

## **LEGACY GRANTS**

### What does a Legacy Grant look like?

- Typically larger (\$750,000 and greater) although they can be smaller
- Used toward a significant community impact project
- Strongly aligns with The Weld Trust mission to promote excellence in health and education in Weld County
- Aligns within one of The Weld Trust's seven Key Funding Initiatives
- Addresses a fundamental cause with substantive solutions showing clear and measurable outcomes that will be demonstrated over a long period of time
- Demonstrates community- or county-wide partnerships focused on scaling innovative or proven solutions to clearly identified problems
- Demonstrates a business or revenue model for sustaining the initiative
- The organization must show an ability and willingness to pursue other funding sources to leverage additional resources.
- The legacy grant may be for capital needs.
  - o In rare cases, a Legacy Grant may be used to support operational needs.
- The grant may be a one-year or multi-year grant.
- Strong consideration will be given to rural communities challenged with accessing resources that are more commonly available in larger communities.

## **Guidelines**

Eligible applicants must be tax-exempt organizations under Internal Revenue Service 501(c)(3) or operate under the fiscal sponsorship of a tax-exempt nonprofit, including schools and public organizations.

PLEASE NOTE: <u>Only</u> nonprofit organizations, schools and government agencies located in Weld County or whose program is exclusively for Weld County residents in the areas of health or education are eligible to apply.

#### **How to Apply**

Please complete the Legacy Grant Idea on our website at: <a href="www.WeldTrust.org/grants">www.WeldTrust.org/grants</a>.

**Please do not submit a full application unless invited to do so.** If the Legacy Grant Idea is accepted, an application form will be made available.



# **Contact Information**

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