

APPLICATION FOR 2010 GRANT FUNDS

Zonta Foothills Club of Boulder County is dedicated to the advancement of women worldwide through enhancing education, attaining economic stability, promoting legal equity, addressing domestic violence /safety and maintaining health and wellness. We focus a great deal of our efforts on supporting groups in Boulder County whose work is consistent with this goal. Local 501(c)(3) non-profit organizations are eligible for funding from the Zonta Foothills Foundation, a non-profit corporation which carries out the charitable purposes of Zonta Foothills Club of Boulder County, as the law permits.

Application

To be considered for funding, organizations must complete the Community Grant Application and provide all required materials. Applications should be mailed or emailed to the Club's President listed below. The Committee strongly prefers that applications be emailed.

Instructions

Email this application form (Section 1) and the narrative (Section 2) as an attachment to president@zontafoothills.org or mail to Zonta Foothills Club of Boulder County, Grant Applications, P.O. Box 19964, Boulder CO, 80301-9998

Selection Process

The Service Committee will evaluate all applications and make recommendations for approval by the Club's full membership. All applicants will be notified of the final decisions.

Awards: Each grant, for up to \$5,000, is for **one year only**.

Required Qualifications

- The organization must be non-profit and have tax exempt status under 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- The services provided by the organization must not be religious or political in nature.
- Organizations may request funding up to \$5,000.
- Zonta Foothills Club does NOT support fundraising galas, dinners, luncheons, sports teams, advertising, programs benefiting an individual recipient, casino nights or tournaments.
- Please do not use this form for sponsorship requests.
- If offered a grant greater than \$1000, the organization must report how the grant was used by October 2010.

Timing

Applications are accepted beginning September 1, 2009. Applications are due by **October 7, 2009** to be considered for funding for the 2010 calendar year. Awards will be distributed in December.

Questions?

Please contact: Ann Hodgson, Service Committee Co-chair
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SECTION 1

If space provided in any section is inadequate, you may continue on additional sheets of paper using the same format. Please make your answers concise and informative.

Organization Name:

Organization's legal name, if different from above:

Name and Title of Individual Submitting This Request:

Name:

Title:

Mailing Address:

Phone:

Fax:

Contact and address to send check if different from above:

Organization 501(c)(3) ID Number:

Website Address:

Email Address:

Organizations primary focus (identify those that apply):

- Education
- Economic Stability
- Legal Equity
- Gender Violence
- Health & Wellness
- Domestic/Violence/Safety

\$ Amount Requested: _____

Organization's Total Operating Budget: _____

Other Funding Sources:

What organizations, if any, are you collaborating with on the efforts described in the application?

SECTION 2

This narrative should not exceed two pages.

1. Overview of your organization. Describe the services provided and needs addressed by your agency, how clients are selected, your geographic reach and the total number of women served during the past year.
2. Describe how 2010 grant funds would be used. Highlight how they would be used to meet the following funding criteria:
 - The project/program affects or involves women and/or girls. Please estimate numbers affected.
 - The program improves one or more of the following areas that are the focus of Zonta's mission:
 - § Education
 - § Economic Stability
 - § Legal Equity
 - § Health and Wellness
 - § Domestic Violence/Safety
 - Will funding be used locally or internationally
 - Will the project increase local awareness of Zonta Foothills Club of Boulder County and its mission
3. Did Zonta Foothills provide funds to your organization last year?
YES NO
4. If YES, how specifically was the grant used. Include: a brief description of the project, current status, number of women and girls affected, public recognition you gave to Zonta Foothills, your group's use of Zonta volunteers.
5. How will you acknowledge and/or publicize Zonta funding to the public and your constituency? (i.e. web site, newsletter, etc.)
6. Zonta Foothills is looking for organizations with which to get involved through hands-on service hours as well as direct financial support. Please describe specifically the extent to which Zonta Foothills can offer your organization volunteer hours (e.g., help at educational events, mentoring, clerical help, childcare, project work, other fund raising, etc.).
7. Do you have an electronic mailing list that could be utilized for announcements of Zonta Foothills fundraising efforts (e.g. annual Author's Luncheon and international craft sales)? If so, would you be willing to distribute Zonta announcements to your list? (Note: this will help us help you and the organizations we support.)