

**261—48.8 (15) Application submittal and review process.**

**48.8(1)** The authority will develop a standardized application and make the application available to eligible housing businesses and to communities. To apply for assistance under the program, an interested person shall submit an application to the authority. Applications must be submitted online at [www.iowagrants.gov](http://www.iowagrants.gov). Instructions for application submission may be obtained at [www.iowagrants.gov](http://www.iowagrants.gov) or by contacting the Community Development Division, Economic Development Authority, 200 East Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50309.

**48.8(2)** The authority has final decision-making authority on requests for financial assistance for this program. Applications will be reviewed and scored by the staff of the authority. The director or the director's designee will make final funding decisions after considering the recommendations of staff. The director may approve, defer or deny an application.

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