GRANT OPPORTUNITY

The Denver Foundation is now accepting applications for the Climate Equity Fund, a project of the Loewy Family Fund. The mission of the Climate Equity Fund is to support innovative local projects that reduce greenhouse gas emissions while meeting the needs of communities most impacted by climate change. Grant ranges are expected to be in the $5,000 to $50,000 range.

The Climate Equity Fund seeks to deploy resources to nonprofit organizations that are addressing climate change. Eligible organizations must be able to articulate how their specific program reduces carbon emissions in a measurable way, and how it supports individuals, communities, and neighborhoods in efforts to reduce climate change and improve community well-being. To be clear, a two pronged approach will be used to evaluate grant proposals:

1. Will the project reduce emissions?
2. Is there a focus on equity?

ELIGIBILITY

1. Your organization must be a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization or have an equivalent fiscal sponsor.
2. Preference will be given to organizations working in the seven-county metro Denver region.
3. Projects must directly impact carbon emissions. Proposals focused on policy advocacy and/or organizing around climate change will not be considered.

DUE DATE

Grant applications open on Wednesday, July 17 and must be completed by Tuesday, September 6, by 5:00 pm MST.

APPLY ONLINE

Applications should be submitted online. You will need to register on The Denver Foundation’s grant application portal before completing your online application. Please visit denverfoundation.org to learn more.

If you are limited by technology or unable to use the online system, please email help@denverfoundation.org or call 303.300.1790 for assistance.

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