



State of South Carolina Request for Contribution Distribution

This form is designed to collect the information required by South Carolina in accordance with Proviso 117.21 of the appropriations act of 2022 and Executive Order 2022-19. This form must be submitted to the state agency that is providing the contribution for the designated organization. The state agency providing the contribution should use this form to collect information from the designated organization. The information must be collected from the designated organization before the funds can be disbursed.

Contribution Information		
Amount	State Agency Providing the Contribution	Purpose
\$1,250,000.00	P280 - Department of Parks, Recreation, and Tourism	Downtown Streetscape for City of Dillon

Organization Information	
Entity Name	Dillon Community Alliance
Address	408 E Cleveland St
City/State/Zip	Dillon, SC 29536
Website	dilloncommunityalliance.org
Tax ID#	87-3444457
Entity Type	Nonprofit Organization

Organization Contact Information	
Contact Name	Stephanie Mitchell
Position/Title	Executive Director
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Plan/Accounting of how these funds will be spent:		
Description	Budget	Explanation
Removing all current landscaping and replacing with new	\$90,000.00	Most of our current green trees, shrubs and trees are partially
Removing side planters that currently take up parking spaces.	\$100,000.00	remove concrete edging, trees, plantings, mulch, electrical, and
Create the city seal in colored concrete at the intersection of our Festival Place area.	\$250,000.00	This is going to require extensive engineering for strength of
Kinetic wind art sculpture	\$75,000.00	This artwork will have to be commissioned by a metal artist, then
Change angle of street parking	\$20,000.00	This will involve working closely with DOT for approvals, closure
Create safe crosswalks with side walk bumpouts	\$50,000.00	We will add at least two crosswalks in our public event area,
Renovations of Visitors Center	\$120,000.00	This is to add public restrooms to our newly acquired building
Purchase new/additional/seating/benches/tables and trashcans	\$75,000.00	We need additional trash cans on both our Main St and at our
Metal Archway for South Plaza Entrance	\$100,000.00	Large informational entrance arch for our South Plaza Park/Event
Metal Archway for Railroad Ave North Entrance	\$100,000.00	Large informational entrance arch for our South Plaza Park/Event
Cleaning of sidewalks	\$20,000.00	Pressure washing of all sidewalks within our downtown area
Landscape Utility Vehicle	\$17,000.00	This is required for maintenance/watering of the flower baskets
Storm Water Drainage Engineering	\$100,000.00	This is for engineering fees only for flooding issues in downtown.
Hanging business signs for uniformity	\$33,000.00	We will purchase the hangers and sign blanks for each building to
Purchase baskets and flowers for light poles	\$100,000.00	We will add flower baskets to our city light poles to enhance the
Grand Total	\$1,250,000.00	

Please explain how these funds will be used to provide a public benefit:

We will provide a public benefit with these funds by making our Main Street area a more welcoming place by providing art in the form of both the sculpture and the archway signs. Improving the aesthetics of the area will make it more inviting for the public as well as business owners, and hopefully encourage new building upgrades and new business to join Main Street. We have at least two events monthly in The South Plaza and the public restrooms will provide required restrooms for our public events held at our South Plaza. This will also save the city money over time since we currently have to rent restrooms for every event. Current landscaping is in poor health-either dying or already dead. Flowers have been shown to improve foot traffic in tourist/shopping areas. Everything we have requested will benefit the public by increasing pride of community and hopefully increase economic investment as well.

Organization Certifications

- 1) Organization hereby gives assurance that no person shall, upon the grounds of race, creed, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which this organization is responsible.
- 2) Organization certifies that it will provide quarterly spending reports to the Agency Providing Contribution listed above.
- 3) Organization certifies that it will provide an accounting at the end of the fiscal year to the Agency Providing Contribution listed above.
- 4) Organization certifies that it will allow the State Auditor to audit or cause to be audited the contributed funds.

Stephanie Mitchell
Organization Signature

Executive Director
Title

Stephanie Mitchell
Printed Name

11/9/22
Date

Certifications of State Agency Providing Contribution

- 1) State Agency certifies that the planned expenditure aligns with the Agency's mission and/or the purpose specified in the appropriations act of 2022.
- 2) State Agency certifies that the Organization has set forth a public purpose to be served through receipt of the expenditure.
- 3) State Agency certifies that it will make distributions directly to the organization.
- 4) State Agency certifies that it will provide the quarterly spending reports and accounting received from the organization to the Senate Finance Committee, House Ways and Means Committee, and the Executive Budget Office by June 30, 2023.
- 5) State Agency certifies that it will publish on their website any and all reports, accountings, forms, updates, communications, or other materials required by Proviso 117.21 of the appropriations act of 2022.
- 6) State Agency will certify to the Office of the Governor that it has complied with the requirements of Executive Order 2022-19 by June 30, 2023.

Duane Parrish
Agency Head Signature

11/14/2022

Date

Duane Parrish
Printed Name