

Rock Springs Historical Museum

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Mayor and Council:

On behalf of the Rock Springs Historical Museum and the Museum Board, I would like to ask for permission to apply for an AARP Community Challenge 2019 grant. The Museum Board is in the beginning stages of creating a more informative component to the existing rock Chinese Massacre Monument located at the intersection of Bridger Avenue, Piolet Butte Avenue and M Street. Several ideas for an interpretative space that contains maps, photo reproductions, and historical information have been presented to the Board and they are working out details now.

The AARP Community Challenge 2019 Grant program is designed to "provide funds for community-based "quick-action" projects related to housing, transportation, smart cities and public spaces. The goal is to spark change and build momentum to improve livability for people of all ages."

You can read more about it here: https://www.aarp.org/livable-communities/about/info-2017/aarp-community-challenge.html

Please don't hesitate to contact me with questions or ideas about the grant or project.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Jennifer Messer Rock Springs Historical Museum Coordinator