

Golden Civic Foundation 2023 Big Ideas in Golden (B.I.G.) Grant Program REVIEWER SCORING RUBRIC

(The below scoring rubric is to be utilized by the Golden Civic Foundation Citizen Advisory Committee)

Scoring Rubric:

| Components | Points Possible | Points Allocated | Reviewer Notes |
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| <p>1. How will this grant provide the greatest positive and long-lasting impact “For the Good of Golden”? <i>Example: How will the grant support a need that impacts the vitality of the Golden community. Does this project help our community thrive (economically, culturally, environmentally, health & wellness-wise or via critical needs)? Does this project impact the quality of life for a large portion of our community (residents and/or visitors)? Scoring: Most and broadest, long-lasting impact preferred. (“Shovel-ready,” brick and mortar projects are preferred but all ideas will be assessed in relation to their impact on our community.”)</i></p> | 35 | | |
| <p>2. Can the project be completed within a 12 to 24-month timeframe? <i>Example: Does the organization have a defined and viable schedule, plan and budget to finish the project within two years? Scoring: More proof of defined schedule is preferred.</i></p> | 15 | | |
| <p>3. Does the organization show proof of 25% funding including viability of other possible funding sources beyond this grant? <i>Example: Has the organization provided solid reference of already obtained 25% funding and do they have a feasible funding strategy? Scoring: More proof of funding is preferred.</i></p> | 15 | | |
| <p>4. Will the cause resonate with attendees of the Foundation’s Fall Fundraiser (local residents, business owners and civic leaders)? <i>Example: How will this project be received by the local community, and will the applicant be able to provide exciting and convincing detail to be shared at our event by mid-August? Scoring: More resonating, “passion project” type of cause is preferred.</i></p> | 25 | | |
| <p>5. Additional Criteria (as applicable)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Is the organization a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization or represented by a legitimate non-profit? <i>(full points if so)</i> ▪ Did the organization submit ALL application materials on time? <i>(full points)</i> ▪ Has this organization received substantial funding (more than \$10,000) from the Golden Civic Foundation within the last 3 years? <i>(less points if so)</i> | 10 | | |
| TOTAL POINTS FROM ALL COMPONENTS | 100 | | |