



STIBNITE FOUNDATION

GRANT EVALUATION RUBRIC

This rubric is provided so applicants and the public can understand the priorities of the Stibnite Foundation in its grantmaking and see the categories that will be used in the reviewing process. We encourage applicants to reference this rubric as they prepare their applications. Board members will use these categories as a guide when evaluating applications. All decisions by the board are final.

Category	Exemplary Application
Defined Community Need	Need is compelling, clearly stated, and justified. The affected population is identified and described adequately.
Project Design/Feasibility	Project is carefully designed to target the defined need. Plan is clearly outlined with timeline and achievable goals.
Sustainability	Proposal describes how the project will be sustained in the future.
Measurable Success/Impact/Outcomes	Proposal provides clear method(s) of evaluation.
Community Investment and Collaboration	Proposal demonstrates strong community buy in to the project in financial, volunteer and collaborative efforts.
Regional Impact	Proposal identifies clearly how the project will benefit communities and individuals in the Region.
Financial Health	Financial documents demonstrate the organization has the capacity to follow through on the project. The organization is stable and utilizes sound accounting practices.
Organizational Stability	Organization has a strong board and strong internal leadership.
Intangibles	Subjective assessment of directors based on knowledge and experience.