

GRANT APPLICATION

The **Women's Policy Forum of Tarrant County** is an organization of more than 100 influential women who investigate and support policies and initiatives that will create positive change for Tarrant County women and our community.

The Women's Policy Forum Foundation raises and distributes funds to support the mission of the Women's Policy Forum and raise community awareness of issues impacting women and children.

What to expect:

- Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.
- Applications are reviewed quarterly, and applicants will be notified of their status.
- The maximum grant amount is \$2,500. Please only ask for what you need to allow for funds to be distributed to others in need.
- Awardees will be invited to attend a Women's Policy Forum luncheon to receive their check.
- Awardees will be offered the opportunity to receive mentoring from members of Women's Policy Forum as it pertains to their area of expertise.
- Awardees will be invited back to a luncheon the following year to give a brief update on how the funds were used.

Eligibility Criteria:

• **Open to:** Individuals identifying as female, women-owned businesses, and nonprofit organizations focused on women/girls are welcome to apply.

(The program/project must serve 75% women/girls to qualify for funding.)

- **Local Focus:** Applicants must be located in and serve Tarrant County, Texas.
- **Diversity and Inclusion:** We do not fund activities involving any form of discrimination.
- Wait Period: If awarded, applicants must wait 2 years to reapply.

Submission Requirements:

- Individuals, Businesses, and Nonprofit Organizations may apply for funding and are required to provide proof of their status.
 - A student applying for funding for tuition or equipment must include student identification.
 - A business must provide proof of ownership.
 - A nonprofit must provide their IRS Determination Letter.
- All applicants must submit a maximum of one page detailing the following:
 - o Description of the organization, business, or individual
 - A description of what is needed.
 - An explanation of the cost of what is being requested.
 - A description of the difference the grant would make if received.

Checklist:

- ✓ Completed application with signature
- ✓ One-page request document (see next page)
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- ✓ IRS determination letter or business establishment documents
- ✓ Budget (if applicable)



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We invite you to submit the following information with appropriate documents via email to info@womenspolicyforum.org.

Name of	Address:
Organization:	
Contact	CEO/Owner
Person (&	Name:
Title):	
Contact's	CEO's
Phone:	email:
Contact's	EIN/Tax-
email:	Exempt #:

1. When was your nonprofit or business established? Include IRS documents.

2. What is your annual income? Select one and attach your annual budget if applicable.

- Under \$100,000
- \$500,001 -\$1,000,000
- \$100,001 \$250,000
 \$250,001 \$500,000
- □ \$1,000,001+
- 3. How many people are in your organization?
- 4. How much money are you requesting and how it will be used? If for a specific program, please provide a program budget.
- 5. Are you a woman-owned business, an organization that supports women and girls, or a female requesting funding to support your education or professional development? (Persons identifying as female qualify.) Please explain.
- 6. Do you agree to attend a Women's Policy Forum luncheon to receive your check if awarded? Yes / No
- 7. Do you agree to attend a follow-up meeting to report on how the funds were used and the difference that was made? Yes / No
- 8. If awarded, I agree to use the funds for the purposes defined in this application. Yes / No