

Mount Vernon Presbyterian Foundation 2016 Grant Application Information

Purpose of the Foundation:

Mt. Vernon Presbyterian Foundation was created in 1998 in order to fund church related and outreach projects beyond funds provided by the church itself. Funds contributed to the Foundation may be designated for a specific purpose or provided for general use. The Foundation funds projects out of the interest earned on the principal contributed for that purpose.

Types of projects funded:

The purpose of this request for proposal is to solicit applications for grants to outreach projects. It is the goal of the Foundation to fund projects that support mission and outreach, buildings and equipment, Christian education, worship and music, and other Christian based projects as approved by the board. We particularly give priority to projects that promote Christian values and programs where our grant can make the most impact.

This grant is for a one year project. We do not support projects for political purposes. A project may request a grant each year, but receipt of a grant one year is no guarantee of a grant in future years. To be eligible for a grant, the grantee must be a 501(c)(3) organization and have been in existence a minimum of one year.

Grant Application Process:

Applications (including the attached grant application form and necessary attachments) should be submitted by **April 29, 2016** to:

Charlie Gray
Charlie.Gray@GVFinancial.com

The Foundation will review all applications together and will notify grantees by May 31, 2016 if their application can be funded. Please address any questions to Charlie Gray (Charlie.Gray@GVFinancial.com or 770-295-5607); Michelle Smart (michellelsmart@yahoo.com); Kathryn Wade (kwade@ktslaw.com or 404-277-0482); or Stan Williams (aswilliams@bellsouth.net).

**Mt. Vernon Presbyterian Foundation
2016 Grant Application Form**

NAME OF ORGANIZATION: _____

ADDRESS _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

TITLE: _____

NAME OF PROJECT: _____

AMOUNT REQUESTED: _____

MISSION/OBJECTIVE OF PROJECT:

PREVIOUS SOURCE(S) OF SUPPORT:

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

1. Period of Funding for the project
2. Description of project, including:
 - a) Number, geography, and type of population served
 - b) Brief history of project.
3. Years organization has been in operation
4. Other potential funding/matching sources for the project
5. Description of accomplishments of the organization
6. Identify your officers/directors/key staff

PLEASE ATTACH THE FOLLOWING:

1. Copy of the organization's 501(c)(3) determination letter
2. Budget for the requested funds
3. Copy of the organization's current financial statements and annual budget including the percentage of income allocated to administrative overhead
4. Biographies/resumes of key staff/officers/directors
5. Support letters (optional)
6. Evidence of use of MVPF grant funds in 2015 or previous award periods

