

GRADE

Grants to Replace Aging Diesel Engines

Application Form

July 2018

Use this form to apply for a grant to replace on-road heavy-duty diesel vehicles or non-road diesel equipment. The grant will reimburse a portion of the cost to purchase and replace the entire vehicle or equipment. To be eligible for grant assistance, the equipment identified for replacement must be in proper working order; and for non-road equipment, must be used for construction of highways in the Charlotte region. The vehicle or equipment must have operated at least 75% of the time over the past year in the following counties: Cabarrus, Gaston, Iredell, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Rowan, Union, and York; and the new vehicle or equipment must continue to operate within these counties. **If selected** to receive grant funding, the existing vehicle or equipment must be permanently destroyed. Please see the "Project Guidelines" document on the GRADE website (www.GRADEplus.net) for more information. **Your application must be submitted on or before August 31, 2018.**

Circle Your Project Type:

On-road HD Vehicle

Nonroad Equipment

Applicant

Company

Address

Phone Number

Project Manager

Title

Email

Phone Number

Authorized Official

Title

Description of Applicant's Business

Describe your company's size, location, and type of work usually performed.

Description of Project

Describe the equipment being replaced, including locations where it is used and typical work it performs.

Funding

Vendor quotes and itemized invoices will be required if award is granted.

Total Project Cost (Line D on next page) _____

***Funding Requested _____

***You can request reimbursement of the cost in line D up to 25%.

(OVER)

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Required Project Information	Original Engine	New Equipment/Engine*
Equipment Description (i.e. loader, semi-truck, etc.)		
Equipment Make		
Equipment Model / Model Number		
Equipment Model Year		
Engine Make		
Engine Model / Model Number		
Emission Tier (Nonroad)/Gross Vehicle Weight (On-road)		
Engine Model Year (may differ from equipment year)		
Engine Horsepower		

* Final assembly of new equipment/engine must take place in America per federal Buy America requirements

Cost to the Applicant	
A. Purchase price of new vehicle or equipment. (Including sales taxes and delivery charges)	\$ _____
B. Scrappage value of old vehicle or equipment (default \$1000)	\$ _____
C. Value of any other financial incentives (e.g. tax credits or other grants)	\$ _____
D. Cost to the Applicant (D=A-B-C)***	\$ _____

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Location of Equipment Activity	
Indicate the percentage of time the vehicle will be used in each eligible county.	
_____ Cabarrus, NC	_____ Mecklenburg, NC
_____ Gaston, NC	_____ Rowan, NC
_____ Iredell, NC	_____ Union, NC
_____ Lincoln, NC	_____ York, SC
_____ 0%	_____ Total time within region*

* must total at least 75%

Equipment Operation	
Current total mileage or hours on old vehicle/equipment	_____
Anticipated annual miles or hours of operation of new vehicle/equipment	_____
Estimated life in years of new vehicle/equipment	_____

Authorized Signature	
_____	_____
Signature	Date
_____	_____
Printed Name	Title

Send completed applications to:
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