Clinton
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Meeting/Event Grant Application

Requests Must be Submitted Prior to the 1st Tuesday of Each Month to be included in the Chamber of Commerce Executive Board Agenda.
Applications should be mailed to: The Clinton Chamber of Commerce 101 S. 4th St. Clinton, OK 73601.

Organization Applicant Information

Organization/Agency Name: Clinton Roundup Club			Date: 6-23-25
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1553			Phone: (580) 445-5541
City: Clinton	State: OK		ZIP Code: 73601
Year Founded/Established: 1947	Non-Profit: (Yes) No (Please circle)		Website: Facebook Page

Type of Organization/Agency (brief description of activities and primary purpose): Striving to preserve our Western heritage by hosting our annual Rodeo & hosting riding / roping events throughout the year

Event/Emergency Contact Information

Event Contact Person: Chris Weil			Title: Vice President
Address: P.O. Box 1541			Phone: (580) 445-5541
City: Clinton	State: OK		Zip: 73601
Email Address: Cweil@elmersmithoil.com			2nd Phone:

Meeting/Event Information

Name of Meeting/Event: Clinton Pro Rodeo

Date Event Begins	July 18, 2025	Date Event Ends	July 19, 2025

Full Description of proposed Fund usage for Meeting/Event (Be specific):

Please see atterhment

Date of Last Meeting/Event	6-10-25	Number/Years Previously Received Funds	4	Meeting/Event Funding Amount Requested:	$ 5,000=

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Meeting/Event Grant Application (Continued)

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Economic Impact

Anticipated Economic Benefit or Impact to the City of Clinton:

Visitors coming do town to shop, dine at restaurants & attend the Rodeo

Expected Visitor Attendance to Clinton:	3500	Local Visitors (within 75 miles)	2500	Area Visitors (outside 75 miles)	750	Out of State Visitors	250
Total Expected Number of Hotel/Motel Room Nights Required (# nights x # rooms)	35	Host Hotel/Motel:					

Overflow Hotels/Motels:

Anticipated Meeting/Event Facilities Required:

Dispersal Information

Name and Address to Appear on Check: Clinton Roundup Club

Name: Clinton Roundup Club

Address: P.O. Box 1553

City: Clinton | State: OK | ZIP Code: 73601

Terms

We acknowledge the Organization information included in this application is true and accurate with no facts having been in any way misrepresented.

Should an approved event be CANCELED after the funds have been disbursed, then we, the Organization, agree to repay all funds received within 30 days of the scheduled event or date of cancellation.

Authorized Applicant Signature:		Applicant Title:	Vice President
Printed Name:	Chris Weil	Application Date:	6.23.25

Before submitting this request, please ensure all pages have been completed in their entirety and proper signatures are included. If a question is not answered, please state why it is not answered.

Funding Process

The Clinton Chamber of Commerce Executive Board will review all applications during the Executive Session scheduled on the 2nd Wednesday of each month. Once reviewed, recommendations will be presented to the City of Clinton City Council during 3rd Tuesday regularly scheduled meetings.

A representative from the organization requesting funds may be present at the Clinton Chamber of Commerce Executive Board meeting and the Clinton City Council meeting to address any questions or concerns.

Clinton Chamber of Commerce Executive Board Funding Recommendation

Grant Amount Recommended to the Clinton City Council for Final Approval:	$ 5,000	Date:	7-9-25
			MARK Nicholson
Signature of Clinton Chamber of Commerce Board Chair or Acting Chair		Printed Name:	

The Clinton Roundup Club will be hosting an IPRA Rodeo (International Pro Rodeo Association) this summer. This will be our 2nd consecutive year to bring in a professional rodeo to Clinton. In doing so, we would like to do as much as possible to continue to make this one of the best rodeos we have brought to Clinton. The Clinton rodeo will be on July 18th and 19th. The Clinton Roundup Club would like to apply for the event grant to help us bring as many spectators and visitors to Clinton as we can for this year's rodeo. Over the winter we have added a new announcer stand and brand-new bucking chutes to our arena. We are in the process right now of replacing all the pens that support the new chutes. Our club is very excited to have our 1st rodeo with all the new additions we have made. The club would like to request $5,000 to help with the following expenses:

- Posters and banners to advertise at Clinton businesses and throughout the rodeo grounds
- Local newspaper advertisements
- Local and non-local radio station advertisement
- Give away t-shirts for advertising
- Digital advertising

Since we are bringing in a professional rodeo, more contestants from out-of-town and out-of-state will attend. We also moved the date from our normal last weekend of July to a weekend with less competing rodeos and events happening in hopes of attracting more competitors. The Clinton Roundup Club wants this even to be as enjoyable and entertaining as possible to keep people coming back year after year. Additionally, we hope this 2-day professional event will continue to promote tourism in the town of Clinton with contestants, spectators, and rodeo families returning each year.