



# Water Quality Education & Outreach Mini-Grants

## About the Mini Grant Program

The goal of the mini-grant program is to provide support for locally-led education and outreach activities that address nonpoint sources of pollution to Montana's surface waters. A priority of this program is to promote new educational activities, improve community awareness, and engage stakeholders in watershed management.

11+

Years Running

\$245,000+

Awarded Funds

96,000+

People Reached

*Leaving \$430,000+ in  
nonfederal match*

*Since 2013*

## Example Projects

Youth Stewardship Education  
Stormwater Awareness  
Irrigation Education  
Drought Management Engagement  
Land & Water Management Workshops  
Educational Media Development  
Septic System Maintenance Awareness  
Bank Stabilization Demonstrations  
Bioengineering Workshops  
Rain Garden Demonstrations

## 2022 Call for Applications: March 9th - April 15th, 5PM

Annual Spring Call | \$28,900 Available | Up to \$4,000 per Applicant | 40% non federal match required

### Eligible Applicants

- Local governmental entity
- Nonprofit organization
- Conservation district
- School
- Local watershed or volunteer group (if a legal entity)
- County
- Extension service

### How to Apply

1. Visit <https://macdnet.org/mini-grants/> to see examples of previous projects
2. Read the Call for Water Quality Mini-Grant Applications
3. Download the application form
4. Consult MACD staff to ensure the proposed project is a good fit for the mini-grant program and discuss ways to strengthen your application (optional, but encouraged)
5. Complete and sign your application (only signed applications will be considered for funding)
6. Submit your application and proof of liability insurance to MACD by 5:00 p.m. on April 15, 2022.

*learn more:*

<https://macdnet.org/programs/mini-grants/>



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