



Grant Guidelines

We are so excited that you are joining us for the **Extreme Makeover: Nonprofit Edition** conference! We hope this conference provides opportunity for you to...

- Assess where you are,
- Identify where you are headed, and
- Outline the steps to get there.

The Extreme Makeover grant opportunity is offered to nonprofits attending this year's conference either LIVE or via STREAMING to help take YOUR nonprofit to the next level. This year we are giving up to \$10,000 to help you **get organized** and **get funded!** Funds cannot be used for programs or to cover day-to-day expenses. These funds are intended to be used to **build the capacity of your nonprofit** and take your organization to the next level. The possibilities are endless! Use them to purchase a database to collect information on program impact or buy membership in networking organizations or hire a part-time development person. What is standing in the way of you moving your organization forward? You choose the best way to use these funds to **strengthen the infrastructure** of your nonprofit!

Organizations **must be present** to win. There are two ways to attend...LIVE or via STREAMING -- just make sure you are able to attend the conference in its entirety. The grant will be awarded LIVE at the conference.

Here are some guidelines:

Applicants must be 501c3 organizations or actively in the process of obtaining their 501c3. Our goal is help nonprofit organizations build their sustainability. That means we want YOU to be around for a long time serving your community. We will confirm that you are an active nonprofit through your EIN but *if you are in the process of applying for your 501c3 you'll need to let us know that through your grant application.*

Grants will be submitted via video. Here is your chance to sell us on your organization. Be creative and be passionate. Don't worry about the video being professional quality cinematography. We are interested in who you are, what you do and why you do it. Be compelling and tell your story well. Tell us how you impact your community and how this grant can help you do that better. You need to cover the following in your video:

- Who you are and what you do.
- Where you are now and where you hope to go through this Extreme Makeover challenge.
- How you will use these funds to better your organization and make you *more sustainable.*

Videos should be about 3 minutes in length. We'll give you some leeway on either side of 3 minutes but don't make it too short or too long. Be creative and have fun! Videos should be submitted via this link to dropbox: <https://www.dropbox.com/request/fmY786eG3nk51urX3lr5>

In addition to your video you will need to email the following to grantchallenge@cdp.training:

- Grant Application Form
- Current Board roster (list of board members with their contact information and professional affiliation)
- Year to date financial statements (Statement of Financial Activities and Statement of Financial Position)

The deadline for submission is approaching quickly! All videos and attachments have to be submitted by 5pm EDT on Friday, September 20, 2019. What are you waiting for?! Get started!

Questions? Call us at 513/858-1738 or contact us via email at grantchallenge@cdp.training. Good luck!



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