

## Heritage Fund applications are due soon

The Smoky Valley Community Foundation is **now accepting** applications for grant awards from its Heritage Fund, due **no later than April 15, 2009.**

To be considered, grants **are to** benefit Lindsborg and/or the **wider Smoky Valley.**

The City of Lindsborg has **partnered** with Smoky Valley Community Foundation to establish the **SVCF Heritage Fund** — a fund “to support the work of the local community in enhancing, strengthening, and promoting the heritage of

the Smoky Valley.”

Applications to the SVCF for Heritage Fund grant awards are **accepted once a year**, currently during March through April 15. Applications **are not** accepted outside the **grant cycles.**

Grants are made to charitable organizations **with 501(c)3 designation**, or to individuals, groups, or others that are requesting funding for a charitable project that celebrates the heritage of the Smoky Valley.

Eligible grants are to benefit the

greater good of the population of the community, and **are restricted to** benefit the Smoky Valley.

Preference for award recipients will be given to new and innovative grant requests, according to SVCF co-chairs Barry McMillian and Bill Roth.

Application forms with instructions are posted on the SVCF website at [www.smokyvalleycf.org](http://www.smokyvalleycf.org). There is a limit on additional pages, and no supplemental materials such as brochures, support letters, annual reports, etc. will be accepted.

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