



# *Grand Lodge Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Nebraska*

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GRAND MASTER

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Brethren:

It gives me great pleasure to announce that the Grand Lodge will offer grants available to lodges for use in renovation and improvements to their infrastructure. There will be three grants available in 2020: one for \$1000 and two for \$500. I encourage your lodge to participate in this program. An application form is attached for your review and submittal.

The criteria:

1. A lodge must participate in a fund raising activity that raises either \$1000.00 or \$500.00 of **new** monies. They must then be used toward your lodge improvement project(s). It is imperative these be **new** funds from a **new** fund raising activity for a **new** project. For example, if your lodge has raised funds for and installed a new furnace in the past, that project would not qualify for the purposes of applying for the grant.
2. The grants must be used by the lodge for renovations and/or improvements to your lodge facilities.
3. Applications will be reviewed and recommended by a three-person committee and approved by the Grand Master, to be awarded at Annual Communication in February 2021. The criteria will include consideration of innovative fund raisers and use of the funds.
4. Grant applications must be received at the Grand Lodge no later than December 31, 2020.

I encourage your lodge to participate in this program. It is my hope it will help your lodge make much needed improvements to its infrastructure.

Questions may be directed to Michelle at the Grand Lodge Office at (402) 475-4640.

Fraternally yours,



**M.:W.:B.: Ronald D. Stites**  
Grand Master of Masons in Nebraska



# GRAND LODGE OF NEBRASKA 2020-21 LODGE RENOVATION GRANT APPLICATION



Lodge Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Lodge Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### Person Completing Application:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe the fund raising activity undertaken by the lodge, including a reconciliation of the amount raised and how it differed from lodge fund raising activities in previous years.

Describe how the funds raised by your lodge were used and how this was different from prior year activities:

Describe how your lodge will use the \$1000 or \$500 grant. Please be specific as to the project and estimated costs. Attach supporting pictures and documents, if desired:

- \$1000 Request
- \$500 Request

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional pages can be attached if more room is needed.

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DECEMBER 31, 2020.**

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