

## 2025 MANUFACTURING DAY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Dakota Manufacturing Extension Partnership, Inc., (Impact Dakota), has limited funds available to organizations to assist with Manufacturing Day activities in North Dakota. Organizations may apply for funds up to \$1,500. The funds will be awarded on a **first-come, first-served basis; deadline to apply is September 15<sup>th</sup>**.

*Goal: To raise awareness by students, parents, teachers, career counselors, job seekers, and the public about modern manufacturing and the exciting career choices in the industry.*

Responsibilities of Parties: The parties intend to do the following to help them achieve this goal:

- [Organization] will be the leader in assembling a team and planning local event(s) with the high schools, higher education institutions, manufacturers, and other partners and supporters for their community.
- [Organization] will include the Impact Dakota logo as a sponsor/partner in the marketing and in all event publicity, including, but not limited to websites, social media, radio, newspaper, television, or other media outlets. Impact Dakota will provide a logo to [Organization].
- [Organization] will share a summary of event with Impact Dakota such as: description of event, number and demographics of participants (age, gender, grade, etc), list of participating companies, encourage completion of pre- and post-event surveys (Impact Dakota will provide prior to event), etc.
- [Organization] will register their event (no cost) on the National Manufacturing Day website. Instructions on how to register will be provided by Impact Dakota.
- Impact Dakota will support the efforts of [Organization] as requested, including, but not limited to working with the ND Governor's Office on a proclamation, publicity of events through the Impact Dakota website, social media, etc.
- Impact Dakota will pay to [Organization] requested funds up to \$1,500, to offset expenses of the events. Expenses may include, but are not limited to, busing for students, local publicity, event materials, and miscellaneous event costs. **Payment will be made following receipt of the following:**
  - Summary of Event as indicated above
- Both [Organization] and Impact Dakota will sign a Memorandum Of Understanding (MOU) detailing above responsibilities. Impact Dakota will provide MOU after receipt of Manufacturing Day Assistance Application\*.
- [Organization] agrees to permit Impact Dakota and/or our state or federal partners access to attend and celebrate event with you.

*\*Impact Dakota has a limited amount of funds available for Manufacturing Day Assistance. Once the funding limit has been reached, further applications will not be accepted. **Deadline to apply is September 15th.***

# MANUFACTURING DAY ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

## Applicant Information:

Organization (*payment will be made to this entity*):

Contact Name:

Job Title:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Email:

Phone:

## Manufacturing Day Event Information:

Date of Event:

Event Name:

Time of Event:

Amount of funds requested: \$

Please describe your event:

Please describe how the funds will be used:

*Application deadline is September 15th.*