



People's Endowment Announcement of Availability for Spring 2016

The People's Endowment Board at the University of Alaska Fairbanks is pleased to announce the availability of funds for Spring 2016. The People's Endowment was established at the UA Foundation in 1986 with the intent to provide a source of funds for projects that will improve UAF but would likely remain unfunded due to institutional priorities. Grants are intended to be used for a special project or to fill a critical need at UAF. Proposals will be accepted from UAF faculty, staff, and students. All proposals will be submitted to the People's Endowment Board for review and selection.

Deadline: The deadline for receipt of complete proposals is March 1, 2016. Proposals received after 5 p.m. of the deadline date will not be considered. Successful recipients will be notified on the week of March 21, 2016.

Maximum Grant Amount: \$5,000

The board may fund more than one grant depending on available funds and amounts requested. Requests for smaller amounts or partial funding will be considered.

Submission Guidelines:

Proposals must be submitted in the provided template format. Proposals should contain evidence that the funded project will provide a margin of excellence that could provide support or assistance to improve the overall quality or stability of university programs and efforts.

Projects funded through PE from Spring 2012- Spring 2015: Arctic Gardeners, Midnight Sun Writer's Series, Permafrost Literary Journal, the Sikuliaq project, Ethics Bowl, Innocent Eye: The Africa Photographs of Adrina Knutson, The Art of Nunavut-Inuit Tapestries from Baker Lake and Beyond, The Origins of Peace Making Circles Video, Chancellor's Student Food Committee, Kuskokwim Consortium Library project, Modernizing the Collection and Sharing of Southcentral Weather Data and many more.

Examples of projects not likely to receive funding include scholarships or pure research projects, for which there are other funding opportunities available. In general, grants will not fund projects that are part of normal university activities. **The People's Endowment does not fund honorariums, salaries, and consultation service fees to UA employees.**

To apply, you must submit the proposal template provided which includes the following information:

- Title and general description including outline of problem to be solved; how will PE funding fill a critical need or improve UAF?
- Detail of budget requested, including other grants sought and awarded/denied.
- Student groups interested in applying for a grant must include a faculty mentor who will assist in overseeing and guiding the project.
- Applicant contact information, including name, address, phone number and e-mail address, and university affiliation.

Send complete proposals via e-mail to the Provost's office at jahoppough@alaska.edu. Proposals are available online at www.uaf.edu/provost/peoples-endowment. General questions about this grant can be addressed to the Provost's Office at 474-7096 or jahoppough@alaska.edu.

DEADLINE: March 1, 2016



People’s Endowment Grant Application – Spring 2016

Proposal due date: March 1, 2016

Thank you for submitting your project to the People’s Endowment board for grant consideration. Please fill out this form completely and include all necessary attachments. Successful applicants will be notified as soon as possible. **Please note that the People’s Endowment does not fund salary or honorariums.**

Name of group or department requesting funding: _____

Contact name and contact information: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

For student groups, please provide a faculty member contact: _____

Faculty Member Email: _____ Phone: _____

Fiscal Technician Name: _____ Phone: _____

Fiscal Technician Email: _____

Title of project in need of funding: _____

Dates of project: _____

Description of project: (please attach a 2-3 page description of the project as well as the impact it will have on the campus community).

Project budget: (please attach a simple but descriptive budget for this project).

Other sources of funding already secured and amounts: _____

Other sources of funding that have been sought: _____

When submitting proposal, please email to jahoppough@alaska.edu or mail to the following address:

UAF Provost Office
P.O. Box 757580
Fairbanks, AK 99775

Proposals can also be dropped at the UAF Provost Office in Signers’ Hall room 311. For questions, please feel free to contact the Provost Office at 907-474-7096.

People’s Endowment Grant Proposal Spring 2016 Due Date: March 1, 2016