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## MTSU Clean Energy Initiative Project Funding Request

There are five (5) sections of the request to complete before submitting. See <http://www.mtsu.edu/~sga/cleanenergy.shtml> for funding guidelines. Save completed form and email to [cee@mtsu.edu](mailto:cee@mtsu.edu) or mail to MTSU Box 57.

1. General Information	
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2. Project Categories (Select One)	
Select the category that best describes the project.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Energy Conservation/Efficiency	<input type="checkbox"/> Sustainable Design
<input type="checkbox"/> Alternative Fuels	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other
<input type="checkbox"/> Renewable Energy	

3. Project Information
<p>a. Please provide a brief descriptive title for the project.</p> <p>b. The project cost estimate is the expected cost of the project to be considered by the committee for approval, which may differ from the total project cost in the case of matching funding opportunities. <b>Any funding request is a 'not-to-exceed' amount. Any proposed expenditure above the requested amount will require a resubmission.</b></p> <p>c. List the source of project cost estimates.</p> <p>d. Provide a brief explanation in response to question regarding previous funding.</p>
<p>3a. Project Title</p> <p>Recycling bins for College of Education, Student Union, and general campus</p>
<p>3b. Project Cost Estimate</p> <p>\$7,000</p>
<p>3c. Source of Estimate</p> <p>Previous purchases, product review</p>
<p>3d. If previous funding from this source was awarded, explain how this request differs?</p> <p>Benefiting from funding has place more than 500 bins of numerous sizes on campus!</p>

#### 4. Project Description

(Completed in as much detail as possible.)

- a. The scope of the work to be accomplished is a detailed description of project activities.
- b. The benefit statement describes the advantages of the project as relates to the selected project category.
- c. The location of the project includes the name of the building, department, and/or specific location of where the project will be conducted on campus.
- d. List any departments you anticipate to be involved. Were any departments consulted in preparation of this request? Who? A listing may be attached to this form when submitted.
- e. Provide specific information on anticipated student involvement or benefit.
- f. Provide information for anticipated future operating and/or maintenance requirements occurring as a result of the proposed project.
- g. Provide any additional comments or information that may be pertinent to approval of the project funding request.

##### 4a. Scope: Work to be accomplished

Use the requested funding to provide bins for the new College of Education building- 80 new offices, 3 floors with copy rooms, computer labs, can and bottle collection (approximately \$2500). Also, provide bins for the new Student Union Building - offices, meeting rooms, etc. (approximately \$1500), and locate new and/or replace old bins around campus (approximately \$2500) as they need replacing. With growth in enrollment and buildings, requests for bins has grown with a need for many new containers.

In addition, SEA began some recycling in tailgate areas, and bins have been loaned to them to support their efforts.

##### 4b. Scope: Benefit Statement

The cost of purchasing bins for use on campus has increased along with the number of bins needed to provide the recycling services and meet the growth within the recycling program. Most of the containers have the SCF logo and SCF is credited with providing the containers.

The materials picked up on campus reduces the amount of those materials being picked up as trash, reduces what goes to the landfill, and teaches those that participate in recycling to be better stewards of the environment.

**CONTAINER  
PROVIDED BY**



<b>4. Project Description (continued)</b>
<p>4c. Location of Project (Building, etc.)</p> <p>New College of Education Building, Student Union Building, and general campus</p>
<p>4d. Participants and Roles</p> <p>Recycling Program student workers, Linda Hardyman, manager, Center for Energy Efficiency, working with Campus Planning (setting up new office/building spaces)</p>
<p>4e. Student participation and/or student benefit</p> <p>Students are always encouraged to recycle.</p>
<p>4f. Future Operating and/or Maintenance Requirements</p> <p>Additional containers should not create a future operating or maintenance burden for FSD with the exception of growth within the Recycling Program and the addition of the new buildings.</p>
<p>4g. Additional Comments or Information Pertinent to the Proposed Project</p> <p>The Recycling Program employs student workers and work study students on a regular part-time basis for the collection of the materials on campus.</p> <p>The labels stating 'Container provided by the MTSU Sustainable Fund' and the SCF logo gives credit for the containers to the SCF.</p>

## 5. Project Performance Information

Provide information if applicable.

- a. Provide information on estimated annual energy savings stated in units such as kW, kWh, Btu, gallons, etc.
- b. Provide information on estimated annual energy cost savings in monetary terms.
- c. Provide information on any annual operating or other cost savings in monetary terms. Be specific.
- d. Provide information about any matching or supplementary funding opportunities that are available. Identify all sources and explain.

5a. Estimated Annual Energy Savings (Estimated in kW, kWh, Btu, etc.)

5b. Annual Energy COST Savings (\$)

5c. Annual Operating or Other Cost Savings. Specify. (\$)  
Offsets some tipping fees for trash disposal.

5d. Matching or Supplementary Funding (Identify and Explain)