The Mid Wisconsin Foundation Legacy Fund was established within the Community Foundation of North Central Wisconsin when the Mid Wisconsin Foundation was dissolved in 2013 as a result of the bank's merger with Nicolet Bank.

An advisory committee reviews applications and makes recommendations to the board of directors of the Community Foundation regarding grant distribution annually.

**WHAT WE LOOK FOR**

Requests for funding are limited to tax-exempt organizations that serve Wisconsin communities where Mid Wisconsin Bank once operated:

- Abbotsford
- Colby
- Eagle River
- Fairchild
- Medford
- Minocqua
- Neillsville
- Phillips
- Rhinelander
- Rib Lake
- Rib Mountain
- Wausau

Requests are limited to support the following focus areas:

- Health and human services
- Community, cultural, and economic development
- Educational and vocational programs
- Environmental enhancement

Only requests for specifically identified items or programs will be considered.

**WHAT WE DO NOT FUND:**

- Political or strictly religious purposes
- Churches, schools, or political groups
- Individuals
- Organizations that receive state or federal funding

Applications will not be accepted from organizations that have received a grant in the previous year.

It is recommended that applicants discuss their idea with Foundation staff prior to submitting an application. Contact Sue Nelson, program officer, at (715) 845-9555 or sue@cfoncw.org.