

Grant Report Narrative
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For Fiscal Year **2025-2026 ending June 30, 2026**, Grants have submitted/in development, fourteen (14) grant proposals totaling **\$2,496,240** of which **\$895,000** has been approved, **\$1,546,240** is pending. The remainder has been cancelled or denied applications.

For Fiscal Year **2024-2025 ending June 30, 2025**, Grants have submitted/in development, sixty (60) grant proposals totaling **\$9,552,754** of which **\$6,638,957** has been approved, **\$402,816** is pending. The remainder has been cancelled or denied applications.

Funding Notices:

- Caterpillar, Programming, \$25,000 (T. Skalberg/J. Bexten) – **Awarded**
- Grow Grand Island, Trades on the Move, \$45,000 (M. Gotschall) – **Denied**
- Heartland United Way, Letter of Intent, Adult Education, (B. Fausett) – **Completed**
- Aksarben, Apprenticeship Partnership form, (C. Grey) – **Completed**
- National Science Foundation, Foreign Financial Disclosure Form (R. Golka) – **Completed**
- ARPA, SF-428 & SF-429 Disclosures, (R. Golka) – **Completed**
- National Science Foundation, Mentor-Connect, (T. Davis) – **Awarded**
- ASPEN, Data-Top 200, (M. Gotschall) – **Completed**
- NACCE Everyday Entrepreneur, Level 2 – Big Idea Competition, \$10,000 (A. Steinhardt-Duysen) – **Approved**

Projects Submitted:

- National Science Foundation, Engines: Iowa State University, \$399,816, (M. Danhauer) – **Pending**
- UNL-USDA Regional Food System Partnership, Letter of Commitment, \$3,000 (K. Fuchser) – **Pending**
- Aksarben, Apprenticeship Partnership, \$1,112,460 (C. Grey) – **Pending**
- WellsFargo, Vern & Esther Taylor Scholarships, \$7,500 (T. Skalberg) – **Pending**
- National Science Foundation, National Center for Manufacturing Subaward, (M. Danhauer/J. Muller) – **Pending**
- Department of Labor, Apprenticeship amendment, (C. Grey/K. Julesgard) – **Out for Review**
- Kearney Community Foundation, Kearney Betterment grant, TBD (TBD) – **Pending**

In Development/Opportunities:

- National Science Foundation, Division of Integrative Organismal Systems Core Programs (IOS), \$400,000, (R. Mendadala) – **Open**
- NDOL, Workforce Inventory Reporting – **December 5, 2025**
- ASPEN, Narrative-Top 200, (M. Gotschall) – **December 9, 2025**
- National Science Foundation, IUSE: Innovation in 2 Year College STEM Ed (IYTC) – **December 10, 2025**
- Hastings Community Foundation, TBD, (C. Waddle) – **December 19, 2025**
- Wolbach Foundation, TBD, (M. Kemnitz) – **December 30, 2025**
- Susan Thompson Buffett, Success Coach 1 pager, (B. Klitz) – **December 30, 2025**
- Heartland United Way, Adult Education, (B. Fausett) – **January 12, 2026**
- Greater Grand Island Foundation, Plumbing, TBD (M Danhauer/S. Hooker) – **TBD**

- National Fitness Campaign, Healthy Schools/Campus Grants, TBD, (B. Klitz) – **December 2025/January 2026**
- Susan Thompson Buffett, Impact Study 1 pager, (C. Waddle) – **Spring 2026**
- Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, Rural Health Transformation Fund, TBD – **Spring 2026**
- Nebraska Department of Labor, Workforce Development Grant Program, TBD – **February 1, 2026**
- Nebraska Department of Education, Perkins reFRESH Worksheets, (C. Walton) – **Spring 2026**
- Nebraska Department of Education, Perkins Letter of Intent, (C. Walton) – **March 1, 2026**
- Nebraska Department of Education, Perkins reVISION, (TBD) – **March 20, 2026**
- Nebraska Department of Education, Perkins V, (C. Walton) – **Spring 2026**
- Nebraska Department of Education, CTE LB814 funds, (C. Walton) – **Spring 2026**

Other:

- Fall Mini Grants Awarded, 4 projects, \$32,840
- Department of Energy, NICE Consortium (NECC) full application, TBD (N. Allen) – **Fall 2025**
- Actively looking for Grants that fit the following:
 - Food Pantries – all campuses