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**To: Carla Vita, Director Office of Energy Transition**

**From: Mike McCrownsey, Grants Specialist Coordinator, Office of Energy Transition**

## RE: Community Energy Transition Grant

The Office of Energy Transition received $10m from the Legislature during the 2023 section for the Community Energy Transition Grant program. The Office of Energy Transition rolled out the first round of the Community Energy Transition Grant in October 2023. Four (4) applicants submitted proposals for the grants, two applicants were awarded the CET grants. The City of Granite Falls received $750,000 for the City’s Industrial Park/City East Side Watermain. The City of Fergus Falls received $640,250 for the City’s Old Lumber Yard Workforce Housing Project.

The second round of the CET grant for state fiscal year 24 is expected to resume soon. The Office of Energy Transition will inform the eligible impacted communities when the second round of the grant is opened.

Preparations are currently on going for the state fiscal year 25 grant announcement.