



Grant In Aid (GIA) Form

Project Title: Johnson County 4-H Shooting Sports Program

Project Type: Youth Development (8-18) learn & compete in various disciplines at the local, state & national level.
Waterhole/Transplant/Habitat/Research/Education/Other (Explain)

Affiliate: University of Wyoming Extension
Outfitter Organization/BLM/Game & Fish/Forest Service/Other (Explain)

Location of Project: Buffalo on weekly basis with outreach to Kaycee, Clearmont, and Arvada - various other competition venues.
State/Territory/Area

Description Of Project:
Johnson County 4-H Shooting Sports offers opportunities for youth to learn and practice a variety of shooting sports skills.
Youth are given instruction by screened/ certified volunteers in shotgunning, riflery, archery, pistol, black powder, and wildlife ID.
Weekly practices culminate in a county-wide shoot & statewide 4-H Shoot to showcase the skills acquired during the season.
Youth also compete at various shooting events such as the Wyoming and National Youth Hunter Education Challenge.

Problem to be Solved:
The Johnson County 4-H Program is dependent upon small community fund raising events which leads to uncertainty on support levels.
Youth enrollment has doubled in each of the last 2 years, so the need for new equipment & ammunition has increased.
The potential for continued growth is tremendous and a safe shooting environment with updated equipment & ammo is essential.

Describe How You Propose Solving Problem:
This proposal request to the WY Wild Sheep Found. would ensure a steady stream of income.
With the current Midway USA match to youth shooting programs, your investment can be tripled
By establishing a 4-H endowment, JC shooting sports would be able to operate on the interest.
Investing now for the future our new shooters would stabilize the program thru leader changes

BIOGRAPHY OF APPLICANT

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Are you a current member of WY-WSF? X **Yes** **No**



	Cost to be funded by WY-WSF Grant	Cost to be funded by other cooperators
Equipment.....	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 17,000.00
Services.....	\$ _____	\$ _____
Permanent, full time salaries will not be considered		
Publishing.....	\$ _____	\$ _____
Monitoring.....	\$ _____	\$ _____
Supplies.....	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Please itemize then total		
Other (Specify).....	\$ _____	\$ _____
Totals	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 18,000.00

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS PROVIDING FINANCIAL AID OR SUPPORT OF THE PROJECT (Include any pending amounts applied for.):

WGF Commissioner Pete Dube - License \$13,000
Sheridan /Johnson County Pheasants For - \$1,000.
Johnson County 4-H Council - \$4,000

ENDORSEMENT: I hereby agree to abide by the stated requirements of a WY-WSF grant. I also understand all WY-WSF funding stipulations and will provide all necessary reports if I receive a grant from WY-WSF.

Signature of Applicant

James T. Dawson

Title UWE 4-H Youth Development Educator

Date April 27, 2107

MEDIA CONTACTS: Please list one or more media sources in your area that we may contact with details of your project:

- 1) Bighorn Mountain Radio Network - Buffalo WY - Mark Wilson
- 2) Buffalo Bulletin - Buffalo WY - Rob & Jen Hicks
- 3) Johnson County 4-H web page, Facebook page & monthly newsletter
- 4) University of Wyoming Extension - web page, Facebook page & news releases

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