

# Eastern District Funding for Innovative Programs

## Application Form

**Project Title:** Community Partner Advisory Group Support

**Project Timeline:** 2005 - 2006

**Funding Requested:** \$ 5000. to be distributed over the counties developing CPAGs

**Project Lead/Grant Applicant:** JP PLoetz, Eastern District Liaison on behalf of Eastern District Counties

**Project Collaborator(s) (if applicable):** Present CPAG counties include: Brown, Fond du Lac, Manitowoc, Marquette, & Winnebago. Hopefully we will have 5 more counties during this next phase of development.

**Situation Statement:** The Dean's office gave each first round county \$200. to begin their CPAG. Most counties have exhausted their funds after their first meeting. When you consider most have had a meal (they have been modest), nametags, binders, dividers, copying expenses, and any tools for training it doesn't take long for \$200 to be exhausted. Counties want to do a good job with CPAG however they have no county dollars to make the programming happen. I asked for \$5000. because we currently have 5 counties from the Eastern district involved and hope to have another 5 in the next round. That is 10 counties participating and IF there were funds available, each would get \$500 for their meetings. We expect them to host approximately 5-6 meetings the first year and then probably quarterly.

- ✓ Please attach a 1-2 page proposal including your project description, goals, expected outcomes, and evaluation plan. Also include a detailed budget breakdown, specifying the amount requested from Resource Management funds, and clarifying the source and amounts from other funds.
- ✓ If you have applied for Resource Management funds in the past, include the following information:
  - Clarify your past experiences with resource management grants. Was your project funded? What was the project title?
  - What were the outcomes of your program efforts?
  - How is this project proposal new or different?

**Signature:**

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**Grant Applicant/Lead**



Funds to Support CPAGs in ten counties in the Eastern District.

Goals: To provide funds to counties so they will be able to conduct successful, creative CPAGs which will result in strong local partnerships through working together to identify and resolve issues that affect the community and to develop educational programs that address community needs. Through these efforts the value of Extension's educational programs will be shared throughout the community.

Expected Outcomes: When counties are able to hold successful CPAG meetings they will be fostering partnerships, sponsoring events, identifying new community resources and the extension story will be shared with members of the community

Evaluation: Evaluation tools are being developed to assess the impact of CPAGs in the county. Each county would be responsible for accounting for the funds they received.

Budget For Existing CPAGs:

Five counties received \$200. from the deans office which was used for food and refreshments for first meeting, binders and name badges for participants, and copying materials to provide to participants. Most counties have exhausted those dollars and yet have more meetings planned.

Ten Counties would each receive \$500. which would be used for 5-6 meetings over a one year period to provide items listed above as well as other training materials such as;

- \* Colors instruments
- \* Myers Briggs instruments
- \* Conflict Resolution tools
- \* Leadership training materials
- \* Appreciative Inquiry supplies

\*\*NOTE: This request could be partially funded with 05 funds and partially with 06 funds.