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- **ONLY ENTER VALUES IN YELLOW BOXES PROVIDED. For the entire spreadsheet, if the box is not yellow, do not enter information into it.**

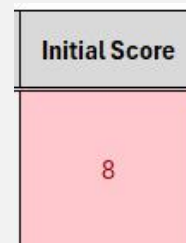
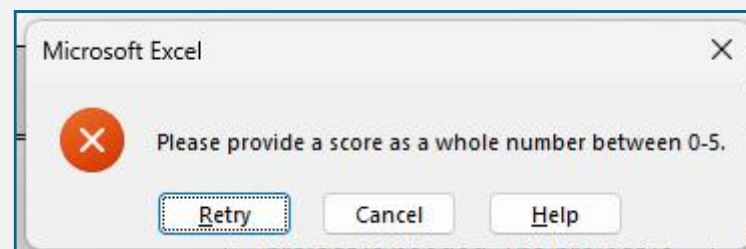
Initial Score	Reviewer Comments

Questions for Applicant?

- All of the grants you have been assigned to review are in this spreadsheet. Each tab at the bottom corresponds to the internal grant ID.

- The cumulative score for the grant is automatically calculate in cell D8 in blue in each sheet. You do not need to enter anything in this cell.
Total Score (out of 32): 0

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Helpful References:

- [FSG 2025 Google Drive Folder \(click here\)](#)
- [Applications folder on Google Drive \(click here\)](#)
- [City of Flagstaff Sustainability Grants Webpage](#)

Reviewer:

Application Information						Review Information		
ID	Application Name	Organization	Contact Name	Amount Requested (\$)	Category	Status	Total Score	Questions for Applicant
1	Trail Wizards Sustainability On-Going Mini-Lessons	Montessori Forest Adventurers	Jamie Paul	\$ 4,890	Community Health & Climate Resilience	Not Started	0	0
2	Pine Knoll Demonstration Garden - Water for Connection	N/A	Andrea Meronuck	\$ 3,000	Community Health & Climate Resilience	Not Started	0	0
3	High Country Ride Service	Marzette Investments LLC	Dexter Marzette	\$ 7,500	Transportation	Not Started	0	0
4	The Kendrick Peak Associate Community Garden	The Kendrick Peak Garden Committee, W.L. Gore & Associates	James Christy	\$ 7,500	Food	Not Started	0	0
5	Seeds & Skills: Hands-On Community Food Workshops	Willow Bend Environmental Education Center	Melissa Eckstrom	\$ 7,300	Food	Not Started	0	0
6	Summit Event Recycling	Summit Event Recycling	Moshe Kramer	\$ 7,500	Waste	Not Started	0	0
7	McAllister Ranch Rainwater Collection System	NAU Sustainable Communities Program	Peter Friederici	\$ 7,469	Energy	Not Started	0	0
8	Healthy Futures Through Sports & Nutrition	Unlock Your Potential Inc – DBA G.L.A.D.Y.S.E.	Kiki Locket, President	\$ 7,500	Community Health & Climate Resilience	Not Started	0	0
9	Expansion of Historic Southside Community Garden	Northern Arizona University - ENV 181	Dustin Hartnell	\$ 1,139	Food	Not Started	0	0
10	UP-CYCLE	N/A	Saylor Darling	\$ 1,170	Waste	Not Started	0	0
11	Campus Community Waste Reduction	Indigenous Bible College	Irish Noble	\$ 4,113	Waste	Not Started	0	0
12	From Wishcycling to Wonder: Transforming Mis-Recycled Materials into Inspiration and Empowerment	Culture Connection AZ	Audra Travelbee	\$ 6,600	Waste	Not Started	0	0
13	Evergreen Academy Preschool's Garden Development and Accessibility	Quality Connections dba. Evergreen Academy Preschool	Nicolle Young	\$ 6,346	Food	Not Started	0	0
14	Community Care & Climate Preparedness Closets	Climate Action Committee	Phoenix Eskridge-Aldama	\$ 7,500	Community Health & Climate Resilience	Not Started	0	0
15	Reviving Traditions: Indigenous Art from Reclaimed Materials	Criminal Justice Coordinating Council (CJCC)	Dianna Kalandros	\$ 7,500	Waste	Not Started	0	0
16	United Natives Wood Lot	United Natives	Crystal lee	\$ 7,500	Waste	Not Started	0	0
17	Trailblazers Program	Arizona Conservation Corps - a program of Conservation Legacy	Dorothy Settles	\$ 6,600	Community Health & Climate Resilience	Not Started	0	0
18	Linda Vista Corridor Sustainability Partnership	N/A	Dara Marks marino	\$ 3,979	Community Health & Climate Resilience	Not Started	0	0
19	Flagstaff Community Fridges - Fridge II	Well Deserved by Megan Weller	Megan Weller	\$ 7,500	Food	Not Started	0	0
20	Fencing for Pinon Community Garden	Pinon Community garden	Megan alatorre	\$ 7,500	Food	Not Started	0	0
21	Expanding Access and Education in Sustainable Transportation	The Salvation Army Flagstaff Corps	Lt. Zechariah Guess	\$ 3,850	Transportation	Not Started	0	0
22	CATs (Community Assistance Teams of Flagstaff) On Wheels	CATs (Community Assistance Teams of Flagstaff)	Pam Jensen	\$ 7,500	Transportation	Not Started	0	0
23	Healthy Soils and Thriving Gardens	Restoration Soils	Art Babbott	\$ 6,400	Waste	Not Started	0	0
24	Freedom Garden – Sustainable Community Greenhouse & Resilience Hub	Liberation Earth (501(c)3)	Jason Jones	\$ 7,500	Food	Not Started	0	0
25	2026 Gardeners Market	Lily of the Field	Bradford Blake	\$ 1,700	Food	Not Started	0	0
26	Montessori School of Flagstaff Middle School Garden Project	Montessori School of Flagstaff	Lindsay Blickhahn; Bethany Boness	\$ 5,000	Food	Not Started	0	0
27	Energy and water efficient dish washer installation	Kickstand Kafe	Catherine Chabot	\$ 7,500	Energy	Not Started	0	0
28	Rebuild home	Assistant	Christina Bollin	\$ 7,500	Community Health & Climate Resilience	Not Started	0	0
29	Learn and Earn a Sewing Machine	Threaded Together	Theresa Coleman	\$ 6,221	Waste	Not Started	0	0
30	Cedar Closet of Flagstaff Water Heater R	Cedar Closet	Lynn Edwards	\$ 2,875	Energy	Not Started	0	0
31	Pine Forest Pollinator Garden Expansion	Leaders for a Thriving Climate; Northern Arizona Climate Change Alliance (NAZCCA)	Rae Renaud; Benjamin Ryan	\$ 7,500	Food	Not Started	0	0

Project Name: Trail Wizards Sustainability On-Going Mini-Lessons
FSG Reference No.: 1
Point of Contact: Jamie Paul
Funding Request: \$4,890
Category: Community Health & Climate Resilience
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

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Project Name: Pine Knoll Demonstration Garden - Water for Connection
FSG Reference No.: 2
Point of Contact: Andrea Meronuck
Funding Request: \$3,000
Category: Community Health & Climate Resilience
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

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Project Name: High Country Ride Service
FSG Reference No.: 3
Point of Contact: Dexter Marzette
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Transportation
Reviewer: 0
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Project Name: The Kendrick Peak Associate Community Garden
FSG Reference No.: 4
Point of Contact: James Christy
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Food
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				0-1 Point	2-3 Points	4 Points
5 Alignment with the Carbon Neutrality Plan (CNP)			4 points possible Note: Application MUST score an average of 2 or higher to receive funding	Important aspects of the project contradict Flagstaff's climate goals and applicants are unable to find an alternative. This project uses tools, methods, or materials that do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan. Alternatives may exist but are not used. The positive impact of this project may not outweigh its climate impact.	This project's activities mostly align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan and/or do not contradict the CNP. When possible, this project uses materials and methods that minimize the amount of greenhouse gases emitted over the course of its life cycle. Alternative materials or methods with a lower climate impact may exist, but these alternatives may be untenable within the budget and scope of the project, and the value of the project still greatly outweighs any emissions incurred. Alternatively, or in addition, this project somewhat strengthens the community and/or prioritizes people most impacted by climate change.	The project's activities align with and supports the Carbon Neutrality Plan three main goals. This project will either reduce emissions/is unlikely to create a substantial greenhouse gas emission source (mitigation), and the project strengthens the community (resilience/adaptation), and prioritizes people most impacted by climate change (equity).

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6 Project Longevity			3 points possible	The project will not have any impact beyond the funding cycle; the benefits the project provides will end upon completion of the project itself. Or, applicants fail to discuss longevity in enough detail for the Sustainability Commission to conclude that there are benefits beyond the funding cycle.	The project's long-term impacts are limited or will require future funding. There is no plan in place at this time for sustained impact beyond 6 months post-project completion.	The project will have direct or indirect effects for long after the term of the grant, for at least one year. Future funding may be needed to continue the project, and the applicants have a plan in place.	The project will have direct and concrete effects for long after the term of the grant, potentially for years. The effects of the grant are unlikely to need further grant money to continue or the applicants have clearly stated how future funding will be secured. The impact will continue even if the person who applied for funding leaves the agency or can no longer work on the project.

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7 Budget / Feasibility / Schedule			4 points possible	The project appears unrealistic; and/or the budget or schedule are difficult to understand or missing; and/or the majority of the budget is composed of many items that appear superfluous or wasteful or do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There is a substantial risk that the project may not be successfully completed; and/or the budget or schedule is missing important details; and/or the budget contains some items that appear superfluous or wasteful, and/or some items may not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There are minor concerns about the feasibility of some aspects of completing the project within the budget and schedule given. However, the overall project still seems realistic and feasible, and/or the budget contains items that may not be strictly necessary for the project's completion.	All aspects of the project are realistically possible to accomplish within the budget and schedule (12-month timeframe). The budget contains only items that are strictly necessary for the success of the project. Whenever possible, items are ethically and sustainably sourced. (e.g., limit single-use plastics, focus on locally sourced items, when possible, etc.)

Project Name: Seeds & Skills: Hands-On Community Food Workshops
FSG Reference No.: 5
Point of Contact: Melissa Eckstrom
Funding Request: \$7,300
Category: Food
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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Project Name: Summit Event Recycling
FSG Reference No.: 6
Point of Contact: Moshe Kramer
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Waste
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate and incentivize behavior to walk, bike, roll, and take public transit2. Increase access and/or reduce barriers to walking, biking, rolling, and transit options3. Improve and promote equitable neighborhood connectivity or transportation options	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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Project Name: Healthy Futures Through Sports & Camp; Nutrition
FSG Reference No.: 8
Point of Contact: Kiki Lockett, President
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Community Health & Climate Resilience
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
3			6 Points possible1. Educate on the intersection of public health and environmental issues, and/or climate resilience and adaptation2. Improve or create strategies for neighborhood-level preparedness for climate impacts and public health (e.g., heat, smoke, flooding)3. Increase accessibility to public health resources as they relate to climate resilience	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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Project Name: McAllister Ranch Rainwater Collection System
FSG Reference No.: 7
Point of Contact: Peter Friederici
Funding Request: \$7,469
Category: Energy
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate on the concepts of energy or water conservation and/or renewable energy2. Increase the use of renewable energy or energy-efficient electric options3. Reduce energy, natural gas, and/or water use	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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				0-1 Point	2-3 Points	4 Points
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				0 Points	1 Point	2 Points	3 Points
6 Project Longevity			3 points possible	The project will not have any impact beyond the funding cycle; the benefits the project provides will end upon completion of the project itself. Or, applicants fail to discuss longevity in enough detail for the Sustainability Commission to conclude that there are benefits beyond the funding cycle.	The project's long-term impacts are limited or will require future funding. There is no plan in place at this time for sustained impact beyond 6 months post-project completion.	The project will have direct or indirect effects for long after the term of the grant, for at least one year. Future funding may be needed to continue the project, and the applicants have a plan in place.	The project will have direct and concrete effects for long after the term of the grant, potentially for years. The effects of the grant are unlikely to need further grant money to continue or the applicants have clearly stated how future funding will be secured. The impact will continue even if the person who applied for funding leaves the agency or can no longer work on the project.

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7 Budget / Feasibility / Schedule			4 points possible	The project appears unrealistic; and/or the budget or schedule are difficult to understand or missing; and/or the majority of the budget is composed of many items that appear superfluous or wasteful or do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There is a substantial risk that the project may not be successfully completed; and/or the budget or schedule is missing important details; and/or the budget contains some items that appear superfluous or wasteful, and/or some items may not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There are minor concerns about the feasibility of some aspects of completing the project within the budget and schedule given. However, the overall project still seems realistic and feasible, and/or the budget contains items that may not be strictly necessary for the project's completion.	All aspects of the project are realistically possible to accomplish within the budget and schedule (12-month timeframe). The budget contains only items that are strictly necessary for the success of the project. Whenever possible, items are ethically and sustainably sourced. (e.g., limit single-use plastics, focus on locally sourced items, when possible, etc.)

Project Name: Expansion of Historic Southside Community Garden
FSG Reference No.: 9
Point of Contact: Dustin Hartnell, Esmeralda Moreno, Brecken Deal, & Morgan Slater (phone number & email listed)
Funding Request: \$1,139
Category: Food
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
2 Community Goals			6 points possible (plus 1 bonus point below) Goal #1: Meeting the needs and including the voices of individuals or groups who are most often impacted by environmental degradation and climate change — including Black, Indigenous, and people of color (BIPOC), people who are LGBTQ+, people with diverse abilities, and people and families with low incomes, (0-3 points) Goal #2- building community partnerships (0-2 points) Goal #3- facilitating volunteer engagement or opportunities (0-2 points)	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any of the overarching grant goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three grant goals or may indirectly align with multiple goals. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the goal(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three grant goals and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the overarching grant goals. Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these goals.
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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate through hands-on sustainable food-related skill-building workshops and practical learning opportunities2. Increase access and distribution of healthy, affordable, and culturally relevant food3. Increase use and access to climate-smart agricultural techniques and equipment	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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6 Project Longevity			3 points possible	The project will not have any impact beyond the funding cycle; the benefits the project provides will end upon completion of the project itself. Or, applicants fail to discuss longevity in enough detail for the Sustainability Commission to conclude that there are benefits beyond the funding cycle.	The project's long-term impacts are limited or will require future funding. There is no plan in place at this time for sustained impact beyond 6 months post-project completion.	The project will have direct or indirect effects for long after the term of the grant, for at least one year. Future funding may be needed to continue the project, and the applicants have a plan in place.	The project will have direct and concrete effects for long after the term of the grant, potentially for years. The effects of the grant are unlikely to need further grant money to continue or the applicants have clearly stated how future funding will be secured. The impact will continue even if the person who applied for funding leaves the agency or can no longer work on the project.

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Project Name: UP-CYCLE
FSG Reference No.: 10
Point of Contact: Saylor Darling
Funding Request: \$1,170
Category: Waste
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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Project Name: Campus Community Waste Reduction
FSG Reference No.: 11
Point of Contact: Irish Noble
Funding Request: \$4,113
Category: Waste
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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Project Name: From Wishcycling to Wonder: Transforming Mis-Recycled Materials in
FSG Reference No.: 12
Point of Contact: Audra Travelbee
Funding Request: \$6,600
Category: Waste
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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Project Name: Evergreen Academy Preschool's Garden Development and Acc
FSG Reference No.: 13
Point of Contact: Nicolle Young
Funding Request: \$6,346
Category: Food
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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3			6 Points possible1. Educate through hands-on sustainable food-related skill-building workshops and practical learning opportunities2. Increase access and distribution of healthy, affordable, and culturally relevant food3. Increase use and access to climate-smart agricultural techniques and equipment	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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Project Name: Community Care & Climate Preparedness Closets
FSG Reference No.: 14
Point of Contact: Phoenix Eskridge-Aldama
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Community Health & Climate Resilience
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate on the intersection of public health and environmental issues, and/or climate resilience and adaptation2. Improve or create strategies for neighborhood-level preparedness for climate impacts and public health (e.g., heat, smoke, flooding)3. Increase accessibility to public health resources as they relate to climate resilience	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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Project Name: Reviving Traditions: Indigenous Art from Reclaimed Materials
FSG Reference No.: 15
Point of Contact: Dianna Kalandros
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Waste
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate and incentivize behavior to walk, bike, roll, and take public transit2. Increase access and/or reduce barriers to walking, biking, rolling, and transit options3. Improve and promote equitable neighborhood connectivity or transportation options	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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FSG Reference No.: 16
Point of Contact: Crystal Ilee
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Waste
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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7 Budget / Feasibility / Schedule			4 points possible	The project appears unrealistic; and/or the budget or schedule are difficult to understand or missing; and/or the majority of the budget is composed of many items that appear superfluous or wasteful or do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There is a substantial risk that the project may not be successfully completed; and/or the budget or schedule is missing important details; and/or the budget contains some items that appear superfluous or wasteful, and/or some items may not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There are minor concerns about the feasibility of some aspects of completing the project within the budget and schedule given. However, the overall project still seems realistic and feasible, and/or the budget contains items that may not be strictly necessary for the project's completion.	All aspects of the project are realistically possible to accomplish within the budget and schedule (12-month timeframe). The budget contains only items that are strictly necessary for the success of the project. Whenever possible, items are ethically and sustainably sourced. (e.g., limit single-use plastics, focus on locally sourced items, when possible, etc.)

Project Name: Trailblazers Program
FSG Reference No.: 17
Point of Contact: Dorothy Settles
Funding Request: \$6,600
Category: Community Health & Climate Resilience
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
2 Community Goals			6 points possible (plus 1 bonus point below) Goal #1: Meeting the needs and including the voices of individuals or groups who are most often impacted by environmental degradation and climate change — including Black, Indigenous, and people of color (BIPOC), people who are LGBTQ+, people with diverse abilities, and people and families with low incomes, (0-3 points) Goal #2- building community partnerships (0-2 points) Goal #3- facilitating volunteer engagement or opportunities (0-2 points)	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any of the overarching grant goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three grant goals or may indirectly align with multiple goals. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the goal(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three grant goals and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the overarching grant goals. Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these goals.
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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
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Project Name: Linda Vista Corridor Sustainability Partnership
FSG Reference No.: 18
Point of Contact: Dara Marks marino
Funding Request: \$3,979
Category: Community Health & Climate Resilience
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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2 Community Goals			6 points possible (plus 1 bonus point below) Goal #1: Meeting the needs and including the voices of individuals or groups who are most often impacted by environmental degradation and climate change — including Black, Indigenous, and people of color (BIPOC), people who are LGBTQ+, people with diverse abilities, and people and families with low incomes, (0-3 points) Goal #2- building community partnerships (0-2 points) Goal #3- facilitating volunteer engagement or opportunities (0-2 points)	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any of the overarching grant goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three grant goals or may indirectly align with multiple goals. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the goal(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three grant goals and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the overarching grant goals. Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these goals.
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Project Name: Flagstaff Community Fridges - Fridge II
FSG Reference No.: 19
Point of Contact: Megan Weller
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Food
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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4 Project Innovation			1 point possible	The project does not include any new strategies or methods, and it does not have the potential to expand knowledge or teach new ways of approaching sustainability-related problems. Or, new/improved strategies/methods are included, but may not be a practical solution to the community's needs. Or innovation is not clearly described by the applicant.	The project incorporates new (or new-to-this context) strategies/methods with substantial potential to improve sustainability approaches. It includes well-thought-out innovative components, creativity, and experimentation, which are all clearly described by the applicant.

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FSG Reference No.: 20
Point of Contact: Megan alatorre
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Food
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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7 Budget / Feasibility / Schedule			4 points possible	The project appears unrealistic; and/or the budget or schedule are difficult to understand or missing; and/or the majority of the budget is composed of many items that appear superfluous or wasteful or do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There is a substantial risk that the project may not be successfully completed; and/or the budget or schedule is missing important details; and/or the budget contains some items that appear superfluous or wasteful, and/or some items may not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There are minor concerns about the feasibility of some aspects of completing the project within the budget and schedule given. However, the overall project still seems realistic and feasible, and/or the budget contains items that may not be strictly necessary for the project's completion.	All aspects of the project are realistically possible to accomplish within the budget and schedule (12-month timeframe). The budget contains only items that are strictly necessary for the success of the project. Whenever possible, items are ethically and sustainably sourced. (e.g., limit single-use plastics, focus on locally sourced items, when possible, etc.)

Project Name: Expanding Access and Education in Sustainable Transportation
FSG Reference No.: 21
Point of Contact: Lt. Zechariah Guess
Funding Request: \$3,850
Category: Transportation
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
2 Community Goals			6 points possible (plus 1 bonus point below) Goal #1: Meeting the needs and including the voices of individuals or groups who are most often impacted by environmental degradation and climate change — including Black, Indigenous, and people of color (BIPOC), people who are LGBTQ+, people with diverse abilities, and people and families with low incomes, (0-3 points) Goal #2- building community partnerships (0-2 points) Goal #3- facilitating volunteer engagement or opportunities (0-2 points)	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any of the overarching grant goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three grant goals or may indirectly align with multiple goals. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the goal(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three grant goals and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the overarching grant goals. Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these goals.
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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate and incentivize behavior to walk, bike, roll, and take public transit2. Increase access and/or reduce barriers to walking, biking, rolling, and transit options3. Improve and promote equitable neighborhood connectivity or transportation options	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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				0 Points	1 Point
4 Project Innovation			1 point possible	The project does not include any new strategies or methods, and it does not have the potential to expand knowledge or teach new ways of approaching sustainability-related problems. Or, new/improved strategies/methods are included, but may not be a practical solution to the community's needs. Or innovation is not clearly described by the applicant.	The project incorporates new (or new-to-this context) strategies/methods with substantial potential to improve sustainability approaches. It includes well-thought-out innovative components, creativity, and experimentation, which are all clearly described by the applicant.

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				0-1 Point	2-3 Points	4 Points
5 Alignment with the Carbon Neutrality Plan (CNP)			4 points possible Note: Application MUST score an average of 2 or higher to receive funding	Important aspects of the project contradict Flagstaff's climate goals and applicants are unable to find an alternative. This project uses tools, methods, or materials that do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan. Alternatives may exist but are not used. The positive impact of this project may not outweigh its climate impact.	This project's activities mostly align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan and/or do not contradict the CNP. When possible, this project uses materials and methods that minimize the amount of greenhouse gases emitted over the course of its life cycle. Alternative materials or methods with a lower climate impact may exist, but these alternatives may be untenable within the budget and scope of the project, and the value of the project still greatly outweighs any emissions incurred. Alternatively, or in addition, this project somewhat strengthens the community and/or prioritizes people most impacted by climate change.	The project's activities align with and supports the Carbon Neutrality Plan three main goals. This project will either reduce emissions/is unlikely to create a substantial greenhouse gas emission source (mitigation), and the project strengthens the community (resilience/adaptation), and prioritizes people most impacted by climate change (equity).

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6 Project Longevity			3 points possible	The project will not have any impact beyond the funding cycle; the benefits the project provides will end upon completion of the project itself. Or, applicants fail to discuss longevity in enough detail for the Sustainability Commission to conclude that there are benefits beyond the funding cycle.	The project's long-term impacts are limited or will require future funding. There is no plan in place at this time for sustained impact beyond 6 months post-project completion.	The project will have direct or indirect effects for long after the term of the grant, for at least one year. Future funding may be needed to continue the project, and the applicants have a plan in place.	The project will have direct and concrete effects for long after the term of the grant, potentially for years. The effects of the grant are unlikely to need further grant money to continue or the applicants have clearly stated how future funding will be secured. The impact will continue even if the person who applied for funding leaves the agency or can no longer work on the project.

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Project Name: CATs (Community Assistance Teams of Flagstaff) On Wheels
FSG Reference No.: 22
Point of Contact: Pam Jensen
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Transportation
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
2 Community Goals			6 points possible (plus 1 bonus point below) Goal #1: Meeting the needs and including the voices of individuals or groups who are most often impacted by environmental degradation and climate change — including Black, Indigenous, and people of color (BIPOC), people who are LGBTQ+, people with diverse abilities, and people and families with low incomes, (0-3 points) Goal #2- building community partnerships (0-2 points) Goal #3- facilitating volunteer engagement or opportunities (0-2 points)	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any of the overarching grant goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three grant goals or may indirectly align with multiple goals. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the goal(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three grant goals and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the overarching grant goals. Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these goals.
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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate and incentivize behavior to walk, bike, roll, and take public transit2. Increase access and/or reduce barriers to walking, biking, rolling, and transit options3. Improve and promote equitable neighborhood connectivity or transportation options	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines	
				0 Points	1 Point
4 Project Innovation			1 point possible	The project does not include any new strategies or methods, and it does not have the potential to expand knowledge or teach new ways of approaching sustainability-related problems. Or, new/improved strategies/methods are included, but may not be a practical solution to the community's needs. Or innovation is not clearly described by the applicant.	The project incorporates new (or new-to-this context) strategies/methods with substantial potential to improve sustainability approaches. It includes well-thought-out innovative components, creativity, and experimentation, which are all clearly described by the applicant.

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				0 Points	1 Point	2 Points	3 Points
6 Project Longevity			3 points possible	The project will not have any impact beyond the funding cycle; the benefits the project provides will end upon completion of the project itself. Or, applicants fail to discuss longevity in enough detail for the Sustainability Commission to conclude that there are benefits beyond the funding cycle.	The project's long-term impacts are limited or will require future funding. There is no plan in place at this time for sustained impact beyond 6 months post-project completion.	The project will have direct or indirect effects for long after the term of the grant, for at least one year. Future funding may be needed to continue the project, and the applicants have a plan in place.	The project will have direct and concrete effects for long after the term of the grant, potentially for years. The effects of the grant are unlikely to need further grant money to continue or the applicants have clearly stated how future funding will be secured. The impact will continue even if the person who applied for funding leaves the agency or can no longer work on the project.

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7 Budget / Feasibility / Schedule			4 points possible	The project appears unrealistic; and/or the budget or schedule are difficult to understand or missing; and/or the majority of the budget is composed of many items that appear superfluous or wasteful or do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There is a substantial risk that the project may not be successfully completed; and/or the budget or schedule is missing important details; and/or the budget contains some items that appear superfluous or wasteful, and/or some items may not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There are minor concerns about the feasibility of some aspects of completing the project within the budget and schedule given. However, the overall project still seems realistic and feasible, and/or the budget contains items that may not be strictly necessary for the project's completion.	All aspects of the project are realistically possible to accomplish within the budget and schedule (12-month timeframe). The budget contains only items that are strictly necessary for the success of the project. Whenever possible, items are ethically and sustainably sourced. (e.g., limit single-use plastics, focus on locally sourced items, when possible, etc.)

Project Name: Healthy Soils and Thriving Gardens
FSG Reference No.: 23
Point of Contact: Art Babbott
Funding Request: \$6,400
Category: Waste
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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2 Community Goals			6 points possible (plus 1 bonus point below) Goal #1: Meeting the needs and including the voices of individuals or groups who are most often impacted by environmental degradation and climate change — including Black, Indigenous, and people of color (BIPOC), people who are LGBTQ+, people with diverse abilities, and people and families with low incomes, (0-3 points) Goal #2- building community partnerships (0-2 points) Goal #3- facilitating volunteer engagement or opportunities (0-2 points)	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any of the overarching grant goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three grant goals or may indirectly align with multiple goals. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the goal(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three grant goals and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the overarching grant goals. Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these goals.
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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate and incentivize behavior to walk, bike, roll, and take public transit2. Increase access and/or reduce barriers to walking, biking, rolling, and transit options3. Improve and promote equitable neighborhood connectivity or transportation options	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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4 Project Innovation			1 point possible	The project does not include any new strategies or methods, and it does not have the potential to expand knowledge or teach new ways of approaching sustainability-related problems. Or, new/improved strategies/methods are included, but may not be a practical solution to the community's needs. Or innovation is not clearly described by the applicant.	The project incorporates new (or new-to-this context) strategies/methods with substantial potential to improve sustainability approaches. It includes well-thought-out innovative components, creativity, and experimentation, which are all clearly described by the applicant.

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5 Alignment with the Carbon Neutrality Plan (CNP)			4 points possible Note: Application MUST score an average of 2 or higher to receive funding	Important aspects of the project contradict Flagstaff's climate goals and applicants are unable to find an alternative. This project uses tools, methods, or materials that do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan. Alternatives may exist but are not used. The positive impact of this project may not outweigh its climate impact.	This project's activities mostly align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan and/or do not contradict the CNP. When possible, this project uses materials and methods that minimize the amount of greenhouse gases emitted over the course of its life cycle. Alternative materials or methods with a lower climate impact may exist, but these alternatives may be untenable within the budget and scope of the project, and the value of the project still greatly outweighs any emissions incurred. Alternatively, or in addition, this project somewhat strengthens the community and/or prioritizes people most impacted by climate change.	The project's activities align with and supports the Carbon Neutrality Plan three main goals. This project will either reduce emissions/is unlikely to create a substantial greenhouse gas emission source (mitigation), and the project strengthens the community (resilience/adaptation), and prioritizes people most impacted by climate change (equity).

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6 Project Longevity			3 points possible	The project will not have any impact beyond the funding cycle; the benefits the project provides will end upon completion of the project itself. Or, applicants fail to discuss longevity in enough detail for the Sustainability Commission to conclude that there are benefits beyond the funding cycle.	The project's long-term impacts are limited or will require future funding. There is no plan in place at this time for sustained impact beyond 6 months post-project completion.	The project will have direct or indirect effects for long after the term of the grant, for at least one year. Future funding may be needed to continue the project, and the applicants have a plan in place.	The project will have direct and concrete effects for long after the term of the grant, potentially for years. The effects of the grant are unlikely to need further grant money to continue or the applicants have clearly stated how future funding will be secured. The impact will continue even if the person who applied for funding leaves the agency or can no longer work on the project.

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7 Budget / Feasibility / Schedule			4 points possible	The project appears unrealistic; and/or the budget or schedule are difficult to understand or missing; and/or the majority of the budget is composed of many items that appear superfluous or wasteful or do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There is a substantial risk that the project may not be successfully completed; and/or the budget or schedule is missing important details; and/or the budget contains some items that appear superfluous or wasteful, and/or some items may not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There are minor concerns about the feasibility of some aspects of completing the project within the budget and schedule given. However, the overall project still seems realistic and feasible, and/or the budget contains items that may not be strictly necessary for the project's completion.	All aspects of the project are realistically possible to accomplish within the budget and schedule (12-month timeframe). The budget contains only items that are strictly necessary for the success of the project. Whenever possible, items are ethically and sustainably sourced. (e.g., limit single-use plastics, focus on locally sourced items, when possible, etc.)

Project Name: Freedom Garden – Sustainable Community Greenhouse & Res
FSG Reference No.: 24
Point of Contact: Jason Jones
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Food
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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2 Community Goals			6 points possible (plus 1 bonus point below) Goal #1: Meeting the needs and including the voices of individuals or groups who are most often impacted by environmental degradation and climate change — including Black, Indigenous, and people of color (BIPOC), people who are LGBTQ+, people with diverse abilities, and people and families with low incomes, (0-3 points) Goal #2- building community partnerships (0-2 points) Goal #3- facilitating volunteer engagement or opportunities (0-2 points)	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any of the overarching grant goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three grant goals or may indirectly align with multiple goals. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the goal(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three grant goals and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the overarching grant goals. Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these goals.
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Criteria	Initial Score	Reviewer Comments	Criteria Notes	Scoring Guidelines			
				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate through hands-on sustainable food-related skill-building workshops and practical learning opportunities2. Increase access and distribution of healthy, affordable, and culturally relevant food3. Increase use and access to climate-smart agricultural techniques and equipment	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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				0 Points	1 Point
4 Project Innovation			1 point possible	The project does not include any new strategies or methods, and it does not have the potential to expand knowledge or teach new ways of approaching sustainability-related problems. Or, new/improved strategies/methods are included, but may not be a practical solution to the community's needs. Or innovation is not clearly described by the applicant.	The project incorporates new (or new-to-this context) strategies/methods with substantial potential to improve sustainability approaches. It includes well-thought-out innovative components, creativity, and experimentation, which are all clearly described by the applicant.

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6 Project Longevity			3 points possible	The project will not have any impact beyond the funding cycle; the benefits the project provides will end upon completion of the project itself. Or, applicants fail to discuss longevity in enough detail for the Sustainability Commission to conclude that there are benefits beyond the funding cycle.	The project's long-term impacts are limited or will require future funding. There is no plan in place at this time for sustained impact beyond 6 months post-project completion.	The project will have direct or indirect effects for long after the term of the grant, for at least one year. Future funding may be needed to continue the project, and the applicants have a plan in place.	The project will have direct and concrete effects for long after the term of the grant, potentially for years. The effects of the grant are unlikely to need further grant money to continue or the applicants have clearly stated how future funding will be secured. The impact will continue even if the person who applied for funding leaves the agency or can no longer work on the project.

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7 Budget / Feasibility / Schedule			4 points possible	The project appears unrealistic; and/or the budget or schedule are difficult to understand or missing; and/or the majority of the budget is composed of many items that appear superfluous or wasteful or do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There is a substantial risk that the project may not be successfully completed; and/or the budget or schedule is missing important details; and/or the budget contains some items that appear superfluous or wasteful, and/or some items may not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There are minor concerns about the feasibility of some aspects of completing the project within the budget and schedule given. However, the overall project still seems realistic and feasible, and/or the budget contains items that may not be strictly necessary for the project's completion.	All aspects of the project are realistically possible to accomplish within the budget and schedule (12-month timeframe). The budget contains only items that are strictly necessary for the success of the project. Whenever possible, items are ethically and sustainably sourced. (e.g., limit single-use plastics, focus on locally sourced items, when possible, etc.)

Project Name: 2026 Gardeners Market
FSG Reference No.: 25
Point of Contact: Bradford Blake
Funding Request: \$1,700
Category: Food
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
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Project Name: Montessori School of Flagstaff Middle School Garden Project
FSG Reference No.: 26
Point of Contact: Lindsay Blickhahn; Bethany Boness
Funding Request: \$5,000
Category: Food
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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Project Name: Energy and water efficient dish washer installation
FSG Reference No.: 27
Point of Contact: Catherine Chabot
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Energy
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5-6 Points
3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate on the concepts of energy or water conservation and/or renewable energy2. Increase the use of renewable energy or energy-efficient electric options3. Reduce energy, natural gas, and/or water use	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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Project Name: Rebuild home
FSG Reference No.: 28
Point of Contact: Christina Bollin
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Community Health & Climate Resilience
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate on the intersection of public health and environmental issues, and/or climate resilience and adaptation2. Improve or create strategies for neighborhood-level preparedness for climate impacts and public health (e.g., heat, smoke, flooding)3. Increase accessibility to public health resources as they relate to climate resilience	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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Project Name: Learn and Earn a Sewing Machine
FSG Reference No.: 29
Point of Contact: Theresa Coleman
Funding Request: \$6,221
Category: Waste
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate and incentivize behavior to walk, bike, roll, and take public transit2. Increase access and/or reduce barriers to walking, biking, rolling, and transit options3. Improve and promote equitable neighborhood connectivity or transportation options	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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4 Project Innovation			1 point possible	The project does not include any new strategies or methods, and it does not have the potential to expand knowledge or teach new ways of approaching sustainability-related problems. Or, new/improved strategies/methods are included, but may not be a practical solution to the community's needs. Or innovation is not clearly described by the applicant.	The project incorporates new (or new-to-this context) strategies/methods with substantial potential to improve sustainability approaches. It includes well-thought-out innovative components, creativity, and experimentation, which are all clearly described by the applicant.

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				0-1 Point	2-3 Points	4 Points
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7 Budget / Feasibility / Schedule			4 points possible	The project appears unrealistic; and/or the budget or schedule are difficult to understand or missing; and/or the majority of the budget is composed of many items that appear superfluous or wasteful or do not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There is a substantial risk that the project may not be successfully completed; and/or the budget or schedule is missing important details; and/or the budget contains some items that appear superfluous or wasteful, and/or some items may not align with the Carbon Neutrality Plan.	There are minor concerns about the feasibility of some aspects of completing the project within the budget and schedule given. However, the overall project still seems realistic and feasible, and/or the budget contains items that may not be strictly necessary for the project's completion.	All aspects of the project are realistically possible to accomplish within the budget and schedule (12-month timeframe). The budget contains only items that are strictly necessary for the success of the project. Whenever possible, items are ethically and sustainably sourced. (e.g., limit single-use plastics, focus on locally sourced items, when possible, etc.)

Project Name: Cedar Closet of Flagstaff Water Heater Replacement
FSG Reference No.: 30
Point of Contact: Lynn Edwards
Funding Request: \$2,875
Category: Energy
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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				0 Points	1-2 Points	3-4 Points	5 Points
1 Project Rationale			5 points possible	No evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is unlikely to have a positive impact on the lives of people in its target community or provide any benefit to the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff.	The project will likely provide a small, indirect, positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a minor positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. There is insufficient evidence that the project is needed. The impact per dollar of grant money is low	Some evidence is provided that the project is needed. The project is likely to provide a fairly concrete and moderate positive impact (direct or indirect) on the lives of people in its target community and/or provide a moderate positive impact on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money is moderate.	The applicant provides evidence that the project is needed. The project is likely to have a concrete and substantial positive impact on the lives of people in its target community and/or on the sustainability of the city of Flagstaff. The impact per dollar of grant money used is very high.

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3 Category Objectives			6 Points possible1. Educate on the concepts of energy or water conservation and/or renewable energy2. Increase the use of renewable energy or energy-efficient electric options3. Reduce energy, natural gas, and/or water use	The project does not directly or indirectly align with any Category Objectives.	The project clearly and directly aligns with one of the three Category Objectives or may indirectly align with multiple objectives. Key information about how project activities are aligned with achieving the objective(s) is missing.	The project clearly and directly aligns with two of the three Category Objectives and may indirectly align with the third. Applicants specifically state how the project activities will aid in achieving two goals.	The project clearly and directly aligns with all three of the Category Objectives for the chosen category (each category has its own objectives listed in the grant announcement). Applicants specifically state how project activities will aid in achieving these objectives.

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Project Name: Pine Forest Pollinator Garden Expansion Project
FSG Reference No.: 31
Point of Contact: Rae Renaud; Benjamin Ryan
Funding Request: \$7,500
Category: Food
Reviewer: 0
Total Score (out of 32): 0

Questions for Applicant?

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