



2026 Grant Cycle Timeline

★ Action Needed by Nonprofit

Phase 1

Financial Integrity

Financial Review Committee (FRC) Reviews
January 2 - February 13, 2026

★ **Online Portal Financial Submission**
October 8, 2025 to
January 2, 2026 @11:59 PM CST

FRC Review
January 3 - February 13, 2026

Approved Applicants Notified
February 14, 2026

Phase 2 & 3

Proposal Review

Grant Review Committee (GRC)
Proposal Reviews
March 17- April 14, 2026

★ **Online Portal Program Submission**
February 14 to
March 13, 2026 @11:59 PM CST

GRC Reviews
March 17 - April 14, 2026

Semi-Finalists Notified
April 15, 2026

Phase 4

Site Visit Review

Semi Finalist Site Visits
April 23 - April 28, 2026

★ **GRC Site Visits**
April 23 - 28, 2026

Grant Finalists Notified
May 6, 2026

Phase 5

Annual Meeting

Annual Finalist Awards Night
June 2, 2026

★ **Grant Finalists Lunch & Information Session**
May 15, 2026

★ **Executive Summaries Due**
May 20, 2026

★ **Annual Meeting Presentation, Vote, & Awards**
June 2, 2026

★ **Grant Terms Signed**
June 23, 2026