

BUILDING COMMUNITIES GRANTS

SEC. 6 APPROPRIATIONS: BUILDING COMMUNITIES GRANTS

2. The sum of \$1,200,000 is requested to be appropriated to the Department of Buildings and General Services for grant programs:

A. Recreational Facilities Grants Program..... \$400,000

The Recreational Facilities Grants Program provides competitive grants to municipalities and non-profit organizations to stimulate the creation and development of recreational opportunities in Vermont communities.

B. Regional Economic Development Grant Program..... \$400,000

The Regional Economic Development Grant program provides competitive grants for capital costs associated with major maintenance, renovation, or planning related to the development of facilities reasonably expected to create job opportunities in Vermont communities.

C. Human Services and Educational Facilities Grants: Human Services \$200,000

The Human Services and Educational Facilities Grants Program provides competitive grants to municipalities and to non-profit organizations for capital costs associated with the major maintenance, and renovation or development of facilities for the delivery of human services and health care needs in Vermont communities.

D. Human Services and Educational Facilities Grants: Education..... \$200,000

The Human Services and Educational Facilities Grant Program provides competitive grants to municipalities and to non-profit organizations for capital costs associated with the major maintenance, and renovation or development of facilities for the delivery of educational needs in Vermont communities.

- The following grants are also in the Building Communities Grant program but are administered by the agency of Commerce and Community Development and agency of agriculture. They are included in the Total Requests below (note from Rebecca)

Historic Preservation Grants	\$400,000
Historic Barns and Agricultural Grants	\$400,000
Cultural Facilities Grants	\$400,000
Competitive Grants Program: Agricultural Fair Capital Projects	\$400,000
Total Request for FY 2018	\$1,400,000
Total Request for FY 2019	\$1,400,000
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