Guidelines for Road Groups to Apply for matching DRCI Funds

(As of February 4, 2025)

As part of the Emergency Access Initiative, the DRCI Board of Directors has compiled the following list of guidelines for DRCI Road Groups who wish to apply for matching DRCI funds:

 **\*\*Note guideline changes for 2025**

1. The group MUST have the involvement of the majority of shareholders in the area where the work is being completed.
2. Monies awarded must be used for main artery roads (no private driveways)
3. Each group must have a coordinator responsible for collecting each group's road funds.
4. All monies collected must be turned into Denise Platteborze, DRCI Operations Manager, who will record the funds and award grants.
5. All checks collected must be written out to DRCI Road Funds, with the road group listed in the memo.
6. All invoices will be turned into Denise, and she will issue payment.
7. Each group must define the parameters of their project (from where to where)
8. DRCI requests before and after pictures of the project.
9. The road group must apply for any required permits before the project begins, payment will be made from road group funds.

Each road group may apply for up to a $3,000 match by DRCI

The deadline for applying for funds in 2025 is August 15, 2025, and the deadline for using these funds is December 1, 2025.

After each project, the group coordinator will receive a spreadsheet listing all funds contributed by the group, the matching grant, all expenses and any remaining group balance.

This project will be re-evaluated in January 2026.

All decisions by the DRCI board are final.