

March 28, 2019 – The New Rockford Community Foundation advisory board is now seeking applications for its tenth annual round of grants. The deadline to submit applications is April 10, 2019. To apply, go to ndcf.net/newrockford.

Applicants to the NRCF must be an organization designated as a non-profit, tax-exempt group under IRS code 501(c)(3), have an official relationship with government such as a school, park district, or city, or have a qualified 501(c)(3) fiscal sponsor. Grants will be given to organizations that primarily serve the community of New Rockford, and will generally not support an organization's day-to-day operational expenses. Grant size will be determined by the number of applicants and the impact of the project on the community.

The Foundation awarded eight grants in 2018. Recipient organizations were the American Legion Post, Community Ambulance Service of New Rockford, Eddy-NR Library, Eagles Club, Lutheran Home of the Good Shepherd Daycare, Lake Region Health Unit Eddy County, Central North Dakota Steam Threshers, and the Women's Auxiliary Cemetery Association. Since its inception, the Foundation has awarded 31 grants totaling \$17,661 to local projects.

The New Rockford Community Foundation is a permanent fund created in 2008 through individual and business donations, and grown through fundraisers and donations over the past eight years. Each spring, the Foundation board gives away the interest generated by the fund to local groups and organizations, leaving the fund intact to generate more grant money in perpetuity.

NRCF grant applications are available online at www.ndcf.net/newrockford. For more information about the New Rockford Community Foundation or how to apply for a grant, please contact NRCF advisory chair Josh Guler at (701) 947-2421 or local coordinator Amanda Hegland at (701) 947-2205 or nrabcexec@gmail.com.