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CITY OF KEARNEY **PRESS RELEASE** ***For Immediate Release***

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Special Community Betterment Grant Application Period Open!

The City of Kearney, in partnership with the Keno Application Advisory Committee, is proud to announce the new Special Community Betterment Grant Program. This is a one-time pot of money that is being made available, the application period is officially open now and due by 11:00 am on October 31, 2025.

The Special Community Betterment Awards are community development grants with no match that are available to local not-for-profit organizations with a maximum award of \$25,000. The program is funded by unique one-time receipts to the City of Kearney that are being used to give back to the community. The maximum amount of funds being made available for this application period is \$216,000.

We ask that you navigate to the City website located at <https://www.cityofkearney.org/communitybetterment> to access the application and program parameters.

If you have any questions about the grant program, please contact Brian Schultz, Director of Finance, via email at bschultz@kearneygov.org or (308)-233-3213.

Check out our web site at www.cityofkearney.org.

We are sending this News Release as a service to the news media and citizens of Kearney.