



Agriculture and Rural Development

Rural Development Fund Grants

Overview

The Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development provides grant opportunities to promote the sustainability of land-based industries and support infrastructure that benefits rural communities.

[Learn about the Michigan Rural Development Fund Board](#)

Grant Program Status

The 2023 Grant Cycle Request for Proposals closed on November 22, 2022.

Grant Documents

[2023 Rural Development Fund Grant Guidelines](#)

[Rural Development Fund Fact Sheet](#)

[Rural Development Fund Grants Informational Brochure](#)

Proposal

Release Request for Proposals	October 3, 2022
Informational Webinar	October 19, 2022 at 11am EST
Proposals Due	November 22, 2022 at 3pm EST

JEC

Evaluation Meeting

January 12, 2023 at 8am EST

Award

Announce Award Funding

March 2023

Dashboard

[Interactive Dashboard: MDARD Rural Development Grant Program](#)

Reports

[2023 Rural Development Grant Recipients \(PDF\)](#)

[2022 Rural Development Grant Recipients \(PDF\)](#)

[2021 Rural Development Grant Recipients \(PDF\)](#)

[2020 Rural Development Grant Recipients \(PDF\)](#)

[2019 Rural Development Grant Recipients \(PDF\)](#)

[2018 Rural Development Grant Recipients \(PDF\)](#)

Questions

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