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2017 – 2018 WORKERS COMPENSATION MATCHING GRANT PROGRAM GUIDELINES

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE?

All LWMMI Insureds currently purchasing Workers Compensation Insurance as of May 31st, 2017.

HOW IS THE AMOUNT OF THE LWMMI GRANT DETERMINED?

With a minimum of \$500.00, insureds will receive 75% of the cost of eligible equipment up to 2% of the Workers Compensation Premium listed on the 2016 policy.

WHAT IS THE GOAL OF THE GRANT?

LWMMI knows how tight budgets are. This grant is designed to help with the purchase of equipment that has the potential to prevent employee injuries and at the same time helping reduce your losses and experience modifier.

HOW DOES THE “MATCHING” PART WORK?

LWMMI will reimburse you for 75% of your purchase up to your Grant limit. For example, if 2% of your premium is \$750 and your purchase is a manhole lifter for \$1,000, LWMMI will reimburse \$750 of the purchase. If the lifter costs \$800, LWMMI would reimburse 75% or \$600. Likewise if the lifter costs \$1,200, the LWMMI reimbursement would be limited to \$750 – the maximum based on the 2% limit of your 2016 premium. The specific amount for your community is listed in the first paragraph of the cover memo.

HOW DOES THE \$500 MINIMUM WORK?

For insureds with premium less than \$25,000 – the 2% does not apply. Those insureds have a \$500 limit – still on a 75% / 25% share basis.

OK – WHAT EQUIPMENT IS ELIGIBLE?

Within broad guidelines, it is really up to you. LWMMI has included a list of **EXAMPLES** of equipment compiled by United Heartland, LWMMI’s Work Comp Administrators. This list is by no means all inclusive – we want our insureds to use this money to help with their specific safety needs.

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EQUALLY IMPORTANT – WHAT IS NOT ELIGIBLE?

- Personnel Protective Equipment you are required to supply by OSHA - such as:
 - Safety Glasses
 - Steel Toed Shoes
 - Hard Hats
 - Work Zone Vests
 - Work Zone Gloves
- Training Classes and Videos
- Equipment budgeted on a regular basis
- Supplies such as first aid kits

ANY SUGGESTIONS ON SAFETY EQUIPMENT?

Glad you asked – attachment 2 lists numerous examples of safety equipment that the United Heartland loss control consultants thought would be helpful in any municipal workplace. These are just suggestions – what do your employees think?

WE PURCHASED OUR EQUIPMENT – NOW WHAT?

Complete the online application including appropriate documentation and return it to the address on the form. <http://lwmmi.org/safety-equipment-application/>

WHAT ARE IMPORTANT DATES?

Only purchases between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018 are eligible – remember, this is for new equipment – not equipment already purchased prior to July 1, 2017. The Grant continues to June 30, 2018 in case your community needs to include your 25% match in the 2018 budget.

HOW LONG DO WE WAIT TO RECEIVE REIMBURSEMENT?

Less than 30 days.

WHO DO WE CONTACT WITH QUESTIONS?

For questions on the process, contact Sandy Hagen – E-Mail: sandra@lwmmi.org or Phone: 608-833-9595.

For questions on safety equipment, contact Clark MacAlpine, Corporate Loss Control Consultant at United Heartland – E-Mail: clark.macalpine@unitedheartland.com or Phone: 262-787-7406.

Attachment 1 – Application

Attachment 2 – List of Safety Equipment

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INSTRUCTIONS: Complete the online application form at:
<http://lwmmi.org/safety-equipment-application/>
 Or complete the application by hand and email it to: sandra@lwmmi.org
 or mail it to: LWMMI 402 Gammon Pl., Suite 225 Madison, WI 53719

Member:	Date:
Member's Contact Person for Grant:	Phone # : (____) Email:

Items Requested for Reimbursement:

#	Item Name/ Description	Quantity	Date Purchased	Department Utilizing Item	PO # or Check Number	Cost
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
					Total:	

*Please include a copy of invoice(s) or receipt(s) for approval.
 All safety equipment grant reimbursements are subject to LWMMI review and approval.*

LWMMI office only:

Date:
Reimbursement Amount:
WC Policy Number:
Signature for Approval:

Municipal Safety Equipment

Admin- Office Safety	
Ergonomic/safety office equipment that has the potential to reduce the exposures of falls, awkward postures, and lifting office materials.	
2-Step Ladder (In lieu of standing on chairs/furniture) Cost: \$25	Website: http://www.officedepot.com/a/products/954310/Cosco-2-Step-Ladder-BlackCool-Gray/
Microsoft Ergonomic Keyboard 4000 Cost: \$50	Website: https://www.microsoft.com/accessories/en-us/products/keyboards/natural-ergonomic-keyboard-4000/b2m-00012
Microsoft Sculpt Ergonomic Desktop Cost: \$130	Website: https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/store/d/Microsoft-Sculpt-Ergonomic-Desktop/8XK02KZ6K69W
Jabra GN2000 Monaural Noise Cancelling Headset Cost: \$110	Website: https://www.ergonomicsnow.com.au/ergonomic-products/headsets
Plantronics CS510 Over-The-Head Wireless Headset Cost: \$250	Website: https://theergonomicstore.com/collections/telephone-headsets
Luxor E-Series Utility Cart Cost: \$140	Website: http://www.officedepot.com/a/browse/utility-carts/N=5+531955/
Safco Scoot Desk Side Printer Stand Cost: \$150	Website: http://www.staples.com/Safco-Scoot-Desk-Side-Printer-Stand/product_680977
Luxor Level Up Sit Stand Adjustable Desktop Desk Cost: \$300	Website: http://www.staples.com/Luxor-LevelUp-PRO-Pneumatic-Adjustable-Desktop-Desk/product_2498417
Ergotron WorkFit-TL Sit- Stand Desktop Workstation Cost: Call for Quote: 800.888.8458	Website: http://www.ergotron.com/en-us/products/product-details/33-406#/?color=black
DPW- Lift Gates	
Lift gate attachments for various sizes of trucks that help reduce the exposure of lifting equipment.	
Tommy Gate G2 Series Cost: \$2,000.00	Website: www.tommygate.com
Anthony Liftgates ALB Cost: Call for Quote: 800.482.0003	Website: https://www.anthonyliftgates.com/Liftgates/Pickup-Van-Stake-Body
Gorilla- Lift Cost: \$200	Website: https://www.gorilla-lift.com/gorillalift.php
DPW- Manhole Cover Lifts	
Lifts and lift attachments for various sizes of manhole covers that help to reduce the exposure of lifting by allowing for easy and safe removal.	
Liquid Waste Industries T-Lift Manhole Cover Lifter Cost: \$150	Website: http://www.lwiinc.com/manhole-cover-lifter-t-lift/
Industrial Magnetics MCL3000W06 **Dolly ONLY Cost: \$550	Website: https://www.magnetics.com/product.asp?ProductID=7
US Saws ROBOTRON- 3 Magnets Cost: \$785	Website: https://www.ussaws.com/magnetic-lifting/break-and-take-magnets/break-n-take-systems/robotron.html
US Saws Break 'N Take- 4. Magnets Cost: \$675	Website: https://www.ussaws.com/magnetic-lifting/break-and-take-magnets/break-n-take-systems/break-n-take.html
US Saws Curved Heavy Duty Collapsible Steel Dolly w/ 8" Hard Wheels & Heavy Duty Magnet Cost: \$1,275	Website: https://www.ussaws.com/magnetic-lifting/magnet-dolly-systems/magnet-dolly-kits/heavy-duty-dolly-heavy-duty-magnet.html
Bigs Easy Lift w/ Small Wheels w/o AHP01 Cost: \$600	Website: http://www.bigseasylift.com/
Bigs Easy Lift w/ Large Wheels w/ LHE02 w/MAG02 Cost: \$1,600	Website: http://www.bigseasylift.com/
Pollard Water Magnetic Manhole Cover Lift System Cost: \$1,000	Website: https://www.pollardwater.com/pages_product/MCL660X2MagneticManholeCoverLifter.asp
Rock Mills The Lifter Cost: \$3,995	Website: http://www.rockmillsent.com/the-lifter/

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DPW- Valve Exercisers

Valve exercisers with torque controls that protect valves from costly damage due to use of excessive force and torque absorption that virtually eliminated worker injury and fatigue.

Hurco Technologies SD800 Cost: \$9,250	Website: http://hurcotech.com/
Hurco Technologies SD400 Cost: \$6,750	Website: http://hurcotech.com/
Ohio Power Tool Valve Exerciser 98001 Cost: \$6,900	Website: https://www.ohiopowertool.com/p-4913-wheeler-rex-valvemaster-portable-valve-exerciser-98001.aspx
Valve Boss Model 70 Cost: Call for Quote: 225.226.8668	Website: http://www.valveboss.com/Valve_Products.html

DPW- Lifts

Lift table for small engine repairs that helps reduce the exposure of lifting equipment and awkward postures and lifts to transport loads and maneuvers work materials from a lowered position to an ergonomic height.

Handy-Lift Electric Multi Lift Cost: \$1,200	Website: https://handy-lift.com/home
Handy-Lift Manual Multi Lift Cost: \$750	Website: https://handy-lift.com/home
Northern Tool Roughneck Hydraulic Table Cart Cost: \$200	Website: http://www.northerntool.com/
Northern Tool Vestil Hydra Lift Cost: \$600 - \$800	Website: http://www.northerntool.com/

DPW- Tire Step

Tire step for stable access to elevated spot on vehicles, such as engines, preventing strains from over reaching, or overexertion.

Hitch Mate TireStep Cost: \$50	Website: http://www.hitchmate.com/
Big Truck Tire Step Standard One-Step Cost: \$170	Website: https://www.bigtrucktirestep.com/

DPW- Double Harness

Ergonomically friendly double harness for holding trimmers, brush cutters, etc. to allow for better weight distribution and helping reduce operator fatigue.

STIHL Double Shoulder Harness Cost: \$25	Website: https://www.stihlusa.com/products/trimmers-and-brushcutters/straps-and-harnesses/
STIHL Universal Double Shoulder Harness Cost: \$65	Website: https://www.stihlusa.com/products/trimmers-and-brushcutters/straps-and-harnesses/

DPW- Cutting Carts

Cut off saw wheel adapters that offer improved handling and allow the saw to be pushed upright to avoid operator bending.

STIHL Cutquik® Cart Cost: \$370	Website: https://www.stihlusa.com/products/cut-off-machines/cut-off-machine-accessories/machcart/
Husqvarna KV 760 Cost: \$850	Website: https://www.husqvarnacp.com/us/accessories/cutting-carts/

DPW- Motorcycle Jack

Modified floor jacks or motorcycle jacks used to hold cutting edges.

Craftsman Motorcycle/ATV Jack Cost: \$100	Website: https://www.craftsman.com/products/craftsman-motorcycle-atv-jack
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DPW- Picnic Table/Bleacher Transporter

Using a designated picnic table/bleacher transporter or mower attachment that allows for single person operation and reduces lifting injuries.

Indesco Picnic Table Transporter Cost: \$525	Website: http://www.indescoop.com/default.htm
Indesco Bleacher Transporter Cost: \$1,855	Website: http://www.indescoop.com/default.htm
Kay Park Recreation Jiffy Mover System	Website: http://catalog.kaypark.com/viewitems/aluminum_ble

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Cost: \$1,200 - \$3,300	achers_elevated_non-elevated/iiffy-mover-system-makes-bleachers-mobile
DPW- Grave Digging Tools Tools/equipment used to prevent manual digging.	
STM BOKI Grave Digger Cost: Email for Quote: sales@st-mach.com	Website: http://www.st-mach.com/product-category/boki-grave-digger/
CAT 300.9 D Mini Hydraulic Excavator Cost: Call for Quote: 888.614.4328	Website: http://www.cat.com/en_US/products/new/equipment/excavators/mini-excavators.html
CAT 303.5 E CR Mini Hydraulic Excavator Cost: Call for Quote: 888.614.4328	Website: http://www.cat.com/en_US/products/new/equipment/excavators/mini-excavators.html
PD- Utility Vest Ergonomically friendly utility vests that allow for better weight distribution of equipment, relieving added weight/pressure from the waistline.	
Barska Loaded Gear VX-100 Tactical Vest Cost: \$110	Website: http://www.lapolicegear.com/barska-bi12016-vx-100.html
Blackhawk Urban Assault Tactical Vest Cost: \$110	Website: https://www.copsplus.com/blackhawk-urban-assault-tactical-vest
GH Armour Systems Tactical Outer Custom Carrier Cost: \$170	Website: https://www.copsplus.com/gh-armor-systems-toc-tactical-outer-custom-carrier
Boston Leather Police Suspenders Cost: \$50	Website: https://www.copsplus.com/boston-leather-leather-police-suspenders
High Speed Gear Low Drag Suspenders Cost: \$40	Website: https://www.copsplus.com/high-speed-gear-high-speed-low-drag-suspenders
FD/EMS- Patient Lifting Devices Patient cots, power loaders, and stair chairs that reduce patient lifting exposure and injuries to the caregiver and patient.	
Stryker Powered System Cost: \$37,000 - \$40,000	Website: https://ems.stryker.com/en
Stryker Power-PRO XT Cost: \$14,000 - \$19,000	Website: https://ems.stryker.com/en
Stryker Power-LOAD Cost: \$22,000	Website: https://ems.stryker.com/en
Stryker Stair-PRO Cost: \$3,100 - \$3,300	Website: https://ems.stryker.com/en
Ferno POWERFlexx+® Powered Cot Cost: Call For Quote: 877.733.0911	Website: http://www.fernoems.com/products/ambulance-cots/cots
Ferno 35X PROFlexX® Cost: Call For Quote: 877.733.0911	Website: http://www.fernoems.com/products/ambulance-cots/cots
Ferno 28Z PROFlexX Chair Cot® Cost: Call For Quote: 877.733.0911	Website: http://www.fernoems.com/products/ambulance-cots/cots
Ferno EZ-Glide® Evacuation Stair Chair Cost: Call For Quote: 877.733.0911	Website: http://www.fernoems.com/products/ambulance-cots/cots

*The following is a list of equipment that can assist in reducing injury exposure potential for employees who perform various job tasks. This is not an all-encompassing list. There are multiple vendors, and we do not recommend any specific vendor. This list is designed to inform you of the various products and options available on the marketplace.

**The below prices are subject to change and reflect the manufacturers' suggested retail price as of 6/01/2017. Certain vendors may offer special rates or discounted pricing to United Heartland Policy Holders. Contact your local sales representative for further information.

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