

Community Grant Allocation Criteria

Applicant: _____								Decision			
Requested Amount: \$ _____								Grant amount:			
Weighted Decision-Making Criteria											Rating
Low				Medium			High				
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
Charity or non-profit	Not a charity or non-profit or not clearly identified			Claims to be a charity or non-profit			Provides proof they are a CRA registered charity or incorporated as a non-profit				
Board of Directors information	None provided, or only submitting member			Partial list provided			Committed volunteer board				
A team or community group or member thereof, or ambassador representing the County	Not identified as a team or community group or member or ambassador			Inferred reference to team or community group			Clearly identified team or group or member or ambassador				
FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY											
Financial Statements provided	No statements or old statements provided			Recent unaudited statements provided			Audited recent statements provided				
Annual organization budget provided	No or minimal budget provided			Prior budget provided, not current			Fulsome current budget provided				
Project/event budget provided	No or minimal budget provided			Minimal high level budget provided			Fulsome current budget provided				
Has other fundraising initiatives	Has no other sources of funding			Minimal sources of other funding			Fundraising and /or grant requests from other entities				
Has received grants from the County in the past	Has applied and received grants in the past			Has applied, but not received grants in the past			Has never applied in the past				
BENEFIT TO THE COMMUNITY											
Improves quality of life	No clear benefit to residents			Minimal enhancement to quality of life			Evident benefit to quality of life				
Builds the assets and strengths of the community	No assets or strengths identified			Some assets or strengths identified			Evident benefit to assets or strengths				
Creative or unique approach to tackling community issues	No approach to tackling issues identified			Standard approach identified			Innovative, well thought out approach				
Enhances the image of the County	No impact on image of the County			Minimal impact on image of County			Definitive image enhancement				
Helps to build the capacity of individuals, organizations or communities	No capacity benefit identified			Minimal capacity benefit identified			Clear benefit to capacity identified				
TOTAL											