

1. Applicant: Traveling Children's Museum  
Grant Award: \$800.00  
Description: Vern and Connie Eastburn are both retired teachers. They used a federal Teaching American History grant in 2007 to create and outfit the Traveling Children's Museum , bringing engaging history-based activities to classrooms in Lane County. Three rural school districts are targeted with this grant (Siuslaw, Mapleton, and Blachly). Personnel turnover in the last seven years has made desirable renewed awareness of the TCM programs, materials and wide range of lesson plans. Grant monies will be used for a new TCM brochure and one demonstration visit to each of the targeted school districts between March and June, 2014.
2. Applicant: Springfield Museum  
Grant Award: \$885.00  
Description: The Springfield Museum proposes to add a Ken Kesey exhibit to its permanent gallery. The purpose of the exhibit is to focus on Kesey's whole life, much of it lived in the Springfield area, not just his more well-known counter-cultural activities. Why Kesey? Because he is Springfield's best known resident, present or past. Photographs will be sought from Ken's mother (Geneva), son (Zane) , and daughter (Sunshine). UO honors student Kyle Schwartzlander, completing his thesis project on Kesey's Jail Journals, will write the text and Sterling Graphics will produce the interpretive panel (72" l x 66" h).
3. Applicant: Siuslaw Pioneer Museum  
Grant Award: \$2,500.00  
Description: This project will begin the digitization and preservation of the photographic and artifact collections. Project monies will go for the purchase of software and equipment: Past Perfect museum collection software, a digital scanner, and light kit for artifact photography. Beyond preservation, the digitization of these materials will allow use of the materials online.
4. Applicant: Ft. Umpqua Muzzleloaders  
Grant Award: \$250.00  
Description: This modest request allows display table rental for nonprofit organizations, and educational and children's materials at the 2014 Frontier Heritage Fair, Feb 14-15, at the Lane County Fairgrounds. Some of the planned displays: 8 tables for Dr. Leland Gilson, Salem, of Oregon prehistory and materials; educational tables for Donald McKenzie and Donald McKay materials; blacksmithing tools; 1<sup>st</sup> Minnesota Volunteer Infantry (Civil War); Elkton Community Education center (Ft. Umpqua); Applegate Trail; Bohemia Gold Mining Mseum; Hudson's Bay Company materials; Lane County Historical Society.
5. Applicant: Cottage Grove Historical Society  
Grant Award: \$1,000.00  
Description: The grant will result in a new tri-fold color brochure detailing an Opal Whiteley tour route for Cottage Grove area visitors indicating where she lived and what she wrote about. A print run of 1,000 brochures is planned to be ready for the 2014 tourist season. Alice

Christianson will design the brochure and oversee production; grant funds are to be used only for the printing phase.

6. Applicant: Springfield Public Library

Grant Award: \$1,200.00

Description: The *Springfield News* published from 1907-2006. But the successor papers, *The Springfield Beacon* and *The Springfield Times* have never been microfilmed. Project monies would be used to acquire microfilm of the issues of the two successor papers, beginning in December 2006. The University of Oregon will do the microfilming. Library best practice is to do digital scans from microfilm copies; digitizing the newspapers is beyond the scope of this grant award.

7. Applicant: Eugene Japanese American Memorial

Grant Award: \$865.00

Description: This grant award is designed to help authors Lisa Ponder and Alice Endo Aikens begin the process of creating a publication to record the history and stories related to the Eugene Japanese American Memorial, from its inception to visitor experiences and reactions. The internment of Japanese Americans on the West Coast touched many lives and the local impact has not been well documented. This project is time sensitive in that many potential human sources of information are increasingly passing from the scene.

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Total 2014 Awards: \$7,500.00

Budgeted Amount: \$7,500.00