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General Information

The Foundation funds in five main areas:

- Jewish Life: serving the Jewish community of Rochester and Ontario Counties
- High Quality K-12 Education: focused on the education system in Rochester
- Entrepreneurship and Economic Opportunity: helping entrepreneurs in Rochester start and/or grow business.
- Community Response: working with community members on pressing needs that fall outside our main focus areas above
- Arts and Culture: helping Monroe and Ontario Counties have robust and representative arts and cultural opportunities

Funding Information

- Community Response is the flexible funding area that is open to general requests and does not connect to a specific strategy. Arts and Culture funding is a subset of Community Response.
- All requests are managed through the online Grantee Portal, Fluxx. Connect with Marcus to learn how to access the site.
- There are no deadlines for submission—Marcus can help you with your application and general timing.
- Grant amounts depend on the organization's budget and the need of the request. The average grant size for a Community Response grant is \$17,000.
- Funding decisions are made between staff and the Board of Trustees, so decision timing varies depending on the request size and the Trustee meeting schedule.

General Application Information

- What do you want to do, why do you want to do it, and how will you do it?
- What do you hope to accomplish?
- How will you use the funds?
- How is the community you serve imbedded in the work?
- List of your Board of Directors
- Financial information (budgets)