The Ed & Joyce Creske Family Foundation Fund is designed to continue the philanthropic legacy of Ed and Joyce Creske in the community that they have always called home.

The Creske family roots are deeply grounded in the Mosinee community. Four generations of the family have graduated from Mosinee High School, with another generation well on its way. Ed and Joyce built a career on creating and growing two successful businesses—Wausau Tile and Imperial Industries—that continue to have a strong family presence and employ hundreds of individuals from the community.

This family fund is a way for the Creske’s to give back to the community and the people that have been good to them during their lifetime.

WHAT WE LOOK FOR

Requests for funding are limited to charitable organizations that serve central Wisconsin in Lincoln, Marathon, and Portage Counties. Preference will be given in the review process to charitable causes that directly affect the community of Mosinee.

WHAT WE DO NOT GENERALLY FUND

- Annual campaigns
- Operating expenses or losses
- Debt retirement
- Endowments
- Direct support of individuals
- Lobbying
- Sectarian causes

If you have questions prior to submitting an application, contact Sue Nelson, program officer at (715) 845-9555 or sue@cfoncw.org.

SNAPSHOT

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

The Foundation utilizes an online grant management system to accept applications electronically, review the applications, track the recipient’s progress, and accept final reports.

Application link: https://cfoncw.org/grants-scholarships/community-grants/

APPLICATION DEADLINE

First business day of September

APPLICATION REVIEW & NOTIFICATION

Once your application is electronically submitted, you will receive an email notification that it has been received. The proposal will then be forwarded to the advisory committee for review.

The Community Foundation of North Central Wisconsin will notify applicants once a decision has been made.

FOLLOW UP REQUIREMENTS

Recipients are asked to acknowledge the gift as a grant from the Ed & Joyce Creske Family Foundation Fund.