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**National Park Service – Route 66 Corridor Preservation Program**  
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The Route 66 Corridor Preservation Program is dedicated to preserving the rich and diverse historic properties of US Highway 66. The program provides financial assistance to successful applicants in the form of cost-share grants for the preservation of the most significant and representative buildings, structures, road segments, and cultural landscapes along the length of the Route 66 corridor. It also provides assistance to planning, research, and educational initiatives related to the preservation of Route 66.

The cost-share grant funds of the Route 66 Corridor Preservation Program are congressionally appropriated and vary from year to year. The estimated total available for cost-share grants in 2004 will not exceed \$140,000. Applicants may apply for funds in amounts between \$5,000 and \$50,000.

Excerpt from the National Park Service application packet

The following files, originally housed in two 3-ring binders, contain application cover sheets, project descriptions, and may include a combination of correspondence, prints and/or photocopies of images of the sites. Contents have been removed from the binders and placed in folders. The original order and subject tab dividers have been retained. Michael Wallis served as I-440 Planning Section Chief/ I-346 Situation Unit Leader for the project.

Box 1

- 1-2 Application packet: Explanation of instructions for the application process, promotional brochures, status report for fiscal 2004, guidelines for scoring and evaluating of application criteria, *A Newsletter for Route 66* (Sept 1995), etc.
  
- 3 Applicant: Elmer & Craig Graves (Mesa, Arizona)  
Project: Old Trails Garage (Kingman, Arizona)  
Rehabilitation of roof, windows, doors, walls, plaster, neon sign, paint and graphics.
  
- 4 Applicant: Carmen Lynne (Redondo Beach, California)  
Project: Desert Sun Motel  
Rehabilitation of roof, windows, sign, and heaters.

- 5 Applicant: Soulsby Station Society (Springfield, Illinois)  
Project: Soulsby Service Station (Mt. Olive, Illinois)  
Restoration of HVAC, electrical wiring, fire alarm and security systems, roof, floor, walls, windows, ceiling, etc.
- 6 Applicant: Wesley W. Karna (Pacific, Missouri)  
Project: Red Cedar Inn (Pacific, Missouri)  
Restoration of HVAC, refrigerators, fiber reinforced pane installation.
- 7 Applicant: John & Pat Rosendall (Gallup, New Mexico)  
Project: Lexington Hotel (Gallup, New Mexico)  
Rehabilitation of windows, plumbing and electrical systems.
- 8 Applicant: New Mexico Route 66 Association (Embudo, New Mexico)  
Project: Log Cabin Motel  
Stabilization of the motel by rectifying city code violations to prevent demolition.
- 9 Applicant: California Route 66 Preservation Foundation (South Pasadena, California)  
Project: Aztec Hotel (Monrovia, California)  
Phase 2 restoration by patching and repainting exterior, repairing signage, restoration of storefront, facades, etc.
- 10 Applicant: Yvonne E. Braziel (Tucumcari, New Mexico)  
Project: Del's Restaurant sign (Tucumcari, New Mexico)  
Restoration of neon sign.
- 11 Applicant: Don Leavitt (Vega, Texas)  
Project: Dot's Mini Museum (Vega, Texas)  
Installation of air conditioning.
- 12 Applicant: Paul Duryee (Amarillo, Texas)  
Project: Sixth Street Sinclair Station  
Rehabilitation of roof, neon sign, pressed tin ceiling and stucco.
- 13 Applicant: John Dunning (Oklahoma City, Oklahoma)  
Project: Owl Court Motel and Café  
Restoration of roofs on motel and café buildings.

- 14 Applicant: Rick Koch (Weatherford, Oklahoma)  
Project: Lucille's Station and Motor Court  
Restoration of the station and court.
- 15 Applicant: Atlanta Public Library District & Museum Board (Atlanta, Illinois)  
Project: Palms Grill (Atlanta, Illinois)  
Restoration of café façade and reproduction of sign.
- 16 Applicant: Historic Eagle Corporation (Palos Park, Illinois)  
Project: Historic Eagle Hotel (Palos Park Illinois)  
Manufacture and installation of windows.
- 17 Applicant: George & Monica Mahler (Pacific, Missouri)  
Project: Beacon Motel sign (Pacific, Missouri)  
Restoration of motel sign.
- 18 Applicant: Dennis M. Jones (Tulsa, Oklahoma)  
Project: Hotel Vinita (Vinita, Oklahoma)  
Rehabilitation of roof.
- 19 Applicant: Nelson King (Clinton, Oklahoma)  
Project: Old Clinton Country Club  
Repair or replacement of roof, walls, kitchen, restrooms, stairway, ceilings, electrical and septic systems.
- 20 Applicant: Tulsa Foundation for Architecture (Tulsa, Oklahoma)  
Project: Meadow Gold sign  
Assess structure, restoration of neon and re-erection.
- 21 Applicant: Elk City (Elk City, Oklahoma)  
Project: Old Town Museum (Elk City, Oklahoma)  
Rehabilitation of roof.
- 22 Applicant: Center for Preservation Education & Planning (Los Angeles, California)  
Project: Preparation and development of model Corridor Preservation Management Plan & Database for historic California Route 66 properties.

- 23 Applicant: Paul Daniel Marriott (Washington, DC)  
Project: Organize workshops for training of departments of transportation to increase awareness of Route 66 preservation needs in Oklahoma.

Box 2

- 1 Applicant: Tulsa Artists Coalition (Tulsa, Oklahoma)  
Project: Construct a traveling art exhibit titled, "Tulsa Woody."
- 2 Applicant: Illinois Route 66 Heritage Project (Springfield, Illinois)  
Project: To preserve the oral histories of 4-5 people for the purpose of a video production, "Legends of 66."
- 3 Applicant: New Mexico Tourism Department (Santa Fe, New Mexico)  
Project: Develop interpretive DVD on historic Route 66 for educational and tourism purposes (Albuquerque, New Mexico)
- 4 Applicant: New Mexico 66 Association (Embudo, New Mexico)  
Project: Phase 3 of the Route 66 Oral History Project, including training sessions, field-test of oral history guide, feasibility study for regional and national centers for the study of Route 66.
- 5 Applicant: Northern Arizona University (Flagstaff, Arizona)  
Project: Support the touring of the dramatic production of "Route 66: A Celebration of America's Main Street."
- 6 Applicant: Cheyenne Cultural Center, Inc. (Clinton, Oklahoma)  
Project: Construct Route 66, Red Wheat, and Sour Woman interpretive site at the Cheyenne Cultural Center (Clinton, Oklahoma)
- 7 Applicant: David Delgado (Santa Rosa, New Mexico)  
Project: Construct Route 66 interpretive site in Santa Rosa.
- 8 Binder label: I-440 Planning Section Chief/ I-346 Situation Unit Leader.
- 9 Applicant: National New Deal Preservation Association (Santa Fe, New Mexico)  
Project: Research link between the New Deal's CCC, WPA, and Route 66 projects in New Mexico, Arizona and California.

- 10 Applicant: City of Clinton Parks & Recreation Department (Clinton, Oklahoma)  
Project: Restoration and repair of McLain Rogers Park WPA Amphitheatre (Clinton, Oklahoma)
- 11 Applicant: Northern Arizona University Department of Theatre (Flagstaff, Arizona)  
Project: Production of a live theatre performance, "Route 66: A Celebration of America's Main Street."
- 12 Applicant: Preservation El Reno, Inc. (El Reno, Oklahoma)  
Project: Oasis Drive-In  
Restoration of 1950s-1960s metal palm trees and sign, rehabilitate roof and exterior of the drive-in and associated buildings.
- 13 Applicant: William A. Fernau (Chandler, Oklahoma)  
Project: Phillips Petroleum Service Station  
Complete restoration of a 1930s type "B" brick service station.
- 14 Applicant: Route 66 Association of Illinois (New Liberty, Illinois)  
Project: Pig Hip Restaurant  
Restoration of the restaurant for use as a roadside attraction museum.
- 15 Applicant: Chandler Community Development & Trust Authority (Chandler, Oklahoma)  
Project: Planning and development of a Route 66 interpretive center in the Chandler Armory.
- 16 Applicant: City of Bourbon, Missouri  
Project: Treatment and repainting of Bourbon water tower.
- 17 Applicant: City of Tucumcari (Tucumcari, New Mexico)  
Project: Metropolitan Park, Bathhouse, & Five Mile Park  
Restoration of the parks and bathhouse as a Route 66 historic site.

- 18 Applicant: Tulsa Foundation for Architecture (Tulsa, Oklahoma)  
Project: Meadow Gold sign  
Restoration and repair of the sign.
- 19 Applicant: El Rancho Hotel (Gallup, New Mexico)  
Project: El Rancho Hotel  
Restoration and repair of the hotel roof.
- 20 Applicant: Ash Fork Historical Society (Ash Fork, Arizona)  
Project: Escalante Pump House  
Re-stucco pump house and paint mural.
- 21 Applicant: New Mexico Route 66 Association  
Project: Year 2: evaluation and research to find existing oral histories and develop and oral history guide for the Route 66 Oral History Project.
- 22 Applicant: Terra Lumina, Inc.  
Project: Production of broadcast quality video documentary of oral histories and photographs of New Mexico Route 66 for public television.
- 23 Applicant: New Mexico Route 66 Association (Embudo, New Mexico)  
Project: El Rey Theatre  
Complete restoration of the theatre's neon marquee.
- 24 Applicant: New Mexico Route 66 Association (Embudo, New Mexico)  
Project: Pecos Theatre  
Remediate water seepage problem and install new floor.
- 25 Applicant: Lamplighter Home owner's Association, Inc. (Springfield, Illinois)  
Project: Inn of the Lamplighter  
Repair of the corridor ceiling, restoration of the exterior finish, pool, sign, and water mill.
- 26 Applicant: Wigwam Village #6 (Holbrook, Arizona)  
Project: Restoration of neon sign, repair of plaster of wigwam bases, and installation of new doors, carpet and heaters.
- 27 Applicant: Historic Eagle Corporation (Palos Park, Illinois)  
Project: Eagle Hotel  
Replacement of brick and stonework on the historic hotel.

28-29 Applicant: Roger Miller Museum (Erik, Oklahoma)

Project: Repair and restoration of drywall, HVAC and security systems, windows, doors, floors, and ceilings.