

EL POMAR FOUNDATION

December 2021 Regional Grant Announcements

The following document is a collection of nine press releases sent by El Pomar Foundation to media outlets in rural regions across Colorado in January of 2022. The press releases highlight grants approved at El Pomar's December 2021 Trustee meeting.

Founded by Spencer and Julie Penrose in 1937, El Pomar Foundation has an established legacy of general purpose grant making throughout the state of Colorado. The competitive process remains the Foundation's primary vehicle for organizations to receive funding, which accepts applications on a rolling basis. Additionally, over the last 80 years, El Pomar has either developed or been entrusted with the stewardship of a number of other funds, as well as presenting Trustee merit grants. Since 2003, El Pomar's Regional Partnerships program has also provided invaluable support to 11 regions encompassing the entire state of Colorado, representing all 64 counties, led by more than 70 community leaders on regional councils, in an effort to increase impact and establish connections throughout the state.

For more information about El Pomar's grant making, please <u>visit our website</u> or contact Erin Hannan, Vice President of Communications, with specific questions about these announcements at <u>ehannan@elpomar.org</u>.