Carbon or Platte County? Please be as specific as possible.

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### Project's Results\*

How will success of this project/program be defined and measured? Please include qualitative or quantitative metrics when possible.

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### Project's Community Support\*

What other funding sources and/or partnerships do you have for this project? There is a space under Budget and Timeline Attachments to upload letters of support.

*Please note: While not required, projects with other sources of funding will be prioritized in the decision making process*

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### **Project Budget\***

Please attach a detailed budget for the proposed project/program. Please outline which funds will be used for each budget item along with the purpose of each budget item.

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### **Project Timeline\***

Please attach a detailed timeline for the proposed project/program.

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### **Organization Impact\***

Please provide brief background information about the organization and activities outside of this project.

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## *Budget and Letters of Support*

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### **Organizational Budget\***

Please attach a current budget for the organization applying for funding.

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### **Letters of Support**

Please attach 1-3 letters of support if applicable.

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### **Additional Information from Applicants**

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## *Signature*

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**Title\***

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**Date\***

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