



FUNDING CATEGORIES

Interactive Programs

Healing Together

Applicants can: Apply for programming, no direct funding.

Deadline: ~~April 21, 2023~~

Now a rolling deadline closing on June 1st

Will be awarded on first come, first serve basis

Our community has experienced trauma and loss of one kind or another over the past few years. This program will provide resources to help communities heal together through art, music, and dance. Neighborhoods and formal or informal community groups (youth groups, book clubs, communities of interest) are invited to apply for an interactive program offered by one of our partners:

- **Seen** By: Mer Holmes (Creativity Alive)
Inspire creativity and build community with Creativity Alive. This opportunity will allow for healing to happen through music, art, and dance. This program will give preference to our youth and young adults in our community to find healthy ways to heal. Applying to this program will allow for Seen to come to your community. To learn more about Creativity Alive, [Click here](#).
- **Healing Together with Luna Cultura** By: Adriana Paola Palacios Luna (Luna Cultura) Luna Cultura provides a friendly and brave space to share and create socio-cultural experiences. In partnership with the City of Boulder, Luna Cultura will offer:
 - Traditional Folk Mexican-Latin American Art
 - Cooking Art, Science, and Wellness
 - Lighting Up Our Wellness. Electronics, Art, and Tech.
 - Traditional Oral Storytelling
 - MusicTo learn more about Luna Cultura, [Click here](#).
- **The Cultural Hip-Hop 'n' Art Experience** By: Mario Jose (Mi Chantli)
This experience brings education and cultural awareness to under-served communities in Boulder. This will combine indigenous culture, music, art, and dance to create a unique community experience filled with hip-hop, art, break dance, and poetry. To learn more about Mi Chantli, [click here](#).

If interested in applying for the Healing Together program, please [click here](#) to complete the application.



NEIGHBORHOOD RESILIENCE

Applicants can: Apply for programming, no direct funding.

Deadline: ~~May 5, 2023~~



Now a rolling deadline closing on August 1st

Will be awarded on first come, first serve basis.

This grant program will provide help for communities to come together to build skills that promote resilience in your neighborhood. Applicants can choose one of the following facilitators to bring to their neighborhood to learn together, experience something new, and celebrate re-connection after experiencing disasters and the ongoing pandemic. You are invited to apply for an interactive program offered by one of our partners:

- **Natural Highs**

Explore new methods of connection with Natural Highs! To learn more about Natural Highs, click here. Natural Highs will be offering:

1. **AcuDetox/AcuWellness for Stress**, Anxiety & Trauma Relief. This is a 90 minute Community Event. If you would like to see AcuWellness/AcuDetox in action you can check out this video on AcuWellness/AcuDetox” that was featured as part of Boulder Community Hospital’s “Be Well” Video Series for the Boulder Community:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y9zCUckLjl>
Avani G. Dilger, LPC, CAS, AAT, ADS-RT, AcuDetox Specialist & Registered Trainer, 303-859-5778, www.Boulderacudetox.org
2. **How to Turn Anxiety into your Superpower** The Neuroscience of Stress, Anxiety & Trauma and Brain hacks for Resilience with Avani G. Dilger, LPC, CAS, AAT, ADS-RT 90-120 ninety to one hundred twenty (90-120) minute Community Presentation (incl. including FREE AcuDetox/AcuWellness if desired)
3. **Philosophy Circles for Connection & Inspiration** – 90 minute Community Event. will introduce you to the Yerba Mate ritual from Argentina that is a powerful way of connecting with others and has many health benefits. We will host one of our beloved Philosophy Circles, which is a format that allows for deep, meaningful conversation between friends, neighbors, and/or strangers.

If interested in applying for the Neighborhood Resilience program, please [click here](#) to complete the application.



Rolling Deadline Grant Programs



BLOCK PARTY FUND

Request amount: up to \$700

Deadline: Eight weeks prior to event

Block parties are a great way to meet your neighbors and build positive relationships! Neighborhood Services encourages block parties with up to \$700 of financial support. Enhance your celebration with catered refreshments, kid-friendly activities, or live music. Apply at least eight weeks before your party date. When approved, grants are distributed within 30 days after request approval. Please be aware that applying for this grant is for funds only. Additional applications are necessary for a block party permit.

For Block Party permitting: Block Party Permits | City of Boulder (bouldercolorado.gov)

*Note: Grant funds cannot be used to purchase alcohol or marijuana products.

If interested in applying for a Block Part Grant, please [click here](#) to complete the application.

SPARK GRANT FUND

Request amount: up to \$3,000

Deadline: Ten weeks prior to event

Neighborhood Services encourages you to get creative and build community with a Spark Grant of up to \$3,000. Spark grants can support events, skill-building programs, youth Engagement/programs, place-making, and other ideas to bring your neighbors together. Place-making can be projects that bring assets to your neighborhood that encourages gathering and positive experiences. Examples of previous Spark Grants include: Neighborhood Little Libraries, doggie waste stations, community event series, and the list goes on! Please be aware that if you are interested in permanent place-making assets in your community may require additional permitting with the City of Boulder or an HOA.

If interested in applying for a Block Part Grant, please [click here](#) to complete the application.



NATURE CONNECTION PARTNERSHIP GRANT FUND

Request amount: up to \$1,000

Deadline: 8 weeks before the project start date



Bring your neighborhood to the outdoors! The Nature Connection Grant works in partnership with City of Boulder Open Space and Mountain Parks, and encourages applicants to organize their community and find positive and responsible ways of using our trails. Funds are designed to provide tools/equipment/refreshments needed for applicants to enrich their experience and encourage greater access to our trails. This program will prioritize applicants from OSMP Programs and Explorando Senderos de Boulder.

If interested in applying for a Nature Connection Partnership Grant, [please click](#) here to complete the application.



Reimbursement Grant Programs



NATIONAL NIGHT OUT REIMBURSEMENT GRANT

Request amount: up to \$300

Deadline: TBD

Join Boulder Police and Fire for a nationwide Block Party night on Tuesday, August 1, 2023. Host a party in your neighborhood and we will request a friendly visit from police officers and firefighters and even City Council members if you wish. Check back for more details and registration. In addition to the resources listed, Neighborhood Services will help pick up the tab for your National Night Out event! We will reimburse up to \$300 of your expenses with event registration, receipts, and a simple reimbursement form.

*Note: Grant funds cannot be used to purchase alcohol or marijuana products.

If interested in National Night Out Reimbursement fill in check box listed on registration form. Registration will be available in June.

Invitation Only Grant Programs

MANUFACTURED HOME COMMUNITY GRANT

Request amount: up to \$3,000

Deadline: Available by invitation only

Neighborhood Services recognizes the additional challenges of community-building in manufactured home communities and dedicates funding to support these efforts. If you are part of a manufactured home community and have questions, please contact Edgar Chavarria, Neighborhood Liaison at 303-441-1895 or chavarriae@bouldercolorado.gov

