

Grant Application Documents for Requests in the Amount of \$10,000 and Greater

- Proposal Narrative
- Board of Directors/Governing Body
 - Provide a list of your Board of Directors including affiliation/profession, board position, and years of service.
- o Project Budget
- Organization Financial Summary
- Organization Balance Sheet
- o A Copy of Your IRS Final Determination 501(c)(3) Letter

Capital Grant applicants need also enclose three competitive, comparable bids for each item to be funded.

Depending of the nature of the request, you may be required to submit additional information or will have specific submission instructions.

Proposal Narrative

Directions: Limit your Proposal Narrative to **four (4) pages maximum**. Fill in each section using the specific questions below as boldface headings with your responses in normal text.

Background (One page or less)

- 1. Your organization's history and accomplishments.
- 2. Your current programs and activities. Include the constituency you serve, with specific demographic information. How are they actively involved in your organization and/or how do they benefit from your organization's work?
- 3. Your organization's relationships both formal and informal with other organizations working ot meet the same need. In what way does your work differ from that of other organizations?

Funding Request

- 1. What need or problem does your project work to address?
- 2. In a short paragraph, tell us your project's (or organization's) goals and the specific outcomes you project for the grant period (i.e. numbers served, capital project completed, etc.).
- 3. Describe your project or the capital items requested, including:
 - Whether the project is new, ongoing or an expansion
 - Target audience, including specific demographic information
 - Activities/strategies that will be used to meet your stated outcomes
 - General timeline for the main objectives of your project
- 4. If this is a request for General Support, what are your organization's most pressing needs?
- 5. How do you plan to evaluate the effectiveness or impact of the project?
- 6. Summarize the skills and relevant experience of key staff/volunteers essential to the project's success. If other organizations are collaborating on this project, note which ones and in what ways.
- 7. If full funding is not available, what is the contingency plan for securing additional support and/or how can you modify your proposal

Project Budget

Organization Name					
Name of Project (if	different):				
Budget dates for gr	ant period:				
	Government grants, oth	er foundation grants	, individuals, business s	upport, events, fees for service	?,
Source	Total Project (\$)	Pending (\$)	Secured (\$)	Notes	
TOTAL INCOME					
List the In-Kind (no	on-cash) contributions	:			

EXPENSESPossible categories: Salaries, professional fees, rent and utilities, travel, publicity/outreach, events, capital items, etc

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Item	Total Project (\$)	This Request (\$)	Notes
TOTAL EXPENSES			

Organization Financial Summary

Organization Name:		Fiscal Year Dates:			
INCOME Possible categories: Governmen	t grants, foundation	n grants, individ	duals, business support, ev	vents, fees for service, etc.	
Source	Prior Ye (\$) [ar's Actual (date)	Projected Annual Budget (\$)	YTD Actual (\$) [] (date)	
TOTAL INCOME					
List the In-Kind (non-cash) co	ntributions:				

EXPENSESPossible categories: Salaries, professional fees, rent and utilities, travel, publicity/outreach, events, etc.

Item	Prior Year's Actual (\$) [] (date)	Annual Budget (\$)	YTD Actual (\$) [] (date)
TOTAL EXPENSES			
NET PROFIT OR LOSS			
Total Capital Expenses	\$	\$	\$

i.e., computers, vehicles ,building improvements, etc.:

Organization Balance Sheet Summary

	MOST CURRENT (\$)	PRIOR YEAR CLOSE (\$)
ASSETS	[] (date)	[] (date)
Current Assets		
Cash and Equivalents		
Accounts Receivable		
Prepaid Expenses		
Inventory		
Grants/Pledges Receivable		
Other		
Fixed Assets (Net)		
Property		
Buildings		
Equipment		
Investments		
Endowments		
Other		
TOTAL ASSETS		
LIABILITIES		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable		
Accrued Expenses		
Long Term Debt (Current Portion)		
Short Term Debt		
Other		
Long Term Debt (over a year)		
Loan		
Other		
TOTAL LIABILITIES		

Net Assets	
Unrestricted	
Temporarily Restricted	
Permanently Restricted	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	