

CCRR Guidelines for Faculty Grants:

- 1) Proposed research must involve issues of public policy, broadly defined, that include interaction with community groups, agencies or organizations. Titles of some current and recently funded projects include:
 - Evaluation of the San Marco Housing Project;
 - Design and Evaluation of Data Analysis: Crime Prevention and Control in Duluth;
 - Bringing Wind Power to Local Communities
 - Stormwater Planning Initiative Project: Stormwater Management Planning Guide Website Featuring ARC IMS Website Tool;
 - Interactive Mapping and Natural Resource Data Website for Hartley Nature Center, Duluth, Minnesota;
 - Community Assessment Partnership: Regional Indicators Project;
 - Dental Access Research Project
- 2) Research projects that have strong potential to result in research publications in academic journals are encouraged.
- 3) Proposed research must be conducted in cooperation with a community group, agency or organization in the Duluth region.
- 4) A UMD faculty member must supervise the project.
- 5) Proposed research must include student researchers. The goal is to provide hands-on, practical experience to UMD students, therefore extending the classroom beyond the walls of UMD.
- 6) Typical amounts of funding have ranged from \$2000 to \$6500, but other amounts can be considered. Proposals for projects that include matching monies (excluding in-kind matches) from organizations are strongly encouraged, but matching monies are not a requirement. Awards generally cover salary for research assistants, small stipends or travel monies for faculty, and necessary supplies not covered by the University.
- 7) Proposals must be submitted to the director as WORD files attached to an email.
- 8) At the close of a research project, a final report (in the form of a WORD or PDF file) must be submitted to the center director. This file will become part CCRR's online report library.