



Monroe County Commission West Virginia

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Local Assistance and Tribal Consistency Fund Grant

The Monroe County Commission recently received a grant award for the Non-Profit (501(c)(3)) organizations of the county. This grant is strictly for Non-Profit organizations, this includes (but is not limited to):

- Religious Organizations
- Charitable Organizations
- Scientific Organizations
- Educational Organizations

There will be two rounds of grant funding. Each round of funding will have \$67,764.10 available.

Application Process and Deadlines

Grant Applicants Must:

- Be a registered 501(c)(3) Organization through the Internal Revenue Service.
- Be an organization located in the County of Monroe
- Fund Raising, and or tithing, has been impacted by the Covid-19 Epidemic.
- Possess a DUNS Number or UEID (Unique Entity ID). Resources on obtaining a DUNS Number are attached. To obtain a UEID number, please visit <http://www.sam.gov>

Application Deadlines

- For this round of grant awards, the following deadlines are in place:
 - Applications must be postmarked by Tuesday, June 20th, 2023.
 - Hand delivered applications must be in by Tuesday, June 20th, 2023 by 4:30 PM.



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Scope of the Grant

Below are examples as to what awarded grant funds may be used for:

- **Building Maintenance** - Upkeep of the building and or facilities the organization is housed in. There is no limit to what maintenance this can include.
- **Economic Development** - Focus is on innovative non-traditional economic development activities.
- **Activities (Cultural, Recreational, Social and Educational)** – Special emphasis is placed on activities that bring people together throughout the county, and that bring people into the county.
- **Utilize and Support Existing Organizations, Resources, Services and Facilities that Contribute to Quality of Life** – includes projects to more effectively market or make services and programs more fully available to people.

These are simply examples of what awarded grant funds could be used for.

Awarding of Grant Funds

The Monroe County Commission will review all applications and award funding on a Special Meeting to be held on June 30th, 2023 at 9:00 AM.

Obtaining a DUNS Number

A Guide for Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Applicants

The Federal government requires that all applicants for Federal grants and cooperative agreements with the exception of individuals other than sole proprietors, have a DUNS number. (See policy at: http://www.omb.gov/grants/grants_docs). The Federal government will use the DUNS number to better identify related organizations that are receiving funding under grants and cooperative agreements, and to provide consistent name and address data for electronic grant application systems.

Data Universal Number System (DUNS) Number

- The Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number is a unique nine-digit identification number provided by Dun & Bradstreet (D&B).
- The DUNS Number is site-specific. Therefore, each distinct physical location of an entity (such as branches, divisions, and headquarters) may be assigned a DUNS number. Organizations should try and keep DUNS numbers to a minimum. In many instances, a central DUNS number with a DUNS number for each major division/department/agency that applies for a grant may be sufficient.
- In order to provide on-the-spot DUNS number assignment, the requestor should do this by telephone. (See telephone number below.)

Obtaining a DUNS Number

- You should verify that you have a DUNS number or take the steps needed to obtain one as soon as possible, if there is a possibility you will be applying for future Federal grants or cooperative agreements. There is no need to wait until you are submitting a particular application.
- *If you already have a DUNS number.* If you, as the entity applying for a Federal grant or cooperative agreement, previously obtained a DUNS number in connection with the Federal acquisition process or requested or had one assigned to you for another purpose, you should use that number on all of your applications. It is not necessary to request another DUNS number from D&B. You may request D&B to supply a family-tree report of the DUNS numbers associated with your organization. Organizations should work with D&B to ensure the right information is on the report. Organizations should not establish new numbers, but use existing numbers and update/validate the information associated with the number.
- *If you are not sure if you have a DUNS number.* Call D&B using the toll-free number, **1-866-705-5711** and indicate that you are a Federal grant applicant/prospective applicant. D&B will tell you if you already have a number. If you do not have a DUNS number, D&B will ask you to provide the information listed below and will immediately assign you a number, free of charge.
- *If you know you do not have a DUNS number.* Call D&B using the toll-free number, **1-866-705-5711** and indicate that you are a Federal grant applicant/prospective applicant. D&B will ask you to provide the information listed below and will immediately assign you a number, free of charge.

Managing Your DUNS Number

- D&B periodically contacts organizations with DUNS numbers to verify that their information is current. Organizations with multiple DUNS numbers may request a free family tree listing from D&B to help determine what branches/divisions have numbers and whether the information is current. Please call the dedicated toll-free DUNS Number request line at **1-866-705-5711** to request your family tree.
- D&B recommends that organizations with multiple DUNS numbers have a single point of contact for controlling DUNS number requests to ensure that the appropriate branches/divisions have DUNS numbers for Federal purposes.
- As a result of obtaining a DUNS number you have the option to be included on D&B's marketing list that is sold to other companies. If you do not want your name/organization included on this marketing list, request to be de-listed from D&B's marketing file when you are speaking with a D&B representative during your DUNS number telephone application.

Obtaining a DUNS number is absolutely **Free** for all entities doing business with the Federal government. This includes grant and cooperative agreement applicants/prospective applicants and Federal contractors. Be certain that you identify yourself as a Federal grant applicant/prospective applicant.

To Obtain Your DUNS Number

- Please call the dedicated toll-free DUNS Number request line for Federal grant and cooperative agreement applicants or prospective grant applicants at:

1-866-705-5711

The number is staffed from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (local time of the caller when calling from within the continental United States) Calls placed to the above number outside of those hours will receive a recorded messages requesting the caller to call back between the operating hours.

- The process to request number takes about 5-10 minutes.
- A DUNS number will be assigned at the conclusion of the call.
- You will need to provide the following information:
 - Legal Name
 - Headquarters name and address for your organization
 - Doing business as (DBA) or other name by which your organization is commonly known or recognized
 - Physical Address, City, State and Zip Code
 - Mailing Address(is separate from Headquarters and/or physical address)
 - Telephone Number
 - Contact Name and Title
 - Number of Employees at your physical location