

Muskogee County

funding is obligated.

Available funding for Adair, McIntosh,

Okmulgee, Sequoyah, and

Wagoner Counties includes EYE

GLASSES; DENTURES; ADA RAMPS OR BATHROOM MODIFICATIONS; MINOR HOME REPAIR FOR PLUMBING/ ELECTRICAL OR CENTRAL HEAT AND AIR UNITS; OR UTILITY ASSISTANCE (on the as needed basis).

Funding amounts are listed on page two of the application and is available until funding

is fully obligated or submitted by

November 1 if project can be completed by

November 15. Which ever comes first.

2024 MASONIC GRANT PROGRAM

MUST BE AT LEAST 55 YEARS OR OLDER TO APPLY

READ ALL documentation BEFORE filling out or applying.

Incomplete application packets will not be considered. Please review carefully before returning.

Eligibility Requirements

- This grant is intended to benefit seniors 55 years of age or older.
- Must live within EODD's seven-county service area, including Adair, Cherokee, McIntosh, Muskogee, Okmulgee, Sequoyah and Wagoner counties.
- If you have received Masonic Grant assistance in last two years, you are **NOT ELIGIBLE**.
- The Masonic Grant period is **January 1 to November 1** or while funds are available.
- Complete application packets must be received **no later than November 1, if completion of services can meet the November 15 invoice deadline**.
- Funds are usually obligated by early June, so apply early.
- New applications are available mid-January of each year.

Approval Process

- **Complete application packets (with all required documents)** will be reviewed in the order received to ensure eligibility requirements are met.
- **Incomplete application packets** will not be reviewed.
- Applicant will be notified by mail or emailed whether approved or denied.
- If approved, the approval letter will act as a voucher for services.
- **EODD AAA is not responsible or liable for the quality or durability of work performed, injuries incurred, or for any payments beyond the approved limits.**
- Once the service is complete, the vendor will bill EODD directly for payment.
- Funding for this service is provided by the Masonic Charity Foundation of Oklahoma.
- It is the policy of EODD to serve all individuals who are eligible for its programs without regard to race, national origin, ancestry, color, religion, sex, age or disability.

YOU MUST INCLUDE AN ITEMIZED ESTIMATE AND ANY OTHER REQUIRED DOCUMENTS.

- Attached is a list of providers already approved by EODD.
- You may use a provider of your choice as long as the provider agrees to participate in a voucher system **BEFORE** you submit your complete application packet.
- Service providers can contact **Janet Bowen** at **(918) 682-7891** for specific instructions.

All work must be completed and all invoices received by EODD within 30 days of completion of services. No invoices will be accepted after Nov. 15, 2024.

2024 Services Available

APPLICANTS MUST BE AT LEAST 55 YEARS OR OLDER TO APPLY

Maximum amounts are listed but are not a guarantee of approval or approval amount.

Vision* - \$300 max (lenses & frames) **Appliances*** - \$750 max **Utility Assistance*** - \$250 max

Dental* - \$1,000 max (dentures only) **ADA Ramps*/Home Modifications *** - \$2,000 max

Door/Floor/Ceiling/Plumbing/Electrical/Central Heat & Air repairs* - \$1,000 max

Home repairs under this program are specifically intended to help applicants remain safely at home. Costs exceeding the maximum amounts listed are at applicant's expense. Awards are made by the EODD Review Committee and adjusted accordingly subject to most in need. Funds typically run out in May of each year.

*Appliances:

- An appliance is defined as a "NEW" refrigerator, oven, freezer, washer, dryer, or hot water tank, etc. Only a deliverable appliance will be considered.
Applicants can apply for one (1) appliance only.
- Vendor estimates must include a new appliance *cord, delivery, installation and removal costs.*
- This is to replace a broken appliance that is no longer working and not meant for an upgrade.

*Air Conditioner/heating units:

- If you own your own home, **repair** to central air or heating units may be eligible for funding.
- Vendor estimates must be itemized listing materials and labor. Proof of home ownership and pictures are required for each type of assistance related to the home.

*Door, floor, ceiling/plumbing, electrical, central heat & air repair:

- You must own your own home, no exceptions.
- Rent to own homes are not eligible. Income producing properties are not eligible.
- Must provide **estimate from contractor**, pictures, and legal proof of home ownership.
- EODD not liable for damages/injuries incurred.
- Only **ONE** application per household is allowed, and only once every two years.
- **Does not include issues related to routine maintenance/upkeep or mold/mildew remediation.**
- *Pictures of before and after repair work are required.*
- Roof repair is **NOT** considered a minor home repair.

*ADA ramps and bathroom modifications:

- **Disability related changes to your home**, such as a handicapped height toilet, shower and grab bars in place of existing bathtub, or a wheelchair ramp are available for disabled seniors ages 55+.
- You must own your home, no exceptions. Rent to own and rental properties are not eligible.
- *Before and after pictures are required.*

*Utility assistance:

- Very limited availability; *grant cannot be used to pay for connect or reconnect fees, or deposits.*
- A **copy** of the current utility bill including the current amount due must be provided.
- The utility bill **must be** in the *applicant's name*, used one time in a two-year period.

*Dentures/glasses:

- Treatment plan or estimate must include approximate assistance from insurance, if any.

UPDATED 2024 MASON VENDOR LIST

The vendors on this list are supplied for information purposes and are not a guarantee of payment or workmanship.

<u>Business</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Zip</u>	<u>Phone number</u>
DENTAL						
Keys Family Dentistry	25279 Hwy 82	Park Hill	Cherokee	OK	74451	(918) 458-5140
Geasland, John A., D.D.S.	212 N. Muskogee Ave.	Tahlequah	Cherokee	OK	74464	(918) 456-2273
Affordable Dentures & Implants	100 NW 9th St	Checotah	McIntosh	OK	74426	(918) 473-3700
Dental Care of Muskogee	2406 E. Shawnee Ave., Suite D	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74403	(918) 682-5518
Livingston, Dr. Robert J., DDS	1331 S. York St.	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74403	(918) 687-5462
Robert C. Johnson, DDS	115 S. Second St.	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74401	(918) 616-6870
Arnie D. McGee, DDS	210 Northway 10/P.O. Box 948	Gore	Sequoyah	OK	74435	(918) 489-5155
Dentures Today - Sallisaw	1290 W. Mentzer Ave.	Sallisaw	Sequoyah	OK	74955	(918) 775-5775
Girlinghouse, R.K., D.D.S.	1290 W. Mentzer Ave.	Sallisaw	Sequoyah	OK	74955	(918) 775-5775
Affordable Dentures & Implants	1875 N. Highway 66, Suite A	Catoosa	Wagoner	OK	74015	(918) 266-2906
Aspen Dental	615 W Shawnee St.	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74401	(918) 351-7135
Aspen Dental	8239 Rogers Ave.	Fort Smith	Sebastian	AR	72903	(479) 221-9342
EYES						
Brunk, Bill J. Optometry	816 W. Cedar	Stilwell	Adair	OK	74960	(918) 696-6717
Dotson Vision Care	105 Mimosa Lane	Tahlequah	Cherokee	OK	74464	(918) 431-9939
Hatfield Family Eye Care	3040 S. Muskogee Ave., Suite 109	Tahlequah	Cherokee	OK	74464	(918) 431-1444
Mahaney, James G., O.D.	119 N. Muskogee	Tahlequah	Cherokee	OK	74464	(918) 456-3352
Miller, Kate, O.D.	1640 W. Keetoowah St.	Tahlequah	Cherokee	OK	74464	(918) 456-2250
Wilkins, Dr. Leonard, O.D.	209 Woodlawn	Tahlequah	Cherokee	OK	74464	(918) 456-0585
Your Eye Shop	1612 S. Muskogee Ave.	Tahlequah	Cherokee	OK	74464	(918) 453-0002
Modern Eyes Ltd.	500 Eunice Burns Road	Eufaula	McIntosh	OK	74432	(918) 689-2547
Odom, Coburn & Richardson PLLC	403 S. Main	Eufaula	McIntosh	OK	74432	(918) 689-2677
Coy, Debbie S., O.D., P.C.	330 W. Hwy 62	Fort Gibson	Muskogee	OK	74434	(918) 478-8888
Broadway Vision Associates PLC	435 W. Broadway	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74401	(918) 687-4459
Creed, Richard, O.D.	3705 W. Broadway	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74401	(918) 687-7539
Eye Mart Express	940 W. Shawnee St.	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74401	(918) 686-7788
Hogle Eye Center	2500 Chandler Road	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74403	(918) 683-3937
Odom, Coburn & Richardson PLLC	742 N. York St.	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74403	(918) 682-7752
Premier Vision Center	942 W. Shawnee St.	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74401	(918) 687-0772
Rice, Dr. Karla	105 N. York St.	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74403	(918) 682-2181
Smythe, Dr. Penny B.	1157 N. York St.	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74403	(918) 683-8404

EYES Continued

Stephens General Dentistry	3519 Chandler Rd	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74403	(918) 683-2010
Warner Family Eye Care	210 Hwy 2/P.O. Box 790	Warner	Muskogee	OK	74469	(918) 463-3937
Eye Center, The	300 Creek Place	Okmulgee	Okmulgee	OK	74447	(918) 756-0316
Advanced Eye Care	311 E. Ray Fine Blvd., Suite 5	Roland	Sequoyah	OK	74954	(918) 427-3937
Dobbs Eye Clinic	603 W. Cherokee	Sallisaw	Sequoyah	OK	74955	(918) 775-5529
Vian Eye Clinic	P.O. Box 849	Vian	Sequoyah	OK	74962	(918) 773-5045
Rice Family Eye Care	512 E. Cherokee	Wagoner	Wagoner	OK	74467	(918) 485-4775
Wagoner Eye Clinic/Jeffrey A. Mitchell, O	1108 W. Cherokee St.	Wagoner	Wagoner	OK	74467	(918) 485-2123

HOME REPAIR/APPLIANCES*

*Lowe's Home Center - most locations

*Neals Home Store	2800 US-75	Okmulgee	Okmulgee	OK	74447	(918) 756-0920
*Hamby Appliance and TV	3916 W Okmulgee	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74401	(918) 682-8500
Drains N All plumbing	PO Box 1742	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74402	(918) 683-0303
Tahlequah Lumber Company	1701 Parkhill Road	Tahlequah	Cherokee	OK	74464	(918) 456-2506
Thomas Construction	60101 Oktaha Road	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74401	(918) 896-9284
AAA Septic	8922 W. 93rd St. South	Oktaha	Muskogee	OK	74450	(918) 261-3568
Tim Gallaway	P. O. Box 192	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74402	(918) 348-6758
McCoy's Building Supply	3428 Wood Drive North	Okmulgee	Okmulgee	OK	74447	(918) 756-0350
S&S Dozer and Backhoe	100285 S. 4492 Road	Gore	Sequoyah	OK	74435	(918) 541-4443
Richards Construction	P.O. Box 946	Sallisaw	Sequoyah	OK	74955	(918) 776-4305
Sallisaw Lumber Co.	301 W. Cherokee	Sallisaw	Sequoyah	OK	74955	(918) 775-6246
Thomas, Chris (The BOD Church)	419 S. Washington	Sallisaw	Sequoyah	OK	74955	(918) 774-2803
Action Air Heating & Cooling	415 W. Cherokee	Wagoner	Wagoner	OK	74401	(918) 485-0306
Copeland Heating & Air Conditioning	1441 S. Highway 69	Wagoner	Wagoner	OK	74477	(918) 485-4172
Torix, Anthony	2041 S 70th St E.	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74403	(918) 913-5145
Howard, Thomas Plumbing	643 N 18th St	Muskogee	Muskogee	OK	74401	(918) 869-9979

UTILITIES

Most utility companies accept EODD vouchers

2024 MASONIC GRANT KEY POINTS

Please READ ALL documentation BEFORE filling out or applying.

Incomplete applications will not be considered. Please review carefully before returning.
Don't leave anything blank! If it does not apply, write in N/A.

¹Complete applications packets, with original signatures, pictures, and all required documents should be mailed to:

- EODD AAA, Attn: Janet Bowen, P.O. Box 1367, Muskogee, OK 74402.
- Applications cannot be submitted via email or fax because original signatures are required.

Approval Process

- ¹Complete application packets will be reviewed upon receipt. Incomplete packets will not be reviewed.
- Applicant will be notified by letter or email whether approved or denied.
- An approval letter acts as a voucher for services which means the vendor should accept it as proof of payment by EODD Mason program and can do the work, deliver the appliance, etc. Call 918-682-7891 with questions.
- **EODD AAA is not responsible or liable for the quality or durability of work performed, injuries incurred, or for any payments beyond the approved limits.**
- Once the service is complete, the vendor will bill EODD directly for payment.
- Funding for this service is provided by the Masonic Charity Foundation of Oklahoma.
- **¹Incomplete application packets will not be reviewed or considered received until ALL required documents are received.**
- It is the policy of EODD to serve all individuals who are eligible for its programs without regard to race, national origin, ancestry, color, religion, sex, age or disability.

FINAL INVOICES TO REQUEST PAYMENT AFTER WORK IS COMPLETE

may be faxed to (918) 682-5444 or emailed to info@eoddok.org.

All work must be completed and all invoices received by EODD within 30 days of completion of services. ALL invoices are due by November 15, 2024.

Have questions? Call EODD AAA at (918) 682-7891.



¹***A complete application packet consists of the original, signed application page from this packet, estimate for assistance requested (copy of current utility, estimate for glasses, repair estimate, etc). Pictures and proof of home ownership, are required if requesting a minor home repair or ADA Modification.***

2024 MASONIC GRANT APPLICATION FOR SENIORS 55 OR OLDER

Application for assistance runs Jan. 1 through Nov. 1, 2024, or until funds are exhausted.

Name: _____

Telephone (with area code): _____ County: _____

Full address: Street _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP code _____

Date of birth: _____ Age: _____ Race (for reporting purposes only): _____

Total average monthly household income:

Social Security: \$ _____

Pension: \$ _____

Other (source/amount): \$ _____

People in household _____

Have you or a family member ever been a member of the Masons or Eastern Star? **Y / N** (circle one)

If so, who? _____

Is anyone in your household a veteran? **Y / N** (circle one)

If so, who? _____

I need **disability related ADA modifications** **Y/N** (circle one)

Do you have Oklahoma Medicaid Advantage or a case manager? _____

Alternate contact person _____

Alternate contact's phone _____

Total average monthly household expenses:

Rent/mortgage (circle one) \$ _____

Home insurance: \$ _____

Electric: \$ _____

Natural gas: \$ _____

Water: \$ _____

Garbage: \$ _____

Vehicle payment: \$ _____

Vehicle insurance: \$ _____

Vehicle fuel: \$ _____

Telephone: \$ _____

Cable: \$ _____

Groceries (not food banks) \$ _____

Medications (not covered

by Medicare, Medicaid

and/or insurance): \$ _____

Medical bills (not covered

by other means): \$ _____

Other (identify): \$ _____

COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION, SIGN IT AND RETURN WITH VENDOR ESTIMATE, PICTURES, PROOF OF HOME OWNERSHIP (IF A REPAIR). INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.

(See list of eligible requests)

I am requesting help with: _____

Why I need it: _____

COST: \$ _____

I understand that there is NO guarantee my application will be approved at all, or may be less than I have applied for. I authorize EODD to release information concerning this application and assistance received to appropriate agencies, as well as to the Masonic Charity Foundation of Oklahoma for recordkeeping purposes. **EODD AAA is not responsible or liable for the quality or durability of work performed, injuries incurred or for any payments beyond the approved limits.** I recognize that this program is based on need, and I certify and attest that all information above is true and accurate **under penalty of perjury for false statements.**

Signature

Date

RETURN ONLY THIS PAGE. INCLUDE ESTIMATE AND ANY OTHER REQUIRED DOCUMENTS.

MAIL TO: EODD, ATTN: MASON, PO BOX 1367, MUSKOGEE, OK 74402