

MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF COMMENCE

Montana Historic Preservation Grant Program
Grants Awarded During Past Biennia
(data as of August 30, 2024)

This report lists the Montana Historic Preservation Grant (MHPG) program construction grants awarded in past biennia, as required by 22-3-1306, MCA. These grants fund support public or private entities with the preservation of historic sites, historical societies, or history museums. MHPG is administered by the Community MT Division under the Montana Department of Commerce.

Program information is located on the website at: https://commerce.mt.gov/About/Boards/Montana-Historic-Preservation-Grant.

MHPG Construction Projects Awarded in the 2025 Biennium							
Grantee	County	Project	Award	Funds	Status/Expected	Biennium	House
Grantee	County	Type	Amount	Expended	Completion Date	Awarded	Bill
Buses of Yellowstone Preservation Trust, Inc.	Carbon	Museum	\$136,366.00	\$74,214.59	3 rd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Homeword, Inc.	Yellowstone	Site	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	Completed	2025	HB 12
Cine Billings dba Art House Cinema	Yellowstone	Site	\$236,000.00	\$0.00	4 th Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Southwest Montana Area Revitalization Team	Fallon	Site	\$135,299.24	\$118,552.34	Completed	2025	HB 12
Billings Depot, Inc	Yellowstone	Site	\$414,400.00	\$14,400.00	3 rd Quarter 2026	2025	HB 12
Blackfeet Tribe of the Blackfeet Indian Reservation	Glacier	Museum	\$500,000.00	\$234,352.96	3 rd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Eslick Properties, LLC	Dawson	Site	\$116,000.00	\$116,000.00	Completed	2025	HB 12
Montana Heritage Commission	Madison	Site	\$141,250.00	\$0.00	2 nd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Copper Village Museum and Arts Center	Deer Lodge	Museum/Site	\$235,000.00	\$0.00	3 rd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Daly Mansion Preservation Trust	Ravalli	Site	\$100,000.00	\$0.00	2 nd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
City of Deer Lodge	Powell	Site	\$283,500.00	\$0.00	2 nd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12

SGS Properties, LLC	Phillips	Site	\$221,590.00	\$3,422.10	2 nd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Fort Peck Fine Arts Council	Valley	Site	\$500,000.00	\$50,000.00	3 rd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Garfield County	Garfield	Museum	(\$400,000.0 0)*	\$0.00	Withdrew	2025	HB 12
City of Great Falls	Cascade	Site	\$250,000.00	\$0.00	1 st Quarter 2026	2025	HB 12
City of Harlowton	Wheatland	Site	\$375,000.00	\$0.00	4 th Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12/HB 5
Havre Beneath the Streets, Inc.	Hill	Site	\$359,672.00	\$103,590.00	3 rd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Montana Heritage Commission	Madison	Site	(\$166,073.0 0)*	\$0.00	Withdrew	2025	HB 12
Friends of Historic Hotel Libby	Lincoln	Site	\$173,659.00	\$173,659.00	Completed	2025	HB 12
Project49	Park	Site	\$392,277.00	\$20,314.00	3 rd Quarter 2026	2025	HB 12
Friends of the Historical Museum at Fort Missoula	Missoula	Museum	(\$175,200.0 0)*	\$0.00	Withdrew	2025	HB 12
Hockaday Museum of Art	Flathead	Site	\$31,000	\$0.00	3 rd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Town of Joliet	Carbon	Site	\$83,000.00	\$34,374.50	1 st Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
75 Park Street, LLC.	Silver Bow	Site	\$500,000.00	\$0.00	2 nd Quarter 2026	2025	HB 12
Homeword, Inc.	Missoula	Site	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	Completed	2025	HB 12
Miles City Convent Keeps Inc.	Custer	Site	\$119,688.00	\$91,799.30	4 th Quarter 2024	2025	HB 12
Miles City Elks Lodge #537	Custer	Site	\$200,000.00	\$0.00	1 st Quarter 2026	2025	HB 12
Bighorn Valley Health Center, Inc.	Custer	Site	\$500,000.00	\$0.00	4 th Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Miracle of America Museum	Lake	Museum	\$70,351.00	\$70,351.00	Completed	2025	HB 12

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Original Montana Club Cooperative Association**	Lewis & Clark	Site	\$90,040.00	\$0.00	Has not met start- up conditions	2025	HB 12
Billings Preservation Society, Inc.	Yellowstone	Museum	\$500,000.00	\$383,125.04	2 nd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
National Museum of Forest Service History	Missoula	Museum	\$300,000.00	\$0.00	3 rd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Homeword, Inc.	Fergus	Site	\$100,000.00	\$48,850.00	3 rd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Paris Gibson Square Museum of Art	Cascade	Site	\$300,979.00	\$292,708.00	1 st Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Petroleum County	Petroleum	Site	\$498,720.00	\$43,611.95	1 st Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
The Ringling Commons, LLC.	Meagher	Site	\$141,773.00	\$68,735.00	3 rd Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Community Health Care Center, Inc., dba Alluvion Health	Cascade	Site	(\$400,000.0 0)*	\$0.00	Has not met start- up conditions/Termina ted	2025	HB 12
Red Lodge Area Community Foundation	Carbon	Site	\$367,578.00	\$78,358.29	1 st Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
City of Shelby	Toole	Site	\$5,600.00	\$5,600.00	Completed	2025	HB 12
Stillwater County	Stillwater	Site	\$500,000.00	\$456,332.71	1 st Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Cascade County Historical Society	Cascade	Museum	\$340,000.00	\$337,027.00	1 st Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12
Yogo Mansion, LLC.	Fergus	Site	\$270,000.00	\$0.00	3 rd Quarter 2026	2025	HB 12
ClarDan, LLC.	Silver Bow	Site	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	Completed	2025	HB 12/ HB 5
Glacier National Park Conservancy	Flathead	Site	\$493,200.00	\$0.00	4 th Quarter 2025	2025	HB 12

Total Appropriated 2025 Biennium	
(HB 12)	
*Returned Awards	\$1,141,273.00
Total Awarded*	

*Garfield County declined their award for the Garfield County Museum; Montana Heritage Commission returned their award for the Hickman House; Friends of the Historical Museum at Fort Missoula returned their award for the Historical Museum at Fort Missoula; and Community Health Care Center, Inc., dba Alluvion Health's contract was terminated as they did not meet the start-up requirements. The declined, returned, and terminated awards returned reduced the total awarded by \$1,141,273.00.

**Original Montana Club Cooperative Association sold the Original Montana Club and the new owners intend to request approval from the Legislature to reassign the 2025 biennium award.

Geographic Distribution of MHPG 2025 Biennium Awards



