



COLORADO PARKS AND WILDLIFE 2024 Human-Bear Conflict Reduction Grant Application Form

PLEASE USE THIS FORM AND COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS
Email completed form to Travis Long (travis.long@state.co.us)

Project Name:	
Amount Requested:	\$
Project Location: (attach map if applicable)	

Applicant Information:

<i>Lead Organization</i>			
Primary Contact:		Organization:	
Phone Number:		Email address:	
<i>Partner Organization (if applicable)</i>			
Primary Contact:		Organization:	
Phone Number:		Email address:	
<i>Partner Organization (if applicable)</i>			
Primary Contact:		Organization:	
Phone Number:		Email address:	

Local District Wildlife Manager Contact Information:

Name:		Have you contacted this DWM about your proposal?	YES	NO
Phone:		Email:		

Project Description

Applications will be evaluated based on how well they support the goal of reducing conflicts between local communities and black bears. Include prior and future efforts in the community to reduce conflict as well as the potential benefit of the project to other communities (i.e. model a novel technique, establish a process for bear-proofing, creating a new program that could be modeled elsewhere).

- Please describe the project for which you are requesting funding.
- Please describe the need for this project. What kinds of conflict is the community currently experiencing? Please include details regarding: duration of conflict (how long has your community been experiencing conflict), intensity of conflict, and frequency of conflict.
- How will this project reduce or prevent human-bear conflict?
- How will this project benefit the community?
- Has this community already benefited from prior human-bear conflict projects or investments?

Community Support

Successful applicants will demonstrate local community support. This can be done with letters of support, documented participation in public meetings, membership in local organizations, and partnerships. Community support can also be demonstrated with in-kind contributions or matching funds (outlined in next section).

- Please describe local community support for this project. How has the local community been engaged on this proposal? In general, what feedback have you received on this project or bear conflict in the area?
- What has the community done in the past to address human-bear conflict?
- Are there additional projects/efforts to reduce human-bear conflict planned or in progress?
- How do you plan to continue to engage relevant communities through this project? What goals do you hope to achieve through community engagement, and how is the outreach and education you plan to do designed to achieve those goals?

Project Costs

Please be as specific as possible and include quotes if available. In-kind contributions can be calculated at market value or \$20/hour for labor.

- What is the total estimated cost of the project?
- Are there matching funds or in-kind contributions? Include who is providing the matching funds or in-kind contributions.
- Please itemize total estimated costs and expected grants or contributions for the project including matching funds and grant request. See attached table (page 8).
- What is the timeline for administering funds?

Applicant Experience

- What experience does the applicant and/or partnering organizations have in administering grants or other funding?
- What experience does the applicant and partnering organizations have in mitigating human-bear conflict?

Monitoring and Follow Up

Evaluating projects is a key part of this program. Part of the evaluation process will be to identify barriers and leverage the knowledge and experience of different communities to benefit all projects. To that end, participation in follow up communications with CPW and other grant recipients will be required and all successful applicants will be required to allow for inspection of their project.

- How will you measure if the project is a success?

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST AND PARTICIPATION IN THIS PROGRAM. CPW HAS RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO ASSIST IN COMPLETION OF THE APPLICATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF FUNDS. APPLICANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CONTACT THE GRANT COORDINATOR AND LOCAL CPW STAFF TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE. NOT SURE WHERE TO START? CONTACT TRAVIS LONG travis.long@state.co.us

SIGNATURE PAGE

All information in the application is true and accurate. No construction work or final purchases will commence prior to the issuance of a contract or purchase order from CPW. Credit signage for or acknowledgment of Colorado Parks and Wildlife participation in the improvements will be included, as feasible, in the final project.

Applicant Signature

Date

Partner Organization Contact Signature

Date

Partner Organization Contact Signature

Date

Partner Organization Contact Signature

Date

Project Budget

Complete the following tables; use cost categories such as materials, equipment rental, contracts, etc. Indicate if matching contributions have been secured, or when pending matching contributions are likely to be attained. Insert or delete rows as needed in the tables. Include a narrative or footnotes explaining how cost estimates were derived.

Activity/Expense Summary					
Activity/Expense Description	CPW Grant \$	Partner Name	Partner Cash Match \$	Partner In-Kind Match \$	Total \$ for Activity
Totals					

Partner Contribution (total of activities/expenses listed above)		
Partner Name	Total \$ Per Partner	% of Total Per Partner

Detailed Cost Breakdown				
Item	Unit	Quantity	Unit Cost	Estimated Cost
Total				