

2017 Heritage Commission Grants

Heritage and Community Programs, Oregon Parks and Recreation Department

Applicant	Project Description	Grant Request	Grant Award	Match	Overmatch
Abernethy Elementary School PTA	Restore the WPA mural by Erich Lamade titled "A Pageant of Oregon History", in the Old Library of Abernethy Elementary School, Portland.	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$31,274
Astoria Public Library	Organize and develop a plan for the placement, storage and care of the archival collection at the Astoria Public Library.	\$10,850	\$10,850	\$10,960	\$0
Benton County Historical Society & Museum	Assess and treat approximately 100 objects in the Benton County Historical Society collection in preparation for display at the new Corvallis museum.	\$13,000	\$13,000	\$13,000	\$0
Butte Creek Mill Foundation	Restore the Butte Creek Mill in Eagle Point, which was largely destroyed by fire.	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$22,000
Chetco Historical Memorial Committee	Install a replica shell midden berm at the Chetco Indian Memorial site in Brookings.	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$21,095	\$0
Cottage Grove Museum	Upgrade the exhibit treatment and interpretation of the coat worn by Titanic survivor and Cottage Grove resident Marion Wright Woolcott when she was rescued from the Titanic.	\$4,563	\$4,563	\$4,563	\$10,122
Four Rivers Cultural Center	Restore the Harano Neon photography sign and install it in the most prominent site outside of the Harano exhibit gallery at Four Rivers Cultural Center in Ontario.	\$2,186	\$2,186	\$2,200	\$0
Gorge Owned	Produce two podcast audio-documentaries in the Columbia River Gorge region, market the podcast, and develop associated car-free itineraries.	\$14,300	\$14,300	\$14,300	\$5,350
High Desert Museum	Redesign the High Desert Museum's annual Frontier Days program to be more inclusive of Oregon's diverse cultural heritage, deepening students' understanding of and appreciation for diverse cultures and perspectives.	\$16,060	\$16,060	\$16,060	\$2,964
Illinois Valley Community Development Organization	Create and perform an original production about food farm heritage at the Cave Junction Farmers Market.	\$19,980	\$10,989	\$19,980	\$6,550
Linn County Historical Museum	Update the Native American exhibit at the Linn County Historical Museum to focus on the Kalapuya.	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$4,380

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Oregon Historical Society	Develop and implement the Indigenous Oregon History series for Tribes to share history and culture with broad public audiences at a full day program.	\$14,813	\$14,813	\$14,813	\$2,800	
Oregon Jewish Museum	Evaluate a walking tour and complete a planning process to develop an updated tour with added stories and sites exploring South Portland's historic, cultural, ethnic and racial dynamics.	\$8,700	\$8,700	\$8,950	\$0	
Oregon Nikkei Endowment	Digitize, translate and publish on-line two collections; FBI documents from the Koyama Family and 10 special issues of Oregon Nippo a Japanese language newspaper	\$18,728	\$18,728	\$18,764	\$0	
The Vanport Mosaic	Collect and present the history of the NE Portland neighborhood of Albina 1950s-1980s through multimedia oral histories, a new play, and engagement activities.	\$15,658	\$15,658	\$15,658	\$25,642	
Umatilla County Historical Society	Complete phase three of the Umatilla Gold: The History of Wheat in Umatilla County exhibit, including specifications, artifact lists, graphics and AV treatments for the exhibit.	\$10,890	\$10,890	\$10,890	\$0	
University of Oregon	Provide training to the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs to digitize photographs, slides, and scrapbooks that will be annotated by community members and published to the tribes' online, digital collection.	\$17,014	\$17,014	\$17,102	\$0	
Whiteaker Community Council	Conduct 10 oral histories, digitize photos in private collections, and upload these to its website.	\$6,250	\$6,250	\$6,250	\$1,754	
Funded Totals		Number of Applications: 18	\$238,992	\$230,001	\$240,585	\$112,836