

NEW! Common Grant Reporting

A group of New Mexico funders are serious about collaboration. They not only encourage it among their grantees, they are collaborating among themselves to make the grantmaking process easier for NM's nonprofits.

At last year's Funder's Forum, the group launched a common, on-line grant application form that is accessible on SHARE's Grantmaking page. To date, 12 grants have been awarded through this process, involving over 300

nonprofits.

At this year's Funder's Forum on February 16th in Albuquerque, the Funders Group will be introducing Phase 2, a common reporting form for grants awarded through the common grant application. The funders brought together their various reporting forms and agreed on a set of common questions that all their grantees will address in their reports.

One section of the common report asks grantees to identify and share what they have learned from implementing their grants. These answers will be published on the <u>SHARE site</u> to encourage nonprofits to learn from each other, to break down walls of isolation, and to work together more effectively.

The next phase: identifying opportunities for the funders to collaborate on grant-making, aligning grants to address larger and more complex challenges in our communities.

To learn more, reserve your place at the Funder's Forum.

Date/Time: February 16, 2017, 8:00-11:00 AM

Place: CNM Workforce Development Center, 5600 Eagle Rock Ave NW, Albuquerque, 87113 Cost: \$35, with a \$10 discount for members of the NM Association of Fundraising Professionals For more information or to reserve your spot, visit the AFP-NM website or contact staff@afp-nm.org