

2010 Southwest Oral History Association Mini-Grant Opportunity:

Deadline: January 31, 2010

The Southwest Oral History Association will award up to three mini-grants totaling up to \$1500. Funds may be used for interviewing, equipment, transcription, editing, publishing, and other oral history related expenses. Students, teachers, and independent researchers, historical societies, archives, museums, and non-profits are encouraged to apply to conduct research on the Southwest. First consideration is given to community-based projects concerning Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada, and California, the states within the SOHA region. There is no application form. **PLEASE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING AS WORD ATTACHMENTS AND SEND VIA E-MAIL:**

A Cover Letter: Submit a one-page cover letter including name, address, telephone number and e-mail of applicant. If an organization is applying, include the same as above. Include brief background history on applicant.

1. **Concise description of Oral History Project:** Include the title of the project, background on development, need for topic, planned number of interviews, expected length and depth, oral historians' names and oral history experience, archiving plans, possible presentation plans, and project timetable. Maximum of three double-spaced pages.
2. **A Budget for the project:** Include amount requested and other sources of funding.
3. **One letter of recommendation.**
4. **Submission should include three copies IF APPLICANT CANNOT SEND ELECTRONICALLY OR VIA E-MAIL.**

THE SAME RECIPIENTS OF AWARDS WILL NOT BE AWARDED TWO YEARS IN A ROW

SUBMIT MINI-GRANT REQUESTS AS WORD ATTACHMENT VIA E-MAIL TO:

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Committee chair will send a return receipt via e-mail so applicants will know that the application has been received. Committee Members: Chair, Brenna Lissoway; Dr. Mary Melcher; Amalia A.M. Reyes. Notification of the decision will be sent by February 12, 2010.