



COMMUNITY CHALLENGE GRANT PROPOSAL

Name of Organization that will benefit from Grant

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone Number

Fax Number

Contact Person/Title

Is this organization a 501(c)(3) charity? ___ Yes ___ No ID# _____

If no, please explain: _____

Please submit a copy of your charity's IRS 501(c)(3) determination letter.

Your Name/Title

Dealership Name

Address

City State Zip

Amount you will pledge

Briefly describe benefactor organization and/or program

The undersigned submits this Community Grant Proposal for consideration and certifies that the above information is true and correct.

Signature

Date

Annual Application Deadlines: April 1 and October 1
Attention: Kara S. Nania, Vice President
Fax to: (608) 251-4379



COMMUNITY CHALLENGE GRANTS

Policies

- Only grant proposals from dealership owners or their corporate officers are eligible.
- One grant request per dealer per calendar year.
- Dealers making the grant must submit a letter to The Foundation with the Grant Application that confirms the benefactor organization's status as an IRS qualified, 501(c)(3), tax exempt, charitable organization. Qualifying organizations must be within Wisconsin.
- A copy of a check issued by the dealer donor and payable to the charity is required prior to the issuance of a grant check by The Foundation. The grant amount may be up to 50% of the dealer's gift, not to exceed \$1,000 to the benefactor organization. The check will be mailed to the dealer to be presented by the dealer and/or a Foundation representative.
- Uniqueness, need and impact will be the criteria used in all grant proposals.
- Grant proposals that are duplicative of The Foundation's Scholarship Program, or proposals promoting specific religious beliefs or political views, are not eligible.

How To Apply

Application Procedure

The Foundation operates on a fiscal year from January 1 through December 31. Annual proposal deadlines are **April 1 and October 1**. The Foundation Development Advisory Committee reviews all proposals and recommends grants for approval by The Foundation Board of Directors. Notification of awards is made in November. Commitments for funds are not made verbally, however site visits may be requested. An application form is required for all Dealer Community Challenge Grants. All requests must be in writing, and should include the following information:

- A copy of the check issued by your dealership to the recipient organization.
- Complete **Dealer Community Challenge Grant Application**
- A copy of the charity's IRS determination letter confirming 501(c)(3) charitable status.

Mail to:

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