



Neighborhood Enhancement Program (NEP) grants are available for small projects in specific Santa Barbara neighborhoods.

Enhance Your Neighborhood

Small project grants offered by the Neighborhood Enhancement Program

The City of Santa Barbara Parks and Recreation Department announces the 2016 **Neighborhood Enhancement Program (NEP)**, an initiative designed to help local groups improve their neighborhoods through small projects.

NEP funds small neighborhood improvement projects up to \$5000 per project; applicants may be existing neighborhood groups or nonprofit organizations.

Which neighborhoods are eligible?

- Eastside
- Westside
- Laguna
- West Downtown
- Lower Westside

What kinds of projects may qualify?

Grants are limited to small capital projects that enhance and beautify neighborhoods, build communities, eliminate blighted conditions, and which are supported by a majority of the adjacent neighborhood residents living near the proposed project area.

Projects may be located on private property if they serve to assist low- to moderate-income residents. All other eligible projects will be on public parkways, medians, and neighborhood parks.

How to apply

Applications are available online at SantaBarbaraCA.gov or at the following locations:

Westside Neighborhood Center
423 West Victoria Street

Franklin Neighborhood Center
1136 East Montecito Street

Louise Lowry Davis Center
1232 De La Vina Street

Application deadline is **November 10, 2015**.

Mail or hand-deliver applications to the following address:

Westside Neighborhood Center
c/o Mark Alvarado/NEP
423 West Victoria Street
Santa Barbara CA 93101