

RFA - 2025-0020  
Date Recv'd 2-5-2025

**REDBUD HEALTH CARE DISTRICT  
REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE (RFA)**  
(Please Type or Print All Information)

1. Subject of Request Donation Grant from Redbud Health Care District  
for Kelseyville High School Fundraising Sober Graduation Committee 2025  
(Starting Date For New Programs) November 1, 2024
2. Requesting Organization Kelseyville High School Class of 2025 Sober Grad Committee
3. Street Address P.O BOX 884  
City Kelseyville, CA Zip 95451  
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Web Site KVUSD High School Website  
E-Mail debbi.holdenried@gmail.com
4. Individual Accountable For Funds: Name Debra Holdenried  
Title KHS Sober Grad Committee Chairman
5. Amount Requested (\$) 10,000.00 Grant Period Current / January - June
6. Background And Basic Information Regarding Organization Please see attached:  
(Use additional pages, as necessary, to fully describe information required)
7. Justification Please see attached:  
(Use additional pages, as necessary, to fully describe information required)
- 7.1 Intended Use Of Funds In Detail Please see attached:

**7.2 How Intended Use Of Funds Will Further Delivery Of Health Care Services  
Within Redbud Health Care District** Please see attached:

**7.3 Detailed Basis For Funds Requested** Please see attached:

Debbi Holderness 2-5-2025

February 4, 2025

Redbud Health Care District, Grant Committee

**Request for Assistance**

Dear Redbud Health Care District Grant Committee,

**#6** Kelseyville High School senior parents annually raise money to put on a Sober Graduation Event Night for all graduating seniors. Safe and Sober Grad Night that was started in 1985 and promoted by the California Highway Patrol to keep graduating seniors away from alcohol and off the roads on graduation night. The sober grad committee is strictly volunteer by parents to put on event exciting and fun enough to entertain students, safe and sober, all night in a locked in environment. A safe place to celebrate graduation with all their friends.

**#7** Over the past several years, excluding covid-lock down, Kelseyville High School has put on a great sober grad night for their students. I, Debbi Holdenried, as the chairman of the class of 2025 Sober Grad committee understands the work and money it takes to put on this event. I was the chairman in 2016 & 2019 for my other two sons and also helped in my niece's class of 2017. It was expensive then, and will be even more expensive now, in 2025 to put on a safe and fun event for our graduates. Our goal is for every graduate attend this event! In order to really try to make this happen, we need to incentivize this night for them. Having the event in a really fun place, and them hearing through the rumor mill that there will be lots of great prizes and cash awards will help this happen. We want them safe!

**#7.1** In recent and past years the Kelseyville High School Sober Gradation event was held out of town at places like, Scandia Fun Center, in Vacaville. Last year they went to the Epicenter in Sonoma County. We will be determining where they will be going for their celebration after our committee determines what we can afford. Our committee has been awarded \$1,000 grants from Sutter Health, Tribal Health and Adventist Health. We have not yet received the funds. Our students have picked and sold pears donated by the Holdenried's and sold at the Kelseyville Pear festival in 2022 and did snack shack sales at the Kelseyville High School JV Baseball games in 2021-22 to raise sober grand funds. We have received donations from our kids doing 50/50 raffle at the KHS Boys basketball games. We have received \$5,000 from Lake County businesses so far this year for Sober Grad.

7.2 The gift of the Redbud Grant would extremely help financially towards the cost of being able to put a safe and fun event for our Kelseyville High School students. This event will be able to keep our young students safe, off the roads and in a safe, controlled, locked in place to celebrate their graduation. Every one of these students will be able to go on to college to study careers like nursing, join the work force in our county or join the work force with our local businesses, our educational system, or our health care system. They will be guaranteed that their parents and community did everything they could to help not only educate them, but give them a safe and fun event to celebrate their graduation. Our Kelseyville High School graduates and all graduating seniors deserve this.

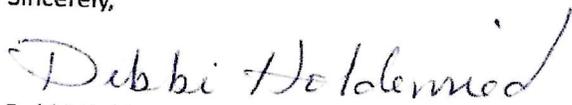
7.3 Rental of two Charter buses for Safe transportation of students to an out of town, Fun Center

7.4 Liability Insurance for transportation and venue facility

Prizes: ear pods, laptop computers, iPad, printers, dorm refrigerators, gift certificates. Cash awards for all 147 students  
Food, snacks, deserts: pizza, meat & cheese trays, veggie trays, chips & dips, pastas, pizza, popcorn, cookies, cupcakes,

Our Kelseyville High School Sober Grad Committee really appreciates your organization considering to help us financially with a Redbud grant. We understanding that this grant is being considered. We really understand that times are financially hard for many people and businesses in our small Lake County communities. We would all greatly appreciate any help you can give us this year!

Sincerely,



Debbi Holdenried, KHS Sober Grad Chair and Committee