



Grant Application

Date of Application:

Instructions: *Please carefully review the Foundation's mission, eligibility, and funding criteria and ensure that your proposal is well aligned to our purpose. Applicants can either type their responses in the spaces provided below or may reproduce the questions on this application in a word-processing system. If applications submit a word-processed application, be sure to include responses to all questions and restrict the total length of your application to no more than three pages. *Please also attach a detailed budget of not more than one page. Total application cannot exceed 4 pages.*

Organizational Description

1. Name, Mailing Address:

2. Name, phone, and email of person submitting this application:

3. Please provide a concise description of the mission of your organization:

4. Geographic area(s) served:

5. Year founded:

6. Operating budget for prior fiscal year:

a. Current fiscal year budget:

b. What portion of your operating budget is directly involved in with helping youth at risk?

7. Size of endowment, if any:

8. Number of employees:

9. *Please attach a copy of the IRS determination indicating qualified tax-exempt status.*

Proposed Project

10. Amount being requested:

Select if willing to accept partial funding*

Select if NOT willing to accept partial funding

*Note: Partial funding will disqualify your organization from re-applying to MainStreet Foundation grants for one year from award cycle (ie. a February award would mean you cannot apply until March of the following year).

11. Period to be covered by funds:

12. What is the central objective for the effort you propose? Please provide a short description with key activities and a timeline.

13. Briefly describe the history of the effort you propose. Is it a new project? An on-going one? How can the Foundation be assured that a grant would have a lasting impact?

14. Once completed, how will your effort have addressed the Foundation's Mission to promote sustainable, long-term benefits in the improved welfare of our youth at risk?

14. In what ways will you be able to observe and measure the impact of your proposed effort?

15. Please provide any additional, relevant, information about the proposed project: