



The Garden Conservancy

Garden Futures Grant Application Preview

This is a preview of the questions asked on the Garden Futures Grant Application. The official form is available online [here](#).

* denotes a required field.

About the Organization

1. Contact First Name*
2. Contact Last Name*
3. Contact Email*
4. Contact Phone Number*
5. Title*
6. Name of Organization*
7. Is this organization exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code OR applying through a fiscal sponsor that is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code?* Yes/No
8. Are you applying through a fiscal sponsor?* Yes/No
9. Organization Mailing Address
 1. Street*
 2. City*
 3. Country*
 4. State/Province*
 5. Zip/Postal code*
10. Organization Website URL*
11. How much are you requesting*

Tell Us About Your Organization

1. Mission Statement* (max 2,000 characters)
2. Please provide a brief history of your organization.* (max 2,000 characters)

3. What are your organization's top 2-3 strategic goals for the next five years? This need not be a lengthy response; 2-3 sentences for each would suffice.* (max 1,500 characters)
4. What was your organization's operating budget for the last fiscal year?*(max 1,000 characters)
5. What category best describes your organization? Check all that apply.
 1. Community Garden
 2. Public Garden
 3. History Museum
 4. Art Museum
 5. Library/Archive
 6. Other

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How does your organization meet the goals of this initiative?

1. We welcome applications from organizations that fit under at least one of the following categories; which of these categories applies more to your organization?*

 1. Those making a significant impact in diverse communities through garden- based programming
 2. Those contributing to the study and preservation of garden history
 3. Both of the above, equally

2. Please briefly describe the community/communities that your organization serves.* (max 1,500 characters)
3. If applicable, please describe the positive impact that your organization has on these communities, using data if available. How do you measure your impact? Please briefly describe. (max 1,500 characters)
4. The Garden Conservancy is committed to awarding grants for general operating purposes, with no strings attached. That being said, if there is a particular program that needs funding, please share relevant details. Please briefly describe. (max 5,000 characters)
5. The Garden Conservancy is committed to promoting sustainable gardening practices through all of our programs. Please describe any efforts of your organization to implement or encourage sustainable gardening practices. Please briefly describe. (max 1,000 characters)

6. Would you like to be contacted about potential program partnerships? This will not influence grant decisions. Yes/No
7. How did you learn about this grant opportunity?
8. Do you or your organization have a connection to the Garden Conservancy? (e.g. Participated in Open Days Program) Yes/No

Supplementary Documents

We understand that smaller organizations may not be legally required to have all of these documents, but please be as complete as possible.

Upload the following documents:

- List of your organization's officers and governing board members
- Most recent annual report
- Most recent Form 990 *required
- Most recent audited financial statement
- If applying through a fiscal sponsor, upload proof of the sponsor agreement
- Revenue Code OR evidence that fiscal sponsor is tax-exempt under Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code *required

Accepted file formats are PDF, Microsoft Word, or Microsoft Excel. Maximum file size is 10MB.

Photos

Upload 3-5 high-resolution images that best reflects your organization's mission.