

The Women's Fund
Community Foundation of Grand Forks, East Grand Forks and Region

Announcement of 2009 grant(s) for programs/projects that contribute to the empowerment of girls and women through one or more of the following:

Leadership development
Mentoring
Building self-esteem

The Women's Fund will give special consideration to

- requests for seed money for innovative projects or new directions
- projects that reach underserved girls/women
- collaborations

Grant amounts: The Women's Fund will award a total of \$10,000 and will accept requests up to that amount. Project budgets must show a match of 25%, which can be in-kind.

Application deadline: must be received in the Community Foundation office by 3:00 pm, **Friday, July 17, 2009**: Women's Fund, 620 DeMers Ave., Grand Forks, ND 58201

Community Foundation General Criteria and Guidelines

Eligibility: The Community Foundation awards grants to non-profit 501(c)(3) organizations in Grand Forks County and Polk County. If a request is for a collaborative project, a 501(c)(3) must serve as fiscal agent.

The Foundation will not support applications for:

- non-program operating expenses/indirect costs
- individuals
- annual appeals or capital campaigns
- religious organizations for religious purposes
- projects of organizations with discriminatory practices

Reporting: A written report documenting the project, outcomes and use of funds must be submitted at the end of the project.

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COMMUNITY FOUNDATION WOMEN'S FUND GRANT APPLICATION

Provide the information in Parts A and B, in the order requested, using no more than 3 pages. Submit 5 copies. (Note – only one copy of Part C)

A. Basic information

Organization name and address

Contact person and title

Phone, Fax and E-mail

Organization's tax identification #

(If applicant is not a 501(c)(3), identify and give information for project fiscal agent.)

Amount requested (and whether partial funding will be accepted)

B. Project information

1. What are the goals of the project?
2. How will the goals be accomplished? Describe project activities. Who will be reached and how?
3. How does the project fit your organization's overall mission and program?
4. How will you measure outcomes?
5. What is the project budget – anticipated income and expenses?

C. Attachments. Provide only one copy of each of the following:

- IRS 501(c)(3) letter of applicant or fiscal agent
- Most recent board-approved year-end statement, audit or 990
- List of board members and their affiliations

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