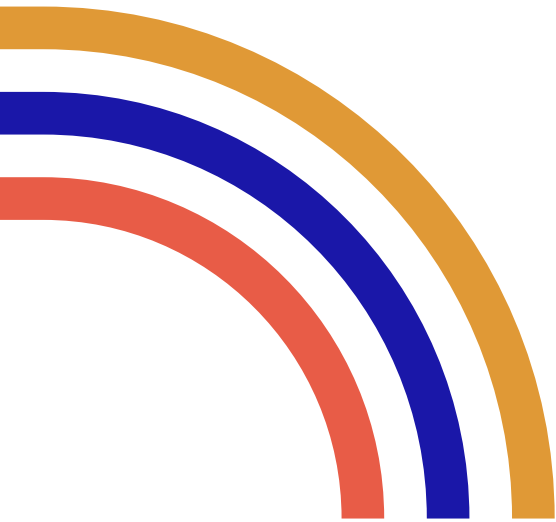


Micro-Grants Program



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The Enchanté Network is excited to announce that we have received funding from the federal government that will allow us to distribute micro-grants to 2Spirit and LGBTQ+ groups (an incorporated organization, an unincorporated organization, an individual doing community-development work).

Operational and capacity building grants of up to \$5000 will be available to organizations and grassroots initiatives that are working to provide programming to 2Spirit and LGBTQ+ communities. Your organization does not need to be a member of the Enchanté Network to apply for funding, though we certainly encourage you to join us. A maximum of one grant will be given per organization.



**OUR MICRO-GRANTS CAN BE USED
FOR PROJECTS SUCH AS**
(BUT CERTAINLY NOT LIMITED TO):

- Hosting an intergenerational “Queer Prom” or volunteer appreciation gathering
- Education and development opportunities such as mental health first aid / ASIST / anti-oppression training for staff and volunteers, or online or in-person professional development courses for your staff
- Travelling to attend a seminar, workshop, or conference, or paying for a facilitator or educator to travel to visit your organization
- Paying for ASL / LSQ interpreters, or hosting an “introduction to ASL/LSQ” workshop series
- Hiring a contract grant writer or bookkeeper to provide operational support
- Providing additional or increased honoraria to Indigenous elders or speakers
- Paying software licensing fees
- Buying supplies or other materials for your space, particularly for non-program related purposes (such as replacing an old laptop or purchasing a couch for your meeting space)

**Our goals
with this
project:**

- Create application and reporting procedures that are as low-barrier as possible
- Ensure equitable access to funding
- Distribute funds from coast to coast to coast, prioritizing the diversity of projects, groups, and individuals that are approved for funding





TIMELINE:

- Applications due on or before March 5th
- Notification of acceptance for funding will occur on or before March 20th
- Funding will be provided, by cheques sent via mail or by e-transfer, on or before March 27th
- All activities funded by the micro-grants should take place between March 28th and June 15th
- Reports about your activities are due on July 1st

ASSESSMENT PROCEDURE:

- This year's micro-grant program will prioritize requests from organizations in rural or remote areas, from volunteer-led organizations, and for activities that focus on anti-oppression.
- In order to ensure fairness and remove bias in the selection process, the names of organizations and individuals will not be shared with the micro-grant assessment committee.
- The micro-grant committee is comprised of board members of the Enchanté Network.

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TO APPLY