

ARCHDIOCESE OF DETROIT
Catholic Campaign for Human Development

LOCAL GRANT APPLICATION CRITERIA AND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Poverty and injustice remain bitter fruits of our inhumanity to one another, but through its ministry of social justice and solidarity, the Catholic Campaign for Human Development is bringing new hope to millions of Americans.

- Most Reverend Howard J. Hubbard
Diocese of Albany, New York; Chairman of USCCB-CCHD Committee

The bishops of the United States established the Catholic Campaign for Human Development 40 years ago to help people end poverty not for just a day, but for a lifetime. CCHD is committed to helping people change the conditions that keep them living in a state of poverty. CCHD projects in our diocese and throughout the United States support low-income people as they work together to improve educational opportunities, create jobs, and improve access to services for the disabled.

The national office of the Catholic Campaign for Human Development each year provides grants to organizations that foster self-sufficiency and strengthen communities by eliminating the root causes of poverty and enacting institutional change. Likewise the Archdiocese of Detroit provides local Catholic Campaign for Human Development grants to organizations affiliated with a Catholic parish or vicariate. Typically grants are awarded in the \$5000 to \$10,000 range for programs that seek to create a long term solution to a poverty related issue. An eligible organization will:

1. Exist and operate within the six counties of the Archdiocese of Detroit.
2. Have a working relationship with a Catholic parish or vicariate of the Archdiocese of Detroit.
3. Be a non profit organization.
4. Serve a community where at least fifty percent (50%) of the population are people experiencing poverty.
5. Have representative leadership from the community it serves.
6. Seek to increase self-reliance, self-sufficiency and self-determination for people who are motivated to break out of the cycle of poverty.
7. Demonstrate a clear vision for development of financial capacity that might include membership dues, grassroots fundraising, foundation and/or corporate support.
8. Be fully non-partisan when engaging in political activities. Organizations engaged in partisan political activity are not eligible.
9. Directly benefit a relatively large number of people rather than a few individuals.
10. Generate cooperation among and within diverse groups in the interest of a more integrated and mutually understanding society.

Return application by Friday, May 29, 2009, 4:30 p.m. to:

CCHD Local Grant
Attention Carolyn Ginotti
Department of Parish Life & Services
305 Michigan Ave. – 10 th floor
Detroit, MI 48226-2614
Fax 313-237-5869/Phone 313-237-4696

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LOCAL GRANT APPLICATION FOR FY 2009 - 2010**

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of Organization/Project: _____

Contact Person: _____ Position/Title: _____

Address _____
Street *City*

Daytime Phone _____ Email _____

Brief Program Description _____

Parish/Vicariate Partner _____

Number of people served monthly _____ or annually _____

Number of Paid Staff Full time _____ Part Time _____ Unpaid Volunteers _____

Total Grant Request from Local CCHD \$ _____

Amount of Financial Support from Parish(s)/Vicariate \$ _____

Total Budget for Organization \$ _____

Other Fundraising or Financial Support	Amount
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____

CCHD grants previously awarded in past three years	
Local Year/Amount	National Year/Amount
\$ _____	\$ _____
\$ _____	\$ _____
\$ _____	\$ _____

II. Grant Detail

Organization Description Please give a brief description of the organization, including its history and accomplishments, how long it has been active and how it motivates people to become self-sufficient.

Parish/Vicariate Involvement Please give a brief description of how the parish(s) or vicariate(s) are involved in this project, including their relationship to the organization.

Project Evaluation Please give a brief description of the long term impact or outcome, including specific goals and activities, and how accomplishments will be measured and evaluated.

III. REQUIRED SIGNATURES Your signature below indicates support of this application.

Parish/Vicariate and Title _____ *Name/Title* _____ *Date* _____

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