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# 2021 Grant Overview

## Four Grant Types:

- 🌱 Community and Litter
- 🌱 Academic Institutions
- 🌱 Scrap Tire
- 🌱 Market Development

## Eligible Applicants:

- 🌱 Local Governments
- 🌱 Non-profits
- 🌱 Academic Institutions
- 🌱 Businesses, with a Government Sponsor

# Community and Litter Grant

## Groups eligible to apply:

- 🌱 Municipal corporations & counties
- 🌱 Townships & villages
- 🌱 Solid waste management districts or authorities
- 🌱 Park districts
- 🌱 Public health districts & state agencies
- 🌱 Statewide recycling and litter prevention trade organizations
- 🌱 Non-profit organizations

# Eligible Projects

Project Category	Maximum Grant Request	Project Examples <i>examples are illustrative and not all-inclusive</i>
Construction and Demolition Debris (C&DD) Recycling	\$200,000	Systems and individual equipment to collect and process C&DD material at the point of generation or disposal.
Curbside Recycling	\$200,000	Equipment related to the implementation of a new community curbside recycling service or an expansion of an existing program.
Material Recovery Facility Recycling (MRF)	\$200,000	The establishment of a new or expansion of an existing material recovery facility.
Drop-off Recycling	\$100,000	Purchase of equipment for start-up or the expansion of drop-off recycling collection programs.
Recycling Equipment	\$100,000	Equipment for collecting and/or processing a recyclable material (e.g. cardboard, glass, plastic, organics, etc.)
Special Venue Recycling	\$50,000	Recycling collection program targeted at sporting venues and entertainment facilities.
Outreach and Education Training	\$50,000	Creating new or updating current recycling and litter prevention education and training materials.
Litter Clean-up Events	\$40,000	Equipment, materials, and supplies for an on-going litter collection effort. Also, contractual costs associated with the actual collection and disposal costs of material from public land.
Tire Amnesty Collection	\$40,000	Amnesty collection of scrap tires. Applicant is required to charge a \$0.50 minimum fee as part of this grant.
Surveillance Cameras	\$25,000	Surveillance cameras for litter law enforcement efforts.
Sponsorships (Statewide Conferences)	\$3,000	Sponsor statewide recycling and litter prevention conferences that promote environmental efforts and technologies.
KAB Certification Fee	\$4,500	Certification fee for Keep America/Ohio Beautiful.
KAB Annual Renewal Fee	\$550	Renewal fee for Keep America/Ohio Beautiful.

# Academic Institution Grant

## Groups eligible to apply:

- Public and private K-12 schools
- Colleges and universities

# Eligible Projects

Project Category	Maximum Grant Request	Match	Project Examples <i>examples are illustrative and not all-inclusive</i>
Scrap Tire for Civil Engineering/Construction Projects	\$300,000	100%	Using scrap tires for drainage, backfill in construction projects or paving initiatives.
Recycling Equipment	\$100,000	25%	Purchase of equipment for start-up or the expansion of recycling program including organics and glass.
Drop-off Recycling	\$100,000	25%	Purchase of equipment for start-up or the expansion of drop-off recycling collection programs.
Special Venue Recycling	\$50,000	25%	Recycling collection program targeted at sporting venues and entertainment facilities.
Outreach and Education Training	\$50,000	25%	Creating new or updating current recycling and litter prevention education and training materials.
Litter Clean-up Events	\$40,000	25%	Equipment, materials, and supplies for an on-going litter collection effort. Also, contractual costs associated with the actual collection and disposal costs of material from public land.
Sponsorships (Statewide Conferences)	\$3,000	25%	Sponsor statewide recycling and litter prevention conferences that promote environmental efforts and technologies.

# Scrap Tire Grant

## Groups eligible to apply:

- 🌱 Municipal corporations & counties
- 🌱 Townships & villages
- 🌱 Solid waste management districts or authorities
- 🌱 Park districts
- 🌱 Public health districts & state agencies
- 🌱 Statewide recycling and litter prevention trade organizations
- 🌱 Non-profit organizations
- 🌱 Academic institutions
- 🌱 Businesses with a government sponsor

# Eligible Projects

Project Category	Maximum Grant Request	Project Examples <i>examples are illustrative and not all-inclusive</i>
Equipment for Scrap Tire Manufacturing & Processing	\$300,000	Scrap tire operation targeting expansion or upgrades through equipment purchases.
Scrap Tire for Civil Engineering/Construction Projects	\$300,000	Using scrap tires for drainage, backfill in construction projects, or paving initiatives.



# Market Development Grant

Groups eligible to apply:

- 🌱 Businesses with a Government Sponsor

# Eligible Projects

Project Category	Maximum Grant Request	Project Examples <i>examples are illustrative and not all-inclusive</i>
Construction and Demolition Debris (C&DD) Recycling	\$200,000	C&DD operations seeking equipment to pre-process material received at their site of operations.
Manufacturing and Processing Equipment	\$200,000	Manufacturing or processing facilities seeking to expand their capabilities to process base material or manufacture a finished product. Equipment for collecting and processing a recyclable material to be converted into a manufactured product (e.g. cardboard, glass, plastic, organics, etc.)
Material Recovery Facility (MRF) Recycling-Private	\$200,000	A private sector owned and operated material recovery facility seeking funds to expand operational capacity.

# 2021 Funding Criteria

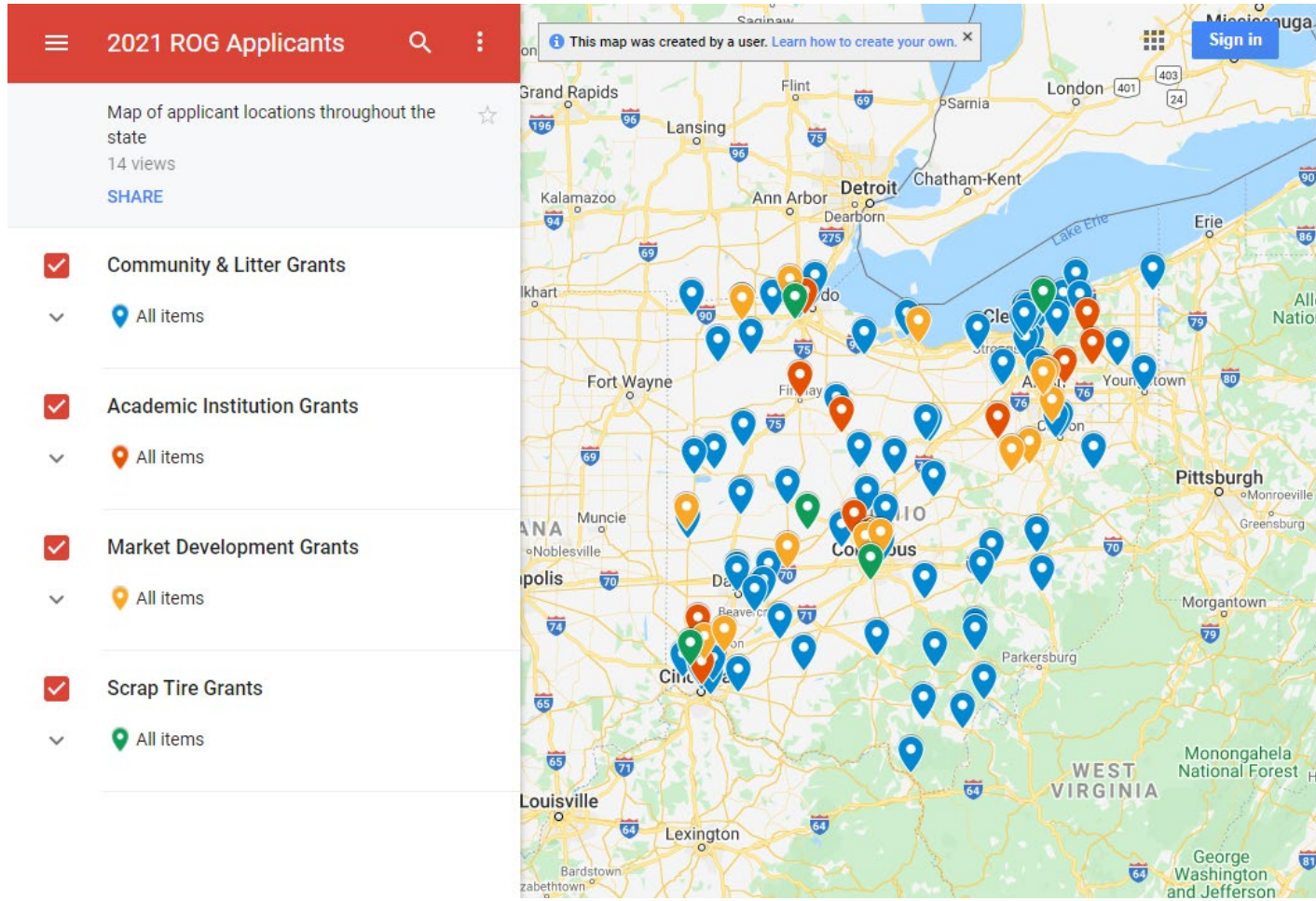
## Eligible applications are based on the following parameters:

- 🌿 Availability of Ohio EPA grant funds
- 🌿 Consistency with the strategic goals of the local and state solid waste management plans
- 🌿 Financial need of the applicant
- 🌿 No outstanding financial or compliance issues with applicant
- 🌿 Positive regional or statewide economic and environmental impact (COVID-19 impact)
- 🌿 Potential for evolution into a permanent service or program without future Agency funding
- 🌿 Cash or Line of Credit match

# 2021 Applications Received

Grant Type	Applicants	Funding Request
Academic	12	\$539,541.00
Community & Litter	83	\$3,611,285.00
Market Development	16	\$2,443,870.00
Scrap Tire	6	\$839,430.00
	117	\$7,434,126.00

# 2021 Applications Received



# 2021 Available Funding Sources

Fund	Amount
Recycling and Litter Prevention	\$3,500,000
Scrap Tire	\$1,000,000
Addition Spending Authority from FY20	\$2,000,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,500,000</b>

# Application Review Timeline

## 2021 Grant Cycle

- 🌿 February – April: Application Review
- 🌿 Late-May/Early-June: Award Announcements
- 🌿 July 1: Grantees Begin Their Projects

2022 Grant Cycle opens November 1, 2021

# Recycling & Litter Prevention Grant Money at Work

In 2018, Ohio EPA's Recycling and Litter Prevention Grant Program awarded **\$2,127,385** in grant funds to local Ohio governments, communities and non-profits, which helped leverage an additional **\$3,830,330** in matching funds to support recycling, litter prevention and education/outreach efforts.





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