

Grant Recognition Staff Report

DATE: NOVEMBER 1, 2023
TO: DOUGLAS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
THROUGH: DOUGLAS J. DEBORD, COUNTY MANAGER
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SUBJECT: 2023 PHILIP S. MILLER GRANT DISTRIBUTION

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING: NOVEMBER 14, 2023 @ 1:30 p.m.

I. REQUEST

Recognition of organizations receiving \$185,000 in Philip S. Miller (PSM) grant funds.

II. BACKGROUND

In 2022, the BCC directed staff to develop a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to transfer administration of the PSM grant from Douglas County to Douglas County Community Foundation's (DCCF) for a five-year period. The MOU was approved by the BCC at the August 23, 2022, Business Meeting.

PSM trust distributions are to be used exclusively for charitable, scientific, literary or education purposes. The amount available for the 2023 PSM grant distribution is \$210,000. Applicants in the competitive grant category applied for \$10,000, \$5,000 or \$2,000 awards. A portion of available funds was separated from the competitive grant process to be utilized for older adult services.

III. DISCUSSION

The DCCF Board of Directors reviewed 48 grant applications and approved \$185,000 in grant recommendations for the BCC's approval. The Board of County Commissioners approved the DCCF's recommendations for PSM grant funds at a work session on October 31, 2023. The allocation, in the amount of \$185,000, was awarded to 24 organizations through the competitive grant process and three organizations providing older adult services.

IV. RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends that the Board of County Commissioners recognize the organizations receiving \$185,000 in PSM grant funds.

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2023 Philip S. Miller (PSM) Grant Recipients

ORGANIZATION	AWARDED AMOUNT
Safety Net Services or Emergency Assistance	
Backpack Society	\$5,000
Bridge of Hope	\$2,000
Colorado Agricultural Leadership Foundation (CALF)	\$2,000
Crisis Center	\$10,000
Help & Hope Center	\$10,000
Integrated Family Community Services	\$5,000
Manna Care Food Pantry	\$2,000
Manna Resource Center	\$5,000
Parker Task Force	\$5,000
SECOR Cares	\$2,000
Medical Programs	
Doctor's Care	\$10,000
Mental and Behavioral Health	
Douglas County Christian Counseling	\$5,000
Step Seven Ministries	\$2,000
Southeast Counseling Center	\$10,000
Youth Programs	
Lady Trailblazers	\$2,000
Serves Vulnerable Residents	
Best Buddies	\$5,000
Castle Country Assisted Living	\$2,000
Colorado Lions Camp	\$5,000
Ray of Hope Cancer Foundation	\$2,000
Other	
CSU Extension in Douglas County	\$5,000
Douglas County Library Foundation	\$5,000
Folds of Honor	\$5,000
Friends of Douglas County K9	\$2,000
Rocky Mountain Wildlife Alliance	\$2,000
Older Adult Organizations	
Aging Resources of Douglas County	\$25,000
Castle Rock Senior Activity Center	\$25,000
Parker Senior Center	\$25,000
TOTAL GRANT AWARD AMOUNT	\$185,000