



Bluebonnet R C & D, Inc.
2023 Community Improvement Grant Application

Project Applicant: _____ Application Date: _____

Primary Contact Person: _____

Applicant Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

How do you prefer to be contacted? _____

How did you hear about us? _____

The Bluebonnet R C & D is pleased to announce the availability of the 2023 Community Improvement Grants. This year, we have a total of \$1,000 available for at least two grants of up to \$500 each in matching funds.

The purpose of the Community Improvement Grant is to provide matching grants for projects which benefit local communities, non-profit organizations, and schools. These grants must be matched at least 1:1 with local dollars.

Acceptable projects include but are not limited to those that will provide community improvements such as environmental resource conservation education, illegal dumping cleanup, gardening classes for growing food, community gardens, street signage, recreational equipment, improvement or creation of parks or community buildings.

Applications will be evaluated on the following criteria:

- Project will provide positive learning opportunities
- Project will improve knowledge and understanding of our natural resources
- Project will provide benefits to citizens in the community
- Project budget is appropriate
- Project should improve the community or conserve natural resources
- Project has a clear outcome that can be measured
- Project will create or retain jobs within the community
- Project will provide job skills training
- Project will reduce solid waste or prevent pollution
- Project will promote recycling in the community.

Project Description (500 words maximum). Continue on back of page, if necessary:

Itemized Project Budget (Please describe use of community dollars and grant dollars. Source of matching funds?):

Project Completion Date: _____

(All projects must be completed by August 31, 2023 and receipts must be submitted to Bluebonnet at the address below by September 14, 2023).

Total Project Cost: _____

Other partners involved in project and contributions:

Please submit the application by Tuesday, February 28, 2023, to:

A) Bluebonnet RC&D
220 S. Ridgeway Dr.
Cleburne, Texas 76033

B) OR via e-mail to: bluebonnetrcd@live.com

ANY APPLICATIONS SENT TO ANY OTHER LOCATION WILL NOT BE SCORED.

QUESTIONS? PLEASE CALL KAREN SIDDALL AT 469-371-8484.