



# Office of Outdoor Recreation Grant Programs

The mission of the Utah Office of Outdoor Recreation (OOR) is to ensure Utahns live a healthy and active lifestyle through outdoor recreation. OOR offers three grant programs: Utah Outdoor Recreation Grant (UORG), Recreation Restoration Infrastructure (RRI) and Utah Children’s Outdoor Recreation and Education (UCORE) grant. Through the grants, funding is invested back in Utah’s communities to build outdoor recreation amenities and provide outdoor programs for Utah’s children. For more information please contact Tara McKee (tmckee@utah.gov) or India Nielsen (indianielsen@utah.gov) with questions, or visit [business.utah.gov/uorg](http://business.utah.gov/uorg).

	Utah Outdoor Recreation Grant Program (UORG)	Recreation Restoration Infrastructure Grant Program (RRI)	Utah Children’s Outdoor Recreation & Education Grant Program (UCORE)
<b>Purpose</b>	Funds infrastructure projects that enhance recreational opportunities and amenities in Utah’s communities.	Funds restoration or rehabilitation of developed recreation areas and trails so they can be safely accessed by the public.	Funds programming that provides Utah’s children with outdoor recreation skill-building and nature-focused, hands-on learning.
<b>Funding For</b>	Construction of new outdoor recreation infrastructure.	Restoration or rehabilitation of existing outdoor recreation infrastructure.	Programming for Utah children, ages 6 to 18.
<b>Eligible Applicants</b>	Nonprofit organizations (501c3), local (municipal or county) or tribal governments.	Nonprofit organizations (501c3), local (municipal or county) or tribal governments with appropriate public lands partners.	Nonprofit organizations (501c3), public schools, universities or colleges, local (municipal or county) or tribal governments.
<b>Project Benefits</b>	Projects offer economic opportunities, enhance quality of life, and provide social and health benefits. Outdoor recreation infrastructure projects include trails, boat ramps, archery ranges, mountain bike parks, etc.	Projects help alleviate the backlog of maintenance for outdoor recreation projects on public lands. Areas that receive the highest-visitation will be prioritized, which include trails, campgrounds, day-use areas, water recreation infrastructure, etc.	Programs help provide high-quality, outdoor-focused learning experiences to youth ages 6-18, and teach them the physical skills that can make outdoor recreation part of a healthy and active lifestyle. UCORE complements the state’s Every Kid Outdoors (EKO) Initiative and hopes to provide more opportunities so no child is left inside.
<b>Grant Size</b>	From \$1,000 to over \$150,000	From \$1,000 to \$150,000	Up to \$10,000
<b>Grant Submission Period</b>	January 15 to March 20, 2020	January 15 to March 20, 2020	January 15 to February 20, 2020
<b>Match Component</b>	Given as a 50/50 match. Up to half of the applicant match may be an in-kind match, or 25% of total project.		
<b>Contract &amp; Reporting Requirements</b>	Projects must be completed within 24 months of the date the contract is signed. Funding is given after the applicants spend the monies. Up to 75 percent of the matched monies may be given before completion of the project. Final funding is contingent upon inspection of the completed project. Four progress reports are required throughout the 24 months.	Projects must be completed within 24 months of the date the contract is signed. Funding is given after the applicants spend the monies. Up to 75 percent of the matched monies may be given before completion of the project. Final funding is contingent upon inspection of the completed project. Four progress reports are required throughout the 24 months.	Projects must be completed within 18 months of the date the contract is signed. Partial funding is given after the grant contract is approved and signed by both parties. Post-program reports are required. The remainder of the grant funding is given after submitting the final report and required documents.