

Applicant/Location	Program Type	Tax Credit Amount	Project Description
Hope Within Ministries, Inc. - Londonderry Township, Dauphin County	NAP	\$49,999	<p>The goal of this project is to improve health outcomes by increasing early access to mental healthcare through a facility expansion. With additional behavioral health space, existing space will be available to additionally expand primary healthcare services. Hope Within intends to increase access to mental health and primary health services by completing a 624 square foot expansion, making room for additional practitioners and increasing organizational capacity to serve more individuals and families. The project objectives are: Complete field septic system assessment and determine best course of action should remediation be needed; Complete construction of 624 square foot addition; Install network cables during construction to network and configure a new phone system, computers and printers for the new counseling wing; Increase access to mental health services and serve a more individuals and families; Increase primary health care services and number of individuals served; Raise additional funds for additional upgrades and personnel costs in order to make the new counseling wing operational; Recruit, interview & select Counseling Interns and Psychologist Fellow a few months prior to completion of construction.</p>
YWCA of York - York, York County	NAP	\$31,900	<p>YWCA York seeks approval of its Neighborhood Assistance Program (NAP) tax credit application in the amount of \$58,000 for the period of July 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019. The project focuses on providing safety and essential services to vulnerable populations in the City of York by aiding community economic development through crime and violence prevention and securing the spaces where our agency delivers neighborhood conservation programs that address the needs of low-income individuals. The vision for the project is to enhance safety measures to protect the individuals we serve through our victim services work, child and youth programs, racial and social justice outreach, and aquatics and yoga offerings. In the coming year, our agency must purchase and install a new security system, which will include surveillance cameras and technology to restrict certain locations without appropriate permission. All of these features are needed to prevent intruders and/or abusers from gaining access to children and victims in our care. NAP funds will help make it possible enhance safety measures at 7 of our locations. In particular, the costs include expenses to remove and install a new security system with cameras inside and on the perimeter of buildings, along with monitoring equipment for cameras. The security will include access software that will let only authorized people in the building and limit access when in the building as appropriate.</p>

<p>Crispus Attucks Association - York, York County</p>	<p>NPP 3/6</p>	<p>\$337,500</p>	<p>In year 3, we will continue renovations to 22 – 30 W Boundary Ave transforming the 5 small row houses into 2 large five bedroom homes and an additional 2 bedroom home. The work is being done by our charter school students. They have learned a lot about construction and structural engineering. The dilapidated original condition of the properties provided ample opportunities to evaluate building techniques and the importance of following blueprints exactly. The students will also finish renovations to 625 South Duke St into 2 apartments. We will continue renovations to our 138 housing rental units serving 325 residents. New compressors, caulking the parking deck, and other repairs will occur at the Greenway Tech Centre, the site with most of our neighborhood jobs. Building repairs and parking lot resurfacing at all of our lots will make the area more attractive for commercial tenants to fill vacant space and bring jobs to the neighborhood. This year we plan to rehab 15 existing housing units for our low-income tenants. This may include roofs, plumbing, electrical, and other needed improvements. We are also planning to completely eliminate lead-based paint from 2 units in cooperation with the City of York. Our charter school students will continue the reconstruction of 5 dilapidated row houses. We are also looking to major renovations to 2 additional units making them available to new tenants. Crispus Attucks continues to offer employment training to youth, adults, and seniors through a variety of programs. This year we anticipate having 190 residents complete job training with 20 of them securing full time work and 50 securing part time work. Our two major commercial buildings will receive needed improvements to retain the 600 jobs on our campus. HVAC and parking improvements at the Greenway Tech Centre and at the Loretta Claiborne Building will improve the appearance and comfort of our tenants keeping jobs here.</p>
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YWCA York - York, York County	NPP 5/5	\$187,500	<p>The City of York, Pennsylvania is struggling on a number of fronts, combating issues such as high unemployment, low performing schools, struggling property values, high crime rates, and strapped municipal budgets. Crime continues to be a prevalent issue in the Royal Square block and the immediate surrounding areas. In particular, the 100 block of East College Street has become a prominent location for illegal activities at the site of a city owned recreation facility, Voni B Grimes Gym. In the past, the gymnasium was a point of pride for residents. Named for a prominent community leader, the building has been a symbol of all that can be accomplished through commitment and hard work. Today, the property has become an ideal environment for criminal activities. The Royal Square Project seeks to remedy this problem by partnering with the City in an effort to restore the Voni B Grimes Gym back into a highly impactful health and wellness recreation center that offers free programs. Now in the final phase of our work with the Voni B Grimes gym, the space is becoming a gathering point for generational residents and new young professionals. YWCA York will work to address the safety and crime rates in Royal Square by facilitating the rehabilitation of the community space on the Voni B Grimes gym property. The playground, pavilion, and basketball courts are in disrepair from years of use and neglect. Trees on the property provide cover for illicit activities, which has converted the community space into a haven for crime. The City of York, in partnership with YWCA and Royal Square Development, will reclaim the property for our City's children and families. The plan involves the following projects: 1) addressing needed repairs in basketball court, 2) building a new pavilion where community can gather, 3) and creating 2 playgrounds equipped with age appropriate equipment—one for toddlers and the other for school-age children, 4) finalize work to the gym interior</p>
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<p>Y Community Development Corp. - York, York County</p>	<p>NPP 5/5</p>	<p>\$150,000</p>	<p>We will continue the success of years one, two, three, and four and also of the previous five year NPP project in the first block of N. Newberry Street and in the 600 block of West Princess Street. Security will be enhanced even further by the installation of a large window overlooking a large portion of the area from the YMCA. In collaboration with the City of York, a community neighborhood urban park will be built where an antiquated warehouse stood. This warehouse was demolished in last year's NPP. Approximately 25 affordable housing units will be sustained by the project. The following statements are outcomes of what the project will produce in the 2018-19 NPP year - A safe residential area where parents drop-off and pick up children who are in child care and who come to play in the newly created urban park will be created. - Pedestrian links where neighborhood residents can safely walk to successful redevelopment activities throughout the West End Neighborhood will be enhanced. - A community neighborhood urban park where youth can safely play without fear in a well-lit, quality environment will be built - Collaboration with the West of Codorus Business Improvement District and the Salem Square Community Association will continue so as to create neighborhood identity. - 25 existing affordable housing units will be sustained to continue to provide safe, clean, and affordable housing for neighborhood residents. In the fifth year of the NPP project, the YCDC is proposing to use funds for the construction of a new neighborhood urban park. The area surrounding the park consists of the YMCA and a mix of affordable and market rate housing, both rental and homeownership. Funds will also be used to sustain 25 units of affordable housing. Installation of a large window for security purposes that overlooks the neighborhood will only serve to further enhance the safety of neighborhood residents as they use the new pedestrian links throughout the community. In addition, funds will be used to cover costs associated with staff time to maintain and manage the projects. Additional costs will include fees for consultants, insurance, and auditing.</p>
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<p>Community Action Commission - Harrisburg, Dauphin County</p>	<p>SPP</p>	<p>\$35,625</p>	<p>Community Action Commission seeks Neighborhood Assistance Tax Credit through the Special Program Priorities to complete corridor improvement projects to stabilize retail corridors in the South Allison Hill community as part of a strategy to spur economic and residential growth in the surrounding areas. The main corridors in South Allison Hill are identified as Market Street, Derry Street, 13th Street, and 17th Street. Beyond connecting this low-income neighborhood to downtown Harrisburg and surrounding municipalities, the corridors also directly connect to interstate 83. They are often the only impression a potential investors and a large amount of commuters coming to and from the city have of the neighborhood. Currently, all corridors have basic repair needs including missing areas of brick on sidewalk areas, cracked mortar that allows weed growth and creates an overall unkempt appearance, and overall lack of identity to attract foot traffic and new businesses. This project will address inhibiting factors to increasing property values and economic growth in collaboration between Capital Region Water (CRW), the City of Harrisburg (City) and local businesses such as Harrisburg Wall and Flooring. Building on existing partnerships with CRW and the City to enhance the streetscape and infrastructure, this project will enhance community impact. This proposal will repair 7 blocks of brick sidewalk areas on Derry, Market, and 13th Streets; replace 75 outdated and damaged pole banners on Market, Derry, 13th and 17th Streets, and engage residents in community art projects on 9 large planters on 1300-1500 blocks of Market Street. This work is in alignment with our Business Façade Improvement Program which focuses on Derry and Market Street, our collaboration with CRW and the City to improve pedestrian safety and streetscape on Derry Street, and the City's MulDer Square project along Derry and Mulberry Street adjacent to our project.</p>
<p>Lycoming-Clinton Counties Commission for Community Action (STEP), Inc. - Lycoming & Clinton Counties</p>	<p>SPP</p>	<p>\$37,500</p>	<p>The STEP Healthy Home Initiative will allow 15 homes, which would have otherwise been deferred to be weatherized and/or rehabbed through existing funding sources available through STEP's Housing Initiatives. The majority of the homes forced to be deferred have health, safety, and/or indoor air quality issues. In these cases, weatherization and/or housing rehabilitation services cannot be provided until the issues have been addressed and remediated. STEP evaluates if the issues can be covered by other active funding sources within STEP's Housing Initiatives. If no funding is available, the home will not receive the rehabilitation and weatherization services it needs. The STEP Healthy Home Initiative will utilize the NAP SPP contributions to complete health, safety, and other indoor air quality issues that are not permissible under other funding sources. Once these issues are remediated, the job can then be completed under existing grant funding within STEP's Housing Initiatives.</p>

<p>Lycoming-Clinton Counties Commission for Community Action (STEP), Inc. - Williamsport, Lycoming County</p>	<p>SPP</p>	<p>\$33,750</p>	<p>The Lycoming County Supportive Housing Program was developed from data analyzed through the 2018 Lycoming County Comprehensive Plan and 2012 Housing Impact Study, which identified a number of housing and housing-related, long-term, chronic issues. Lycoming County developed a holistic housing strategy including six major initiatives. The Supportive Housing Program (SHP) is one of the six initiatives and is focused on assisting renters in danger of being evicted, homeowners in danger of foreclosure, and homeless county residents (sheltered and unsheltered) to secure stable housing arrangements. Beyond stabilizing their housing, SHP works to build families' social and economic capacity so that they can be self-sustaining beyond the end of their time in the program. The Supportive Housing Program (SHP) is administered by the Lycoming-Clinton Counties Commission for Community Action (STEP), Inc. on behalf of Lycoming County. STEP's Service Navigation staff identify and address issues impeding individuals and families from becoming self-sufficient. Beyond immediate housing needs, other goals focus on underlying issues that led to housing instability, including education, employment, transportation, budgeting, child care, health care, etc. Customer success is evaluated and documented regularly through goal plans and self-sufficiency matrices. Appropriately identified customers may be eligible for monetary assistance for expenses such as rent, mortgage payments, security deposits, and even utilities. Referrals are accepted from community partners as well as through self-referrals. The program will provide assistance to a minimum of 40 families. STEP will utilize 2 FTE to operate this high-demand program.</p>
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<p>Nittany Paper Mills, Inc. - Granville Township, Mifflin County</p>	<p>EZP</p>	<p>\$150,000</p>	<p>Nittany Paper Mills, Inc. is planning installation of a continuous rewinding manufacturing line to speed production and capacity for its Industrial Use market. The installation of this line requires the purchase of four new pieces of equipment to automate and streamline production. The Company has placed a down payment on the main piece of the Line with delivery and integration anticipated in fourth quarter 2018. The Amica Unica-Valley Tissue Packaging system is projected to increase sales 25% for the Granville Township Mifflin County based Company and require the addition of 10 employees to operate and maintain. The Company has secured financing for a significant portion of the purchase and is seeking additional financing to assist with cash flow, working capital, and line of credit draws. The equipment will be installed at the present leased facility in the Mifflin County Industrial Development Corporation Plaza located at the former American Viscose manufacturing center. Nittany Paper Mills, Inc. plans to utilize the \$500,000 available tax credit to maintain strong cash flow for the continued growth and automation of the Company. Once the Amica Unica-Valley Tissue Packaging line is fully operational, the Company projects additional employment of at least 10 individuals with a payroll impact of \$274,560/year and a total investment of \$3.44 million in new equipment. Payroll rates for the three shifts are competitive at a per hour starting wage of \$15.00 for rewind operators, and \$12.00 for unwinders and packers. One additional maintenance position at a starting wage of \$15.00/hour will also be required. With the addition of this Line, the Company anticipates the elimination of several positions utilizing mainly unskilled laborers, carrying a higher injury and turnover rate yet resulting with a net 10 employees. The integration of this Line will double the throughput of any existing Lines allowing the Company the potential to reach new customers.</p>
<p>Central PA Food Bank - Blair, Bradford, Centre, Clearfield, Columbia, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Huntingdon, Juniata, Lancaster, Lebanon, Lycoming, Montour, Northumberland, Perry, Tioga, & York Counties</p>	<p>CFP</p>	<p>\$851,181</p>	<p>An innovative approach to this problem that the Food Bank developed to reach beyond the walls of brick-and-mortar pantries are two mobile pantry programs, Fresh Express and MilitaryShare. The Food Bank will provide more than 7.3 million pounds of nutritious food, including fresh produce and dairy, to 33,000 food insecure individuals monthly via our mobile distribution programs at 96 sites in Central Pennsylvania. By providing charitable food services in distressed areas, mobile distributions contribute to the overall health and well-being of our food insecure clients and their neighborhoods. The Food Bank will accomplish this project through the procurement and distribution of nutritious food items throughout central Pennsylvania. This food will be distributed via mobile pantries throughout distressed areas in central Pennsylvania to food insecure families, children, seniors and veterans. The expected outcomes of this project are: 96 sites served, 7.3 million pounds of nutritious food distributed, 3.5 million pounds of fresh produce provided, 33,000 people reached, 1,800 SNAP applications facilitated.</p>

<p>The Salvation Army Harrisburg - Harrisburg, Dauphin County</p>	<p>CFP</p>	<p>\$30,250</p>	<p>For decades, The Salvation Army's food pantry operations consisted of providing bags of grocery staples to people in need via an intake process based on income eligibility and address. While client records and surveys indicated and continue to indicate that The Salvation Army serves a population with significant need, an assembly line, one size fits all approach is no longer feasible or effective at addressing the multitude of needs presented by clients. The Salvation Army is transitioning the traditional food pantry model to provide access to additional resources and opportunities to serve people in a more holistic, comprehensive manner and uphold the dignity of a more diverse, ever-changing client population. The Program will feature: Choice Shopping, Increased Access to Fresh Foods, Recipe of the Month Meal Kits, Supplemental Lunch and Ready-to-Eat Bags, Personal Hygiene and Household Products, Nutrition Education and Connection Opportunities, Equipped Kitchen. Funding through the Neighborhood Assistance Program - Charitable Foods Program will support The Salvation Army's transition from a traditional food pantry service to an innovative Choice Shopping & Nutrition Education Pantry Program.</p>
<p>New Hope Ministries - Dillsburg, Dover, & Hanover, York County; Hampden Township & Lemoyne, Cumberland County; New Oxford, Adams County</p>	<p>CFP</p>	<p>\$190,000</p>	<p>In the coming year, New Hope expects to: Distribute 45,000 separate food orders to 9,000 households. Distribute 28,000 orders of fresh produce to 9,000 households. Connect 1,000 households to hunger alleviation resources such as SNAP and WIC. Hire one new part time employee to help manage food program operations based out of the West Shore Center, and expand the part-time food coordinator position at Hanover Center to full-time status. Provide monthly nutritional education classes and nutritional information at each point of contact to develop nutrition and food planning skills. Offer food assistance from six fixed food program locations. Expand new mobile food pantry model to reach greater pockets of at-risk populations in rural communities. Increase weekend backpack food program to under served schools within service area where free and reduced meal program youth and families are at-risk for going hungry.</p>
<p>York County Food Bank - York, York County</p>	<p>CFP</p>	<p>\$82,500</p>	<p>The Charitable Food Program funding will allow YCFB to streamline its processes, improve its efficiency, expand its capacity, and increase emphasis on the provision of fresh, healthy food. Specifically, funding will allow YCFB to: Increase the amount of nutritious food distributed through its Food Security Network and the Food for Families, Senior Box, and/or expand Emergency Food Vouchers programs. Implement new data-driven initiatives, such as the Mobile Food Pantry, Pop Up Produce Markets, and the Hunger Hotline which are specifically designed to address hunger needs throughout the county. Improve infrastructure to support distribution efforts and enhance resources provided. Maintain and enhance the quality of food distributed, with increased emphasis on fresh food distribution, as prioritized in Setting the Table, A Blueprint for a Hunger-Free Pennsylvania. Achieve additional agency partnerships across York County.</p>