Beyond Idea Grant Information Session

SOUTH DAKOTA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Housekeeping Items

- Participants are on mute when they join the call.
- Staff will be monitoring the chat box for any questions you may have.
- We have reserved time at the end for questions.
- We will record this webinar and have it available on our website.

Meeting Purpose

Meeting Participants will have a better understanding of...

- SDCF grant programs
- Grant program eligibility
- The Beyond Idea Grant program
- SDCF's Online Grant Portal

About SDCF

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SDCF Grant Programs

- South Dakota Fund
- Nonprofit Savings Accounts
- Community Savings Accounts
- Beyond Idea Grants

Who can apply?

- Nonprofit or Charitable Organizations/Units of Government
  - Fiscal Sponsor
- Verified Tax ID# as defined by the IRS
  - 501(c)(3) Status
- Projects must take place in South Dakota

South Dakota Fund

Areas we support:

- Culture
- Economic Development
- Education
- Financial Literacy
- Health
- Human Services

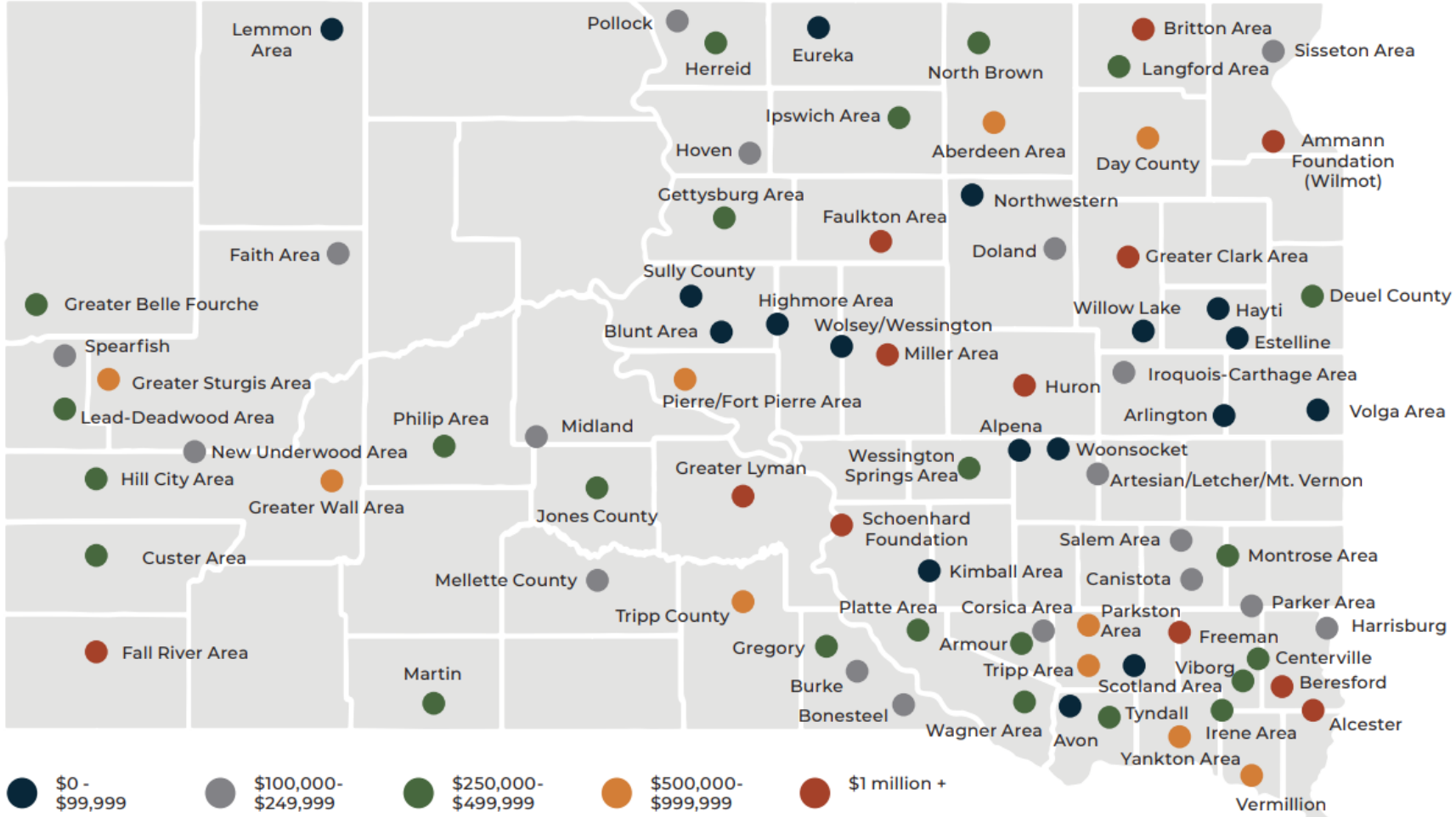
South Dakota Fund

- On-going Process: Letter of Inquiry – Application
- Grant Size: $2,000 - $20,000 (Typically)
- Program/Project
- Matching Funds:
  - Other grants
  - Donors
  - Fundraisers
  - In-kind

Nonprofit Savings Accounts

- Applications accepted throughout the year.
- Successful applicants will receive $1 for every $4 raised. (1:4 match), up to $20,000.
- To obligate the entire $20,000, organizations must raise $80,000 in two years.
- Money must be in account by deadline.
- Fund balance invested in perpetuity and 4.5% of the average fair market value is available annually to support the organization’s mission.
- Funds will be designated to benefit an IRS verified nonprofit in SD.

Community Savings Accounts



Amounts represent fair market value of the fund as of December 31, 2021. Sub-fund net assets are not included.

80 Communities

Through local guidance, the money raised in your community, stays in your community.

Beyond Idea Grants

in partnership with the BUSH FOUNDATION

- Bush Foundation announced a new initiative for SD/ND/MN and Native Nations in the three states
- Awarding $1.2 million each year for 6 years to each partner*
- Created in collaboration with community partners

*In 2022, SDCF may not award the full $1.2 million. Left over funds will be awarded in 2023.

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- Intermediary Partners in the region were selected:
  - **SD** – South Dakota Community Foundation
  - **ND** – Strengthen ND
  - **MN** – Headwaters for Justice
  - **Native Nations in SD/ND/MN** – Good Relatives Collaborative
    - Black Hills Community Loan Fund (SD)
    - Four Bands Community Fund (SD)
    - Minnesota Indigenous Business Alliance (MN)
    - Sacred Pipe Resource Center (ND)

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Beyond Idea Grants

Design Team – Created and Developed the BIG program for SD nonprofits

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Beyond Idea Grants

- Community-based problem solving
- To design, test and spread ideas
- To inspire, equip and connect leaders
- Planning or Implementation Grants
- Community impact potential

Seeking a larger grant?
Bush Foundation provides Community Innovation grants above $20,000
www.BushFoundation.org/Community-Innovation-Grants

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Beyond Idea Grants

2022 GRANT TIMELINE

1 Round

Open	August 15
Close	September 16
Recipient Announcement	December 15

The Grant Program will offer 2 rounds starting in 2023.

- Grant Size: $5,000 - $100,000
- Multi-year funding considered
- No Match Required
- Closes at 6pm CDT on Sept 16

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Beyond Idea Grants

If awarded…

- Learning is a goal
- SDCF will host a call with all BIG grantees to share experiences, broaden learning

SDCF will also learn…

- Feedback from first round

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How to Apply?

- **SDCF website**: **SDCommunityFoundation.org**
  - Grants
  - Guidelines
  - Draft Application
  - Grants Awarded

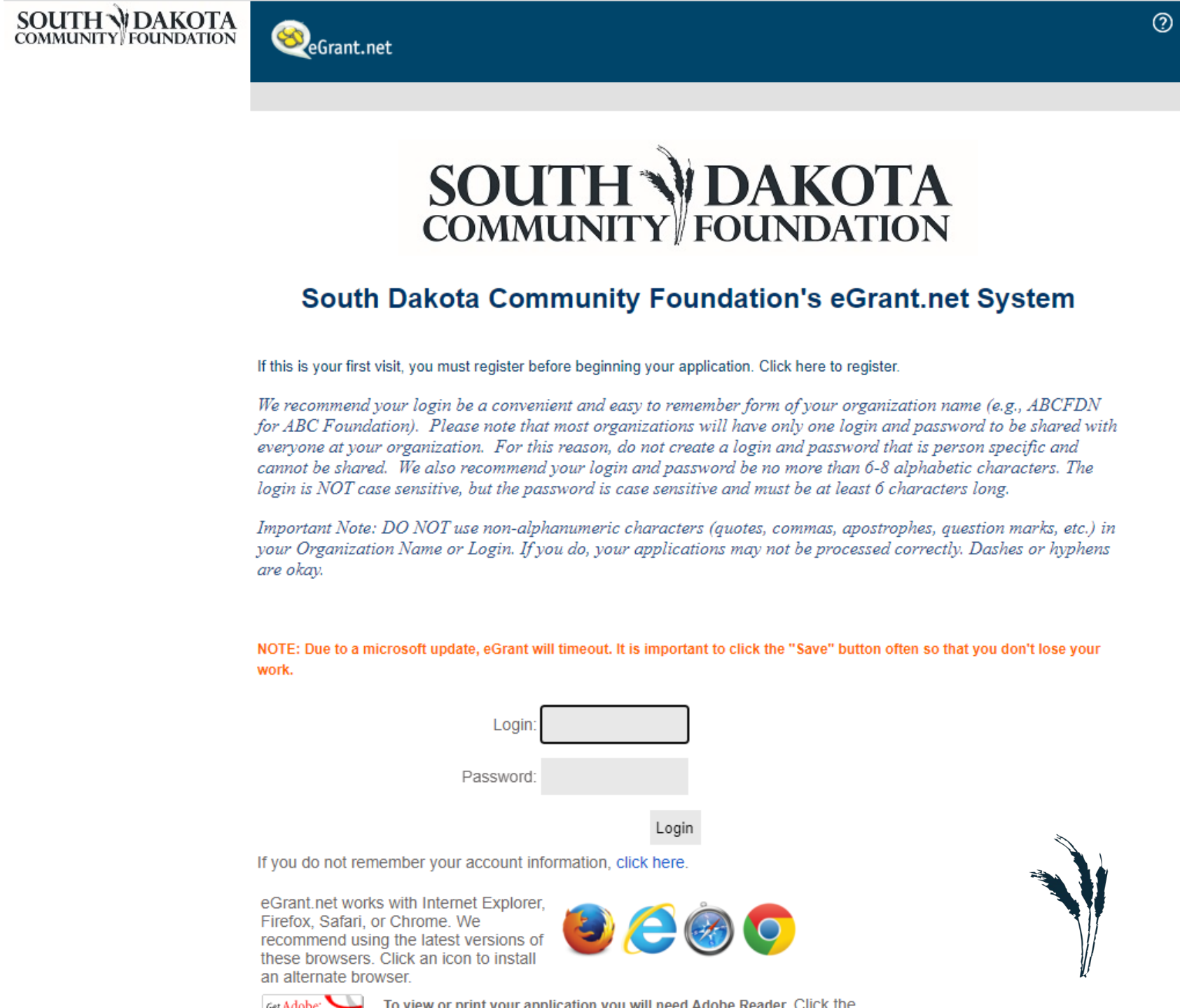
- **Online Grant Portal – eGrant**: **SDCommunityFoundation.eGrant.net**
  - Create a Login and Password
  - Grant programs are listed under “Opportunities”
  - Save often

Using eGrant

- Register

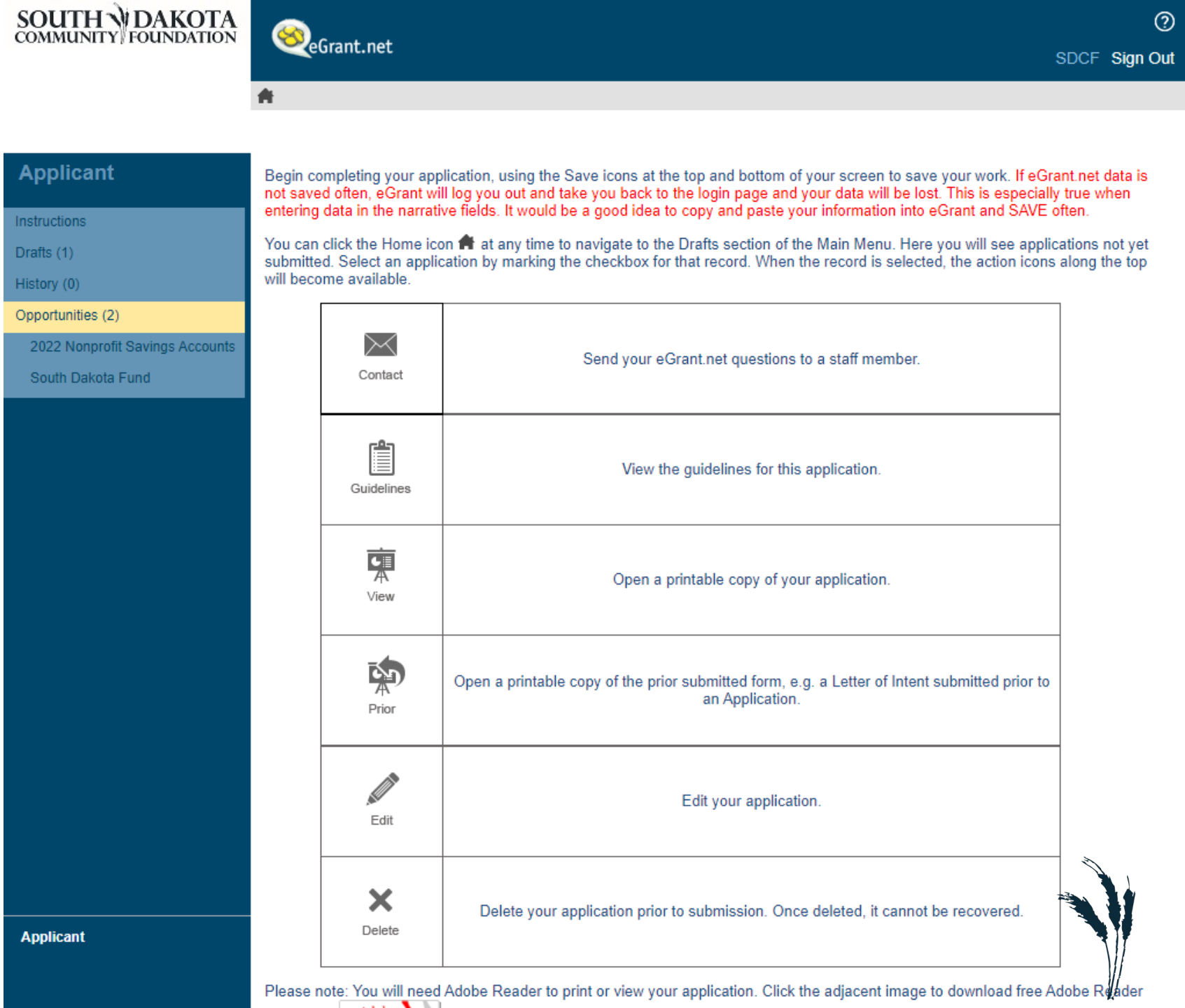
or

- Use existing login



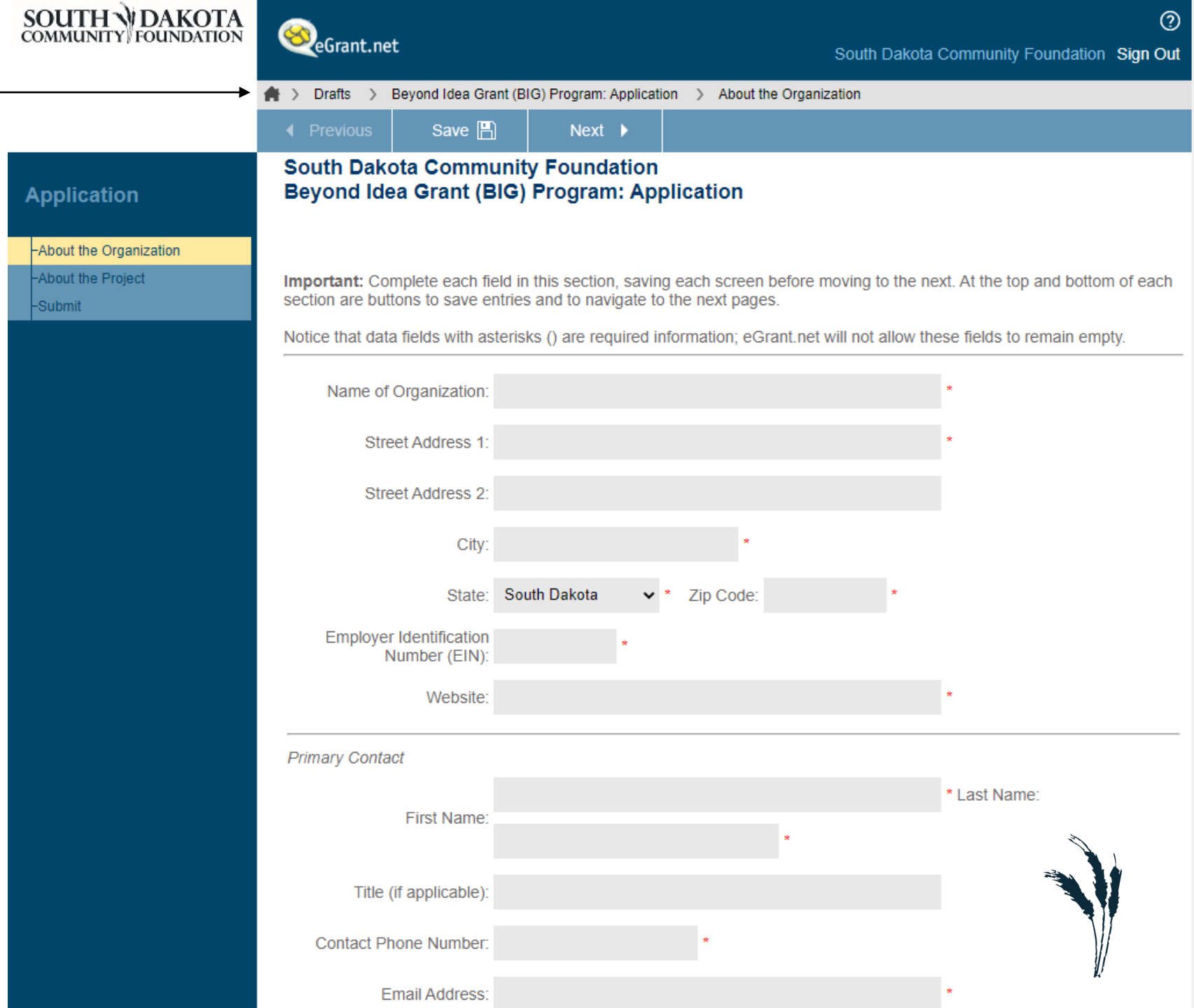
Using eGrant

- Navigate to “Opportunities”
- Beyond Idea Grant will be listed on August 15th



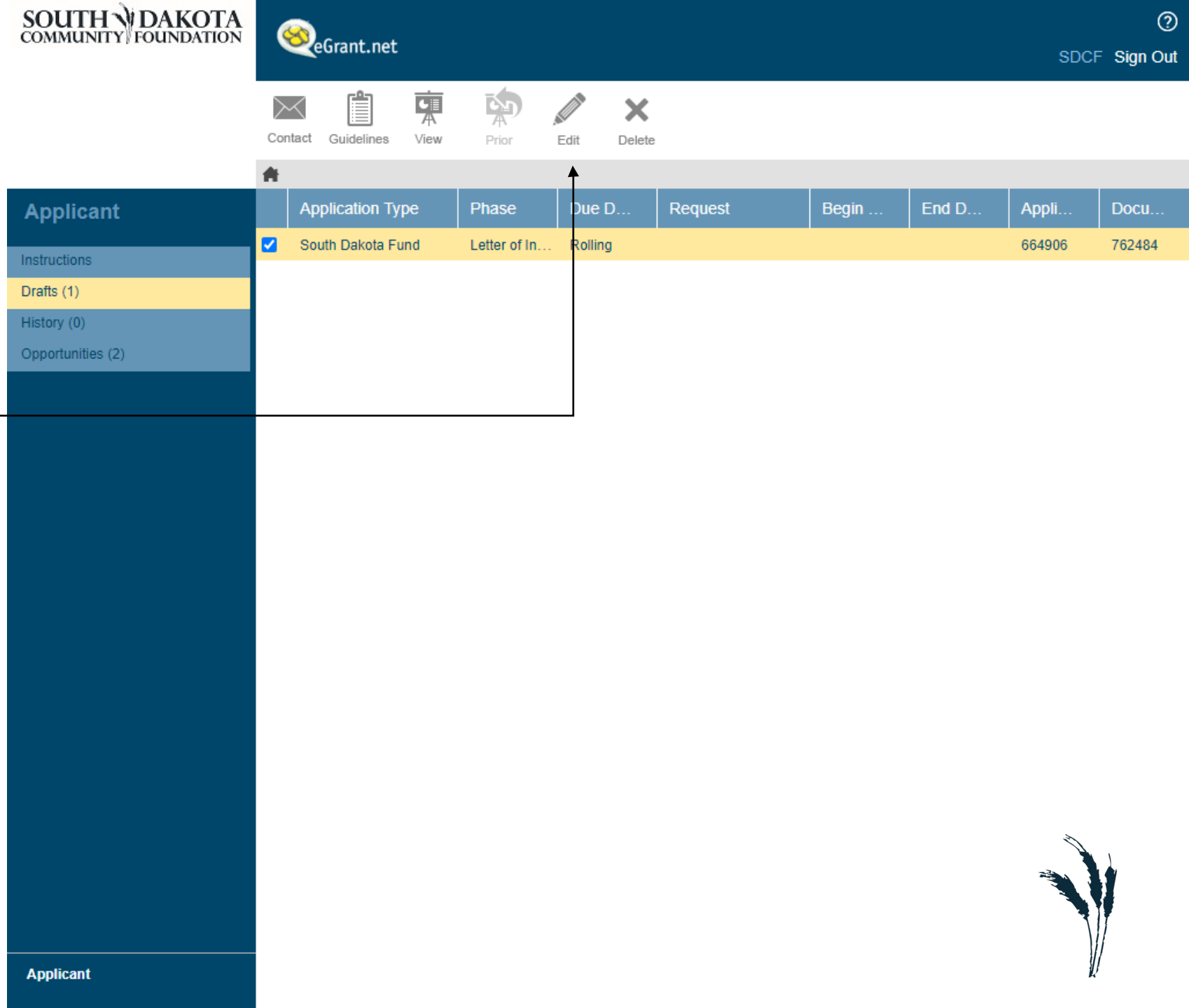
Using eGrant

- Save often
- Once saved, app will appear on Home page under “Drafts”



Using eGrant

- Select “Edit” to return to draft application



Questions

- Type questions in chat box
- Raise hand
- SDCF staff will monitor and unmute

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