



Navapache Innovation Council Grant Rubric

I. General Information

Is all necessary information included and complete?

YES

NO

II. Signature

Are the forms signed by the appropriate and authorized personnel?

YES

NO

Reviewer Comments:

III. STEM Event/Program Description

Does the description clearly describe how its vision is connected to RAIN Needs Statements? Goals are stated clearly with measurable objectives; includes projected outcomes that are based on event/program description to be addressed.

Exemplary= 3	Meets Expectations= 2	Needs Improvement= 1	Score
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Provides a specific and clear vision that is fully aligned with the objectives of STEM event/program. ● Provides specific and clear connection to RAIN Needs Statements. ● Provides specific and clear evidence that data was used in development of this grant application. ● Provides specific and clear goals and objectives that have a specific and measurable connection with an innovative approach. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Provides some information for the vision that is aligned with the objectives of STEM event/program. ● Provides some information that addresses RAIN Needs Statements. ● Provides some evidence that data was used in development of this grant application. ● Provides goals and objectives that have a connection with an innovative approach. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Does not discuss vision, therefore is not aligned to objectives. ● Does not provide specific and clear description. Has a weak connection with the RAIN Needs Statements. ● Does not provide data or data does not necessarily correlate to the STEM project/event. ● Does not provide goals and objectives; lacks specific connection and an innovative approach. 	
<p>Reviewer Comments:</p>			

IV. Program Sustainability

Is your program sustainable and replicable? Do you have other revenue sources to support this event/program? Can other organizations or your organization replicate the event over time to ensure sustainability?

Exemplary= 3	Meets Expectations= 2	Needs Improvement= 1	Score
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides specific and clear information how the program/event will continue beyond the grant (matching funds, favorable local policies, existing reform initiatives, philanthropic support, etc.).• Provides specific and clear information on how benefits and community partners will continue past the grant.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides some information about how to sustain the program/event after the grant.• Provides some information about how benefits and community partners will continue.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Does not provide information about sustaining the program/event beyond the grant.• Does not provide information about how community partnerships will continue.	
Reviewer Comments:			

V. Program/Event Replication and Scalability

Does the program/event demonstrate that it is replicable and scalable?

Exemplary= 3	Meets Expectations= 2	Needs Improvement= 1	Score
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides specific and clear information on how program/event can be scaled or replicated and offers tools to support such scaling-up or replication.• Provides specific and clear information of how the plan will regularly communicate information to new sites/networks/communities to support scaling-up or replication.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides some information on how program/event can be scaled or replicated and offers tools to support such scaling-up or replication.• Provides some information of how the plan will regularly communicate information to new networks or communities to support scaling-up or replication.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Does not provide information on how program/event can be scaled or replicated.• Does not provide information of how the plan will regularly communicate information to new networks to support scaling-up or replication.	

VI. Community Partners

Describe community partnerships and networks that will support your program; how will community partnerships continue?

Exemplary= 3	Meets Expectations= 2	Needs Improvement= 1	Score
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Provides specific and clear information how community partnerships support the program and share the responsibilities. ● Provides specific and clear information how community partnerships will continue after the event/program. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Provides some information how community partnerships support the program and share the responsibilities. ● Provides some information how community partnerships will continue after the event/program. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Does not provide information how community partnerships support the program and share the responsibilities. ● Does not provide information how community partnerships will continue after the event/program. 	
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VII. Public Relations Plan

Describe how you will communicate your program to the target audience, community, region, state, and beyond? How will you promote RAIN and NSF through your event?

Exemplary= 3	Meets Expectations= 2	Needs Improvement= 1	Score
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Provides specific and clear information on how the event/program will be communicated to the target audience, community, and region. ● Provides a plan to promote event/program using 3 or more forms of media. ● Provides specific and clear information on how the event/program will be presented to a worldwide audience before, during, and after the event/program. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Provides some information on how the event/program will be communicated to the target audience, community, and region. ● Provides a plan to promote event/program using 1-2 forms of media. ● Provides some information on how the event/program will be presented to a worldwide audience. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Does not provide information on how the event/program will be communicated to the target audience, community, or region. ● Does not provide a plan to promote event/program using media. ● Does not provide information on how the event/program will be presented to a worldwide audience. 	
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VIII. Community Perception of STEM

How will the event/program change your community's perceptions of STEM?

Exemplary= 3	Meets Expectations= 2	Needs Improvement= 1	Score
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Provides specific and clear information on how the event/program will change your community's perceptions of STEM.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Provides some information on how the event/program will change your community's perceptions of STEM.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Does not provide information on how the event/program will change your community's perceptions of STEM.	
Reviewer Comments:			

IX. Budget Narrative

Describe how you will use the funds if awarded:

Exemplary= 3	Meets Expectations= 2	Needs Improvement= 1	Score
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides specific and clear description of use of funds.• Provides specific and clear description for items to be purchased that are appropriate to this project/event and will contribute to successful implementation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides some description of use of funds.• Provides some description for items to be purchased that are appropriate to this project/event and will contribute to successful implementation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Does not provide description of use of funds.• Does not provide description for items to be purchased or may be inappropriate to this project/event.	
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