

2024 United Neighborhoods Grant Application, Southeast Neighborhood

The 2024 United Neighborhoods Grant Cycle will award five, one-time \$10,000 grants to nonprofit service providers, to fund programs that serve the residents of 46613, 46614 and 46601. Grants will be awarded in service of the following priorities: Education (Early Learning/Youth Success) Health, Economic Mobility & Safety Net Services (Critical Needs)

The grant cycle will open on March 1, and will close on March 31. Determinations will be announced in June 2024.

You will need the following attachments for your application:

- IRS 501(c)(3) determination letter
- Program Budget

Applicants will be asked to apply under one of the above-listed Impact priorities. Once the Impact area has been identified, an additional question will be populated to allow the agency to choose their applicable reporting criteria.

1. Describe your organization's mission, vision, and its work. (250 words)
2. What is the target population you are seeking to serve within the 46601, 46613, and 46614 zip codes? Please include the number of individuals you anticipate serving. (250 words)
3. Describe the program you are seeking to fund. If the program is new, please describe why and how it was developed, also include the staffing plan. If the program exists provide data that explains the success of the program. (500 words)
4. Explain your program outcomes to show how you measure the program's success and effectiveness. If you anticipate any challenges, please explain how you plan to overcome them. (500 words)
5. How much funding are you requesting? Please describe specifically how you would use United Way funds for this project. What are your other sources of funding? How will you sustain this project after the grant period? (500 words)
6. Please explain your collaborative efforts with other partners. (200 words)
7. Do you have any additional information you would like to share?

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FAQ's:

Grant Timeline:

- United Neighborhoods Grant Applications are accepted from 3/1/2024 through 3/31/2024
- Grants are reviewed by a committee of volunteers and subject-matter experts.
- Funding decisions will be announced in June 2024.
- Five, \$10,000 grants will be awarded for a 12-month funding period, with payments being issued in 2 lump sums.

Q: Is it possible for multiple agencies to apply for funding as co-applicants?

A: Yes, partners are welcome to apply as co-applicants with the understanding that there is one grantee, who will be responsible for distributing funds to their co-applicant.

Q: Is there is a cap on the amount of funding a partner can request?

A: This grant cycle is awarding five \$10,000 awards.

Q: Is it possible to apply for multiple categories on one application?

A: No, a separate application should be submitted for each application.

Q: Is it possible to apply for Fall & Spring Funding?

A: You are welcome to apply in each cycle. Approval in one cycle does not preclude you from applying for or receiving another cycle of funding.

Q: Can agencies located outside of 46601, 46613, and 46614 apply for funding?

A: If the program applying for funds supports the residents living in the above-listed zip codes, the agency does not have to physically reside within the neighborhood outlined.

Q: Can currently funded programs (through United St. Joe County grants) apply for additional resources through United Neighborhoods?

A: Programs currently funded through United St. Joe County will not be considered for additional funding through the 2024 United Neighborhoods Grant Cycle. That restriction applies to the program, not the organization as a whole.