

South Central Dakota Regional Council

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Small towns require ongoing technical support to develop and implement development strategies, plans and projects related to community infrastructure, entrepreneurship, housing, childcare, workforce development/attraction, housing, tourism, philanthropy and more.

This funding would:

- Implement existing and recent comprehensive economic development strategies developed every five years by regional leaders by increasing staff capacity.
- Create regional partnerships to address shared issues.
- Provide technical assistance to develop plans, projects, secure funding, and implement.
- Seek professional development to enhance skills and capacity to create innovative solutions.
- Create rural/urban alliances.
- Maximize the state's prosperous times to rise all areas of the state.

Sincerely,

Traci Redlin
Executive Director

