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Community Foundation Announces Spring Grant Opportunities and Mini-Workshop

The Community Foundation of the North State is pleased to announce that the application period is now open for all competitive Spring 2022 grant funding opportunities for local nonprofits and public agencies.

Spring 2022 grant funding opportunities include:

- **The ACEs Resilience and Hope Fund of Shasta County** – This fund seeks to support nonprofit programs that mitigate or prevent the generational cycle of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) in Shasta County. This opportunity is made possible by a partnership with Shasta County Health and Human Services Agency and promotes preventative and innovative strategies to improve health by addressing one or more of the 10 identified ACEs. All grant applications are due by 5:00pm on February 16th, 2022.

- **The Burney Regional Community Fund** – The Burney Regional Community Fund supports needs within the communities of the greater Burney area; Burney, Cassel, Fall River Mills, Hat Creek, McArthur, and Old Station – in accordance with boundaries set by the Fall River Joint Unified School District. All grant requests for this Fund must be submitted online by 5:00pm on March 2nd, 2022.

- **The McConnell Foundation Fund** – Grants from The McConnell Fund will be awarded to Modoc, Shasta, Siskiyou, Tehama, and Trinity County organizations in the areas of arts and culture, children, youth and education, community vitality, environment, health care, recreation, and social services. Grants primarily fund the purchase of equipment or building-related projects. Grant dollars are provided for small and large projects in each county. All grant requests for The McConnell Fund must be submitted online by 5:00pm on March 9th, 2022.

- **Redding Rancheria Community Fund** – The Redding Rancheria is a federally-recognized Tribe whose members are of the Pit River, Yana and Wintu descent. This fund was established to support worthy causes in the surrounding communities in Shasta and Trinity Counties and encourages proposals that serve Native Americans, youth, and/or rural populations. Applications are due March 30th at 5:00pm.

Potential applicants are encouraged to join CFNS staff for a **Spring Grant Opportunities Mini-Workshop**, to be held via Zoom **Thursday, January 20th from 11AM-Noon**. The workshop will offer a quick overview of the funds to help organizations determine their eligibility and submit the strongest possible applications.

Workshop registration, funding guidelines, and application instructions & deadlines for each fund are detailed at [www.cfnorthstate.org/grants/grants](http://www.cfnorthstate.org/grants/grants). For more information, contact Megan Conn, Program Officer; (530) 244-1219 or email megan@cfnorthstate.org.
About Community Foundation of the North State

We are a nonprofit, public charity serving the people of Shasta, Siskiyou, and Tehama counties, with a mission to impact the region through the power of giving. Since 2000, the Community Foundation has awarded over $37 million in grants, made possible by the generosity of their fund holders and professional fund management practices. For more information, call the Community Foundation at (530) 244-1219 or visit www.cfnorthstate.org.