Leadership and Citizenship Engagement Grant Information

Would you like financial assistance for a project to develop strong leadership in your county?

1. What is the purpose of the LDCE grant?
	1. LDCE grants are to provide seed money for any program whereby attendees can develop and refine leadership skills through specific training. The proposed training or program must clearly foster leadership development.
2. Who can apply?
	1. Oklahoma Home and Community Education (OHCE) members, Oklahoma Cooperative Extension Service (OCES) staff and/or an individual or group, OHCE or OCES.
3. What is the amount that can be applied for?
	1. Any amount up to $1,500.00 maximum per applicant.
4. Is there a deadline to apply?
	1. Yes. The deadlines are April 1 and October 15.
5. How does a county/individual apply?
	1. Fill out the application forms and electronically send to Brenda K. Miller, LDCE Convener; brenda.k.miller@okstate.edu
6. Where can I find the application forms?
	1. The forms are on the OHCE website under Resources/Grant category. You may also contact any of the members on the grant committee:

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1. How long does it take to get results from committee?
	1. Applications are electronically sent to Convener
	2. Convener electronically sends them to each committee member for review.
	3. Applicant will be notified of the results after the due date.
	4. The committee may ask for additional information or clarification resulting in a slight delay.
	5. Suggestions may be given to assist applicant and an opportunity will be given to make changes if the committee deems necessary to insure approval.
2. Timeline for completion of Grant project?
	1. Project must be completed within one year of approval.
	2. If there is a delay in completion on behalf of the grant applicant, committee must be notified and approval for additional time may be granted.

The LDCE committee encourages you to consider applying for a grant up to $1,500.00. We want to hear from you and will assist anyway possible with your grant application.

Brenda K. Miller, LDCE Convener