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**ENDERLIN AREA COMMUNITY ENDOWMENT FUND
ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS**

Enderlin, ND – The Advisory Committee of the Enderlin Area Community Endowment Fund is currently accepting applications for its 2017 grant round. The committee is seeking projects that improve the quality of life for residents of Enderlin, Sheldon, Alice and Nome. Applications are available at www.ndcf.net/enderlin and must be returned to First State Bank of North Dakota, Enderlin by April 15, 2017.

Eligible recipients include any organization with a 501(c)3 tax designation or any entity with an official relationship to local government, such as a park district, school or city. If an organization is currently planning a community project, but does not have the proper tax status, a fiscal sponsor may be used to accomplish the project.

The Enderlin Area Community Endowment Fund was created in 2015 by a committee of residents representing each of the communities. Advisory Committee members have been working over the past two years to build the balance in the endowment. Only income generated from the permanent fund is used to award grants.

Questions regarding the Enderlin Area Community Endowment Fund or the application process can be directed to Tracy Ekeren at tracyekeren@yahoo.com.