

Community Facilities Direct Loan & Grant Program

- Summary:** The [Community Facilities Direct Loan & Grant Program](#) provides affordable funding to purchase, construct, or improve essential community facilities, purchase vehicles or equipment, and pay related project expenses.
- Agency:** U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of Rural Development
- Eligibility:** Rural areas including cities, villages, townships and towns with no more than 20,000 residents according to the latest [U.S. Census Data](#) are eligible for this program.
- Funding:** The maximum amount of grant funding available is up to 75% of the proposed project. There is no maximum dollar amount for loans.
- Cost Match:** Cost shares range from 25% to 85% and are determined by population and median household income. Loan interest rates are determined by USDA and vary by project.
- Deadline:** Applications are currently being accepted on a rolling basis.

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Examples of Eligible Projects

- Health Care Facilities
- Courthouses
- Childcare Facilities
- Police and Fire Departments
- Vehicles or equipment needed for public safety services
- Educational Facilities
- Community Kitchens

NOPEC encourages its members to consider this opportunity and share it with eligible entities within their communities.

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