

# Dear [Recipient's Name],

I hope this message finds you well. I wanted to take a moment to express my appreciation for the effort you put into your recent grant application. While I understand that this outcome may feel disheartening, I believe this is not a reflection of your capabilities or the value of your project.

Your work is truly important, and there are many future opportunities ahead. I encourage you to keep pushing forward and to consider feedback you received as a stepping stone towards your next submission. Remember that many successful projects faced rejections before finding the right support.

Should you need guidance or wish to brainstorm ideas for your next application, do not hesitate to reach out. I am here to support you and believe in your potential to make a significant impact.

Wishing you the best of luck in your future endeavors.

Sincerely,  
[Your Name]  
[Your Position]  
[Your Institution]