



## CATHOLIC CHARITIES CAMPAIGN FOR CHARITY AND JUSTICE

# Community/Economic Development Grant Application

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Before submitting this application, please check ensure your project or program matches our published interests and the forms of grant support that we will consider providing (e.g., general support, project support, etc.). Information about this grant programs is available from Catholic Charities on our website, <https://CatholicCharitiesNY.org/charityandjustice/>

### Instructions:

- Please type and single-space all proposals.
- Please answer all of the questions in the order listed.
- Please use headings as provided.
- Please submit only one copy.
- Please do not include any materials other than those specifically requested at this time.
- Please do not send video or any other media unless specifically requested

Please choose **ONE** of the following methods of submission:

- Submit Online at [CatholicCharitiesNY.org/CharityandJustice](https://CatholicCharitiesNY.org/CharityandJustice)
- Mail printed copy to:

Catholic Charities of New York  
Department of Social & Community Development  
1011 First Ave, 7th Floor, RM 787  
New York, NY 10022  
c/o Tom Dobbins

## Deadline: July 31, 2023



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Community/Economic Development  
Application Form Cover Sheet

Date of application: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of organization to which grant would be paid. Please list exact legal name:

\_\_\_\_\_

Project name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose of grant (one sentence): \_\_\_\_\_

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Address of organization: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Executive Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person and title (if not executive director): \_\_\_\_\_

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Is your organization an IRS 501(c)(3) not-for-profit? (yes or no): \_\_\_\_\_

If no, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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Provide name and EIN of 501 (c)3 serving as Fiscal Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Grant request: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Check one (based on provided guidelines):

General support \_\_\_\_\_

Project support \_\_\_\_\_

Total organizational budget (for current fiscal year): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Dates covered by this budget (mo/day/year): \_\_\_\_\_

Total project budget (if requesting project support): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Dates covered by project budget (mo/day/year): \_\_\_\_\_



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# Community/Economic Development Grant Proposal Format

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### **I. PROPOSAL SUMMARY: one-half page, maximum**

Please summarize in a short paragraph the purpose of your agency. Briefly explain why your agency is requesting this grant, what outcomes you hope to achieve, and how you will spend the funds if a grant is made.

### **II. NARRATIVE — Five pages maximum.**

#### **A. Background — Describe the work of your agency, addressing each of the following:**

1. A brief description of its history and mission.
2. The need or problem that your organization works to address, and the population that your agency serves, including geographic location, socio-economic status, race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, age, physical ability, and language.
3. Current programs and accomplishments. Please emphasize the achievements of the recent past.
4. Number of paid full-time staff; number of paid part-time staff; number of volunteers.
5. Your organization's relationships — both formal and informal — with other organizations working to meet the same needs or providing similar services. Please explain how you differ from these other agencies.

#### **B. Funding Request — Please describe the program for which you seek funding.**

1. If applying for general operating support, briefly describe how this grant would be used.
2. If your request is for a specific project, please explain the project including:
  - A statement of its primary purpose and the need or problem that you are seeking to address.
  - The population that you plan to serve and how this population will benefit from the project.
  - Strategies that you will employ to implement your project.
  - The proposed staffing pattern for the project, and the names and titles of the individuals who will direct the project.
  - Anticipated length of the project.
  - How the project contributes to your organization's overall mission.

#### **C. Evaluation — Please explain how you will measure the effectiveness of your activities. Describe your criteria for a successful program and the results you expect to have achieved by the end of the funding period.**

**III. ATTACHMENTS — Please label all attachments to correspond to the bold-faced, capitalized items below.**

**A. Financial Information — Please provide the dates that each document covers.**

1. Your **MOST RECENT FINANCIAL STATEMENT**, audited if available.
2. Your **OPERATING REVENUE AND EXPENSE BUDGETS** for the current and prior fiscal year including sources of income.
3. If project funding is requested; **CURRENT REVENUE AND EXPENSE BUDGET FOR THE PROJECT**. List each staff line separately and include % of time spent on project. Indicate the specific sources and uses of the requested grant, if possible.

**B. Other Supporting Materials**

1. A list of your Board of Directors, with their affiliations.
2. A copy of your most recent IRS letter indicating your agency's tax exempt status, or, if not available, an explanation.
3. One-paragraph resumes of key staff, including qualifications relevant to the specific request.
4. Your most recent annual report, if available.
5. No more than three examples of recent articles about, or evaluations of, your organization, if available.