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Kiwaniis of Nashville Foundation, Inc.

Thank you for your interest in the Kiwanis Foundation of Nashville's grant application process. Following, please find some information about our process and objectives:

Process

We review grants on a rolling basis at our regularly scheduled Board of Directors meetings. Should the Board not meet in a particular month your request will be taken up at the next scheduled board meeting.

We require that all grant applications have a Kiwanis member sponsor to be submitted for consideration. All members of the Kiwanis Club of Nashville are also members of the Kiwanis Foundation

Please provide as much detail as possible in your grant request to assist our full Board in understanding your request.

Objectives

We currently allocate between \$15,000 - \$20,000 in grants annually which are funded by donations from our members and from our modest endowment fund.

Grants requests between \$500 and \$2500 are typically within our ranges to consider for funding.

We have a preference to fund grants with organizations where we can concurrently create an opportunity for our members to engage in a related volunteer project.

We rarely fund events (i.e. golf outings, tastings, etc.). or fund organizations that aggregate funds to distribute to other 501(c)(3) organizations. While they are worthy fundraisers, as a community organization we seek a hands-on impact wherever possible and a direct allocation of our grant funding. We may consider proposals for strategic partnerships with non-profits in either of these areas if we believe they are synergistic.



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Grant Application

Agency Information

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____ Website _____

Executive director _____

Contact person/Title _____ Email _____

Kiwaniis sponsor _____

Total amount sought from Kiwanis of Nashville Foundation _____

Prior Awards Received from Kiwanis of Nashville Foundation (Years and Amounts):

Are you listed and current on any of the common "charity watchdog sites"?

If yes, which one and what is your rating?

If, no please include a copy of your 501(c)(3) letter with your application confirming tax-exempt status and complete this section:

Financial Details

Year organization founded _____ Are they a 501(c)(3)? YES NO

Budget for current fiscal year: Revenues _____ Expenses _____

Results of the most recently completed fiscal year: Revenues _____ Expenses _____

What is the organization's mission? _____

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PROJECT INFORMATION

On a separate page:

- Describe in some detail, the proposed project you are seeking to have funded or the use of proceeds for the grant. Include the challenges the agency addresses and their expected results/impact (250 words or less).
- If not greater Nashville, what is the geographic served (50 words or less)?
- Describe the demographics of the group to be served (100 words or less).
- How will the project directly impact youth in our community (100 words or less)?

Grants are made on a rolling basis, please submit this form as soon as you are aware of the need and at least 30 days prior to the expected funding decision.

Please email the completed application and supporting files to:

treasurer@kiwanisfoundation.org

or mail the documents to the following (allow 14-28 extra days for processing):

Kiwanis of Nashville Foundation

P. O. Box 22908

Nashville, TN 37202-2908