



WCF 2018 COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAM

MAKING OUR COMMUNITY BETTER

Since 2003, the Woodbury Community Foundation has worked hard to address the needs of those who live and work in Woodbury. Now, under new leadership, WCF is once again proud to offer Community Grants to support and invest in local nonprofits, which are doing work to make a real difference in real people's lives.

GRANT ELIGIBILITY

Our new revised 2018 Grants Program will fund grants of up to **\$2,000** for as many as **four** qualifying non-profits or government entities, including schools or community organizations, such as coalitions or a collaborative.

WHAT WE WILL FUND IN 2018

You, the community, have defined the top four areas of local concern in 2018:

- Improve community health and well-being
- Reduce hunger, especially for underserved local families
- Increase public safety
- Expand youth development

WCF will give special consideration to funding projects that address one of these four strategic focus areas and funding projects that will have the greatest community impact.

HOW TO APPLY

Please email the attached grant application form to the Foundation at wcf@woodburyfoundation.org. Grant applications are due by 5:00 pm on Friday, Sept. 21, 2018. The Grants will be awarded on Sunday, Nov. 18, 2018 at the WCF Chef Fest Gala. For questions contact the Foundation:

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GRANT PROPOSAL NARRATIVE

Proposals must be typed and limited to 4 pages, including the grant application.

A. Non-profit Background (appx 1 page)

1. Briefly describe your non-profit? Identify who will lead the project?
2. Who is your target audience? How many people? What are your demographics?
3. Describe the community need you are hoping to affect. (Briefly cite data or stats)

B. Project Information (appx. 2 pages)

1. What is the overall goal of this project?
2. Specifically, describe the project?
3. Describe your project "outcomes?"
4. How will you know that your program is making a difference? How will you measure outcomes?
5. What is your project's timeframe?
6. Describe how your project aligns with the WCF Strategic priorities?

C. Budget (appx 1 page)

1. Please describe in detail how you will use the grant funding?
2. What is your long-term strategy for continuing this work?

GRANT SELECT CRITERIA

- Does your project address one of the 2018 four strategic community focus areas?
- WCF is committed to addressing racial and economic disparities. How will your project address these disparities?
- Does your project use inclusiveness, collaboration, existing resources and innovative solutions?
- How will your project make a significant difference in our community?



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2018 GRANT APPLICATION

Cover Sheet

Date of Application:

Amount Requested:

Total Project Budget:

Organization:		
CONTACT PERSON:	PHONE NUMBER:	EMAIL:
NAME OF EXECUTIVE or EXECUTIVE SPONSOR:	PHONE NUMBER:	EMAIL:
PROJECT TITLE:		
STRATEGIC FOCUS:		
Community/Population Served:	Geographic Area Served:	
Please give a 2-3 sentence summary of request:		