

2024 SEED Grants

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- Received 20 SEED Grant applications requesting \$135,971
 - \$50,000 total funding pool
- SEED Grant Review Team
 - 6 members
 - 3 reviewers per application
- Funding philosophy
 - Try to fully fund fewer applications v. partially fund more applications ("Deeper v. Wider")
 - 6 applications recommended for funding in 2024 cycle

2024 SEED Grant Apps Recommended for Funding

"East Madison Community Center (EMCC) Self-Serve Refrigerated Food Program", East Madison Community Center Corp.

• Up to \$4,200 to fund commercial refrigerators

"Building Capacity and Sustainability of the OutReach LGBTQ+ Community Center Pantry", Outreach, Inc.

Up to \$8,600 to fund infrastructure and inventory costs for food pantry

"Fresh Produce & Culturally-Inclusive Foods for Pick-Up and Delivery", River Food Pantry, Inc.

• Up to \$10,000 to fund expanded access to culturally-inclusive ingredients and produce for underserved communities via the Curbside Groceries, River Delivers, and ePantry programs

"Building Community Through Food", Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Madison and Verona, Inc. (serving as fiscal for Allied Food Pantry)

• Up to \$8,200 to fund food inventory

"Nutritious Food For All", Aldo Leopold School Parent Faculty Organization (fiscal TBD)

Up to \$9,800 to fund new shed and Gardener-in-Residence Program

"Establishing Bayview's Community Garden Plots", Bayview Foundation, Inc.

Up to \$9,200 to fund garden tools and soil