



INTERAGENCY GRIZZLY BEAR COMMITTEE

Date: October 9, 2020

To: IGBC IEO Subcommittee Chairs, Agency Wildlife Managers, NGO's and other Interested Parties

From: Lori Roberts, IGBC IEO Chair

Subject: Request for Proposals for IGBC IEO Funding – FY2021

The Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee (IGBC) budgeted \$36,000 dollars for FY2021, to distribution among the six grizzly bear recovery ecosystems to fund projects and/or programs that reflect the roles and responsibilities of the Information, Education and Outreach (IEO) Subcommittee.

- Disseminate consistent messages about grizzly bears
- Promote effective actions and techniques to increase human safety and decrease the likelihood of bear-human conflicts.

Proposals are due to the IEO Ecosystem Chairs by November 6, 2020.

For more information and to download a submission form, visit <http://igbconline.org/for-educators/information-education-grants/>

Please submit proposals directly to the IEO Chair depending on which ecosystem you are requesting fund for. If the proposal will benefit all ecosystem submit that proposal to Lori Roberts.

Bitterroot Ecosystem: Amy Baumer – amy.baumer@usda.gov – 208-756-5145

Yellowstone Ecosystem: Danielle Oyler - Danielle.Oyler@mt.gov – 406-581-6452

North Cascades Ecosystem: Denise Schultz – denise_m_shultz@nps.gov – 360-854-7302

Northern Continental Divide Ecosystem: Dillon Tabish – dillon.tabish@mt.gov – 406-751-4564

Selkirk Ecosystem and Cabinet-Yaak Ecosystem: Wayne Kasworm – wayne_kasworm@fws.gov - 406-293-4161 ext.205

Proposals that benefit all ecosystems: Lori Roberts, IEO Chair – lroberts@mt.gov – 406-751-4581

Please be as specific as possible with a short description of your project and the amount you are requesting using the attached criteria and submittal form. Additional pages may be attached as needed. The proposals will be reviewed by a selection committee and funding will be decided on those proposals that demonstrate the most need and best use of funds for grizzly bear conservation and reducing human-bear conflicts.

If you have any questions, please contact Lori Roberts at 406-751-4581.

