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Neighborhood Improvement Program (NIP) Grants

Neighborhood Improvement Program grants are designed to encourage neighborhoods and groups to join together to carry out projects of value and importance to their neighborhoods and the community-at-large.

The primary goal of this City program is to help build the sense of *community* within, and across, Hayward neighborhoods.

Grants from \$50 to \$5,000 are awarded to fund eligible projects.

The City has been divided into four (4) areas as shown on the NIP Map. Grants are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis until the dollar limit for each area is expended.

Projects must:

- Benefit the greater neighborhood and/or Hayward community residents,
- Meet minimum safety requirements,
- Not be in conflict with existing City or other public policies, regulations, or procedures.
- Not duplicate existing private or public programs
- Help strengthen a sense of community within and/or across Hayward neighborhoods.

Types of projects funded include, but are not limited to:

- Neighborhood beautification and/or safety improvements to public property and common neighborhood/community areas.
- Neighborhood clean-up.
- Emergency preparedness.
- Other neighborhood-based projects that contribute to the public's benefit.

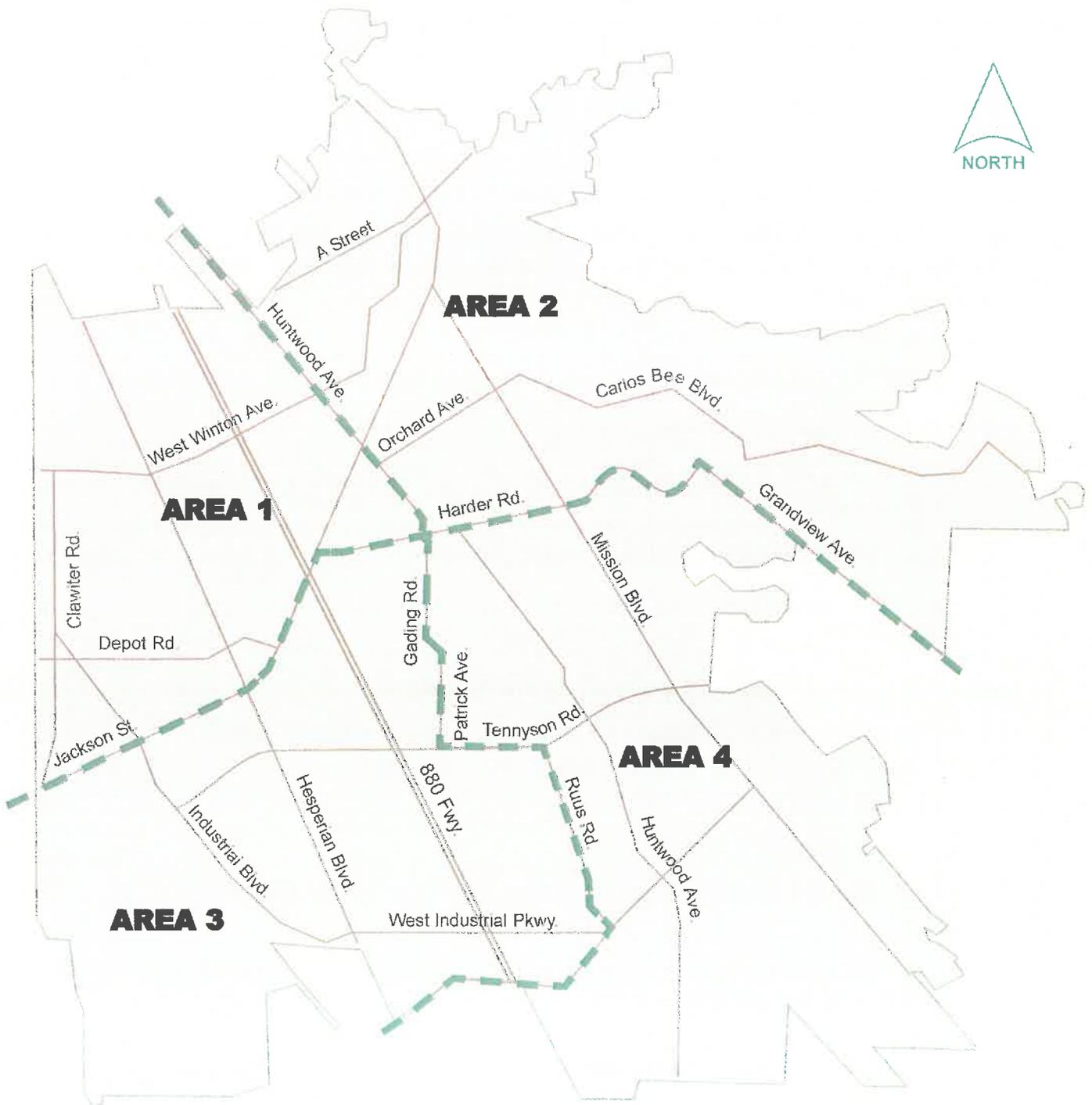
Improvements to private property owners and / or a select few individuals or households are not eligible.

To apply, complete the NIP application and send or deliver to:
(and/or for more information, contact)

Hayward City Hall - Office of the City Manager - Neighborhood Services
777 B Street, Hayward, CA 94541-5007

Tel: 510/583-4300 Fax: 510/583-3601 TDD: 510/247-3340

Neighborhood Initiatives Program Area Map





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NIP APPLICATION FORM

Please attach additional pages as needed to fully answer each question

Please re-state the question prior to each response.

1. Application Submission Date: _____
2. Name and Contact Information of Applicant: Primary Contact Person: _____,
Tel. _____, Email: _____.
3. Name of Project / Activity: _____
4. Please describe the group that is requesting NIP Grant funding, including the number of people involved with your group, and the number involved with this particular project. Please be prepared to show evidence that demonstrates that group members are committed to implementing the proposed project.
5. Please describe your proposed neighborhood/community improvement project and explain how this will benefit your neighborhood and/or the greater Hayward community.
6. Where will the project / activity be located, and when will it take place?
7. How much will the entire project / activity cost, and what portion are you seeking from the NIP Grant Program? (Please attach an itemized (detailed) budget that describes what specific goods or services will be purchased with NIP Grant funds) .
8. How will the project be planned and completed?
9. Please attach your group's plan for ongoing maintenance of the project (if applicable). Applications for physical improvements / construction must include drawing of the proposed project and a map of the project site (Google type maps are acceptable).
10. If this request is for an ongoing project, event, or activity, please describe your group's plans for continued funding.

For more information and/or assistance, please contact:

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