

Community Foundation Grey Bruce

Fund Matching Program Initiative

Request for Proposals for “Community Endowed Fund” Initiative

Summary: Grants of up to \$20,000 are available to three (3) Existing Community Endowed Funds and five (5) new Community Endowed Funds with the Community Foundation Grey Bruce. These Community Endowed Funds are designed to support qualified not-for-profit or charitable organizations within municipalities. The Community Funds must commit to matching the grant in a 1:2 ratio,(for every 2 dollars raised, one dollar will be matched up to a maximum of \$20,000), this must be completed over one year. Flow-through granting of kick start funds is not permitted. All matched funds must remain with the Foundation if the Endowed Fund is ever dissolved. Annual investment income will be reinvested into the fund until the endowed capital reaches \$25,000.

Letters of intent are due by November 30, 2010 with the Municipal Charitable Number.

Questions/Need Help: contact Wendy or Roberta at 519-371-7203 or cfgreybruce@brucetelecom.com

Introduction

The Community Foundation Grey Bruce is pleased to announce this matched funding opportunity which has been made possible with the generous support of the Betty MacKay Estate. The program will be directed and managed by Community Foundation Grey Bruce over the one year period.

Award Requirements

Successful Applicants will be required to:

- Commit to a 1:2 match of funds within one year
- Have municipal signing authority written permission to proceed
- Report to the Community Foundation Grey Bruce quarterly for the one year period with a final report upon completion
- Matching will be credited to the fund on a quarterly basis
- Be willing to share promotional ideas with the Foundation to assist other funds to grow.
- Give permission to allow the Foundation to publicize accomplishments

Please send proposals via e-mail to : cfgreybruce@brucetelecom.com or mail to Community Foundation Grey Bruce, Box 81, Owen Sound, On. N4K 5P1

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COMMUNITY FOUNDATION GREY BRUCE

BLUE MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY FUND

A BLUE MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY FUND would be a community based, personalized Endowment Fund for use in The Blue Mountains communities only. This Fund is formed under the guidance of the Community Foundation Grey Bruce. Donations made to this fund will be held in perpetuity. The interest earned from this fund will be used to support not-for-profit organizations within Blue Mountain, on a yearly basis, ensuring that they will have the support that they require in the future.

Citizens have always wanted to give to their community as a way of saying thank you and of sharing the good fortunes that have come their way. Citizens have always wanted to leave something for the future, as well as making a difference in the present, to causes and issues that matter to them. Community Endowed Funds make possible, indeed encourage, all these aspirations and desires of individuals, families, businesses and community organizations.

A Blue Mountain Fund Management Committee would be created consisting of 8-10 residents within the community. This Management Committee, chosen with the advice of Council, would have a fair, broad ranging representation of the population. With a direct relationship in the community, this committee will work hand-in-hand with Community Foundation Grey Bruce to find ways to advertise the new Community Fund, create a Fund Development Program to grow the fund and create a Grant Review Team to review applications for funding on a yearly basis.

The Community Foundation Grey Bruce is one of 172 Community Foundations in Canada and we are now in 32 Countries around the world. We exist to enrich the quality of life for people of Grey and Bruce Counties by supporting communities and their endeavor to provide for the future by connecting people who care with causes that matter. A Blue Mountain Community Fund would give residents an opportunity to donate knowing that their contribution will remain in Blue Mountain forever.

All donations to this fund are welcome and will receive a charitable receipt. In 2007, the capital gains was waived on donations to Community Foundations in Canada, therefore donations to our funds receive a 100% charitable donation receipt and 100% goes to the chosen fund. We have people in place to dissolve of stocks, bonds, art work, real estate, wills, insurance policies ect.

The Community Foundation Grey Bruce is available @519-371-7203 or email cfgreybruce@brucetelecom.com
Information about the Foundation can also be found on their web-site www.communityfoundationgreybruce.com

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