



Meeting/Event Grant Application

Requests Must be Submitted Prior to the 1st Tuesday of Each Month to be included in the Chamber of Commerce Executive Board Agenda.

Applications should be mailed to: The Clinton Chamber of Commerce 101 S. 4th St. Clinton, OK 73601.

Organization Applicant Information

Organization/Agency Name: Western Oklahoma Pride		Date: 04/28/2023
Mailing Address: 20 Redbud Way		Phone: 405-517-4783
City: Clinton	State: Oklahoma	ZIP Code: 73601
Year Founded/Established: 2022	Non-Profit: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (Please circle)	Website: www.wokpride.com
Type of Organization/Agency (brief description of activities and primary purpose): We are a group promoting education, advocacy, and visibility of the		
LGBTQIA+ community in Western OK and will host the first Western Oklahoma Pride Festival		

Event/Emergency Contact Information

Event Contact Person: Chris Roland		Title: President
Address: 20 Redbud Way		Phone: 405-517-4783
City: Clinton	State: Oklahoma	Zip: 73601
Email Address: wokpride@gmail.com		2 nd Phone: 580-500-9907

Meeting/Event Information

Name of Meeting/Event: 2023 Western Oklahoma Pride Festival			
Date Event Begins	June 10th, 2023 @ 12:00 pm	Date Event Ends	June 10th, 2023 @ 9:00 pm
Full Description of proposed Fund usage for Meeting/Event (Be specific): Our festival will serve as the perfect venue to unite the small towns of Western Oklahoma and celebrate the diversity of humans who have always been an integral part of our communities. This grant will help fund the activities we have planned for the festival which include live music by 6 local, national, and international recording artists, various special guest speakers, a kid's area which will include bubble machines, sno cones, chalk art, and face painting. We will also feature an open mic area for acoustic performances, poetry and speeches as well as an art show highlighting several bright and upcoming local LGBTQIA+ and ally artists. Lastly, we will have an area for vendors of various merch. and food vendors from across Oklahoma.			
Date of Last Meeting/Event	N/A	Number/Years Previously Received Funds	0
Meeting/Event Funding Amount Requested:	\$10,000		



Meeting/Event Grant Application (Continued)

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Economic Impact

Anticipated Economic Benefit or Impact to the City of Clinton: We are anticipating hundreds of attendees at our festival who will stay, and eat in Clinton as well as shop in our local area stores and gas stations.

Expected Visitor Attendance to Clinton:	500 - 1,000	Local Visitors (within 75 miles)	500-750	Area Visitors (outside 75 miles)	100	Out of State Visitors	100
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Total Expected Number of Hotel/Motel Room Nights Required (# nights x # rooms)	1 night/ 100 rooms	Host Hotel/Motel:
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Overflow Hotels/Motels:

Anticipated Meeting/Event Facilities Required: We have reserved the use of McLain Rogers Park including the amphitheater

Dispersal Information

Name and Address to Appear on Check: **Chris Roland**

Name: Chris Roland

Address: 20 Redbud Way

City: Clinton	State: Oklahoma	ZIP Code: 73601
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Terms

We acknowledge the Organization information included in this application is true and accurate with no facts having been in any way misrepresented.

Should an approved event be CANCELED after the funds have been disbursed, then we, the Organization, agree to repay all funds received within 30 days of the scheduled event or date of cancellation.

Authorized Applicant Signature:	Applicant Title: President
Printed Name: Chris Roland	Application Date: 04/28/2023

Before submitting this request, please ensure all pages have been completed in their entirety and proper signatures are included. If a question is not answered, please state why it is not answered.

Funding Process

The Clinton Chamber of Commerce Executive Board will review all applications during the Executive Session scheduled on the 2nd Wednesday of each month. Once reviewed, recommendations will be presented to the City of Clinton Industrial Authority during 3rd Tuesday regularly scheduled City Council meetings. A representative from the organization requesting funds may be present at the Clinton Chamber of Commerce Executive Board meeting and the Clinton City Council meeting to address any questions or concerns.

Clinton Chamber of Commerce Executive Board Funding Recommendation

Grant Amount Recommended to the Clinton City Council for Final Approval:	\$ 1,000.00	Date: 5/10/23
Signature of Clinton Chamber of Commerce Board Chair or Acting Chair:		Printed Name: Traci Heerwald