



Black Hills Power
Community Grant Program
Application Form

Community: _____ Date: _____

Organization Applying For Grant: _____

Contact Person: _____ Telephone: _____

Mailing Address: _____ E-mail: _____

Please answer the following questions as completely as possible regarding your community. Feel free to include references and any supporting documentation with your application. Deadline for Grant Request is August 25, 2006. Grants will be awarded by October 1, 2006. Please include your Community Action Plan and your application form. Mail applications to: Black Hills Power, ATTN: Mutch Usera, P. O. Box 1400, Rapid City, SD 57709

Amount Requested: \$ _____

Amount Approved: \$ _____

1. Does your action plan address a pressing need for your community?
2. If yes, what are those needs?
3. What are the benefits of your community improvements?
4. Are there other organizations contributing to your project plans?
5. If yes, please list them and their involvement or contribution.
6. Will this plan affect your community long-term (over 5 years)? How?
7. Will there be a continuous need for assistance based on your action plan? Why?
8. How will you achieve that support?
9. In summary, why do you believe your community needs Grant Program assistance?

Submitted by: _____ Position: _____ Date: _____

Black Hills Power will grant support for only one project per community. Projects must focus and impact the area of economic development or issues related to the economic conditions of the community. Grants will not be used for internal labor or operations support for Economic Develop, Chamber, Tourism or City organizations.

Financial Request and Approval Authorization:

BHP Business Manager: _____ Date: _____

Director, Customer Service: _____ Date: _____

Director, Community Connection: _____ Date: _____

Location _____ Cost Center _____ Work Order _____ Cost Code: _____