



Agenda Item Summary Report

Meeting Date:
March 10, 2025

Submitted by:
Michelle Bailey Hedgepeth, Town Administrator

Item Title: FY 2025 Community Grant Process | March 2025

Introduction of the Community Grant Process for FY 2025 (Information Only)

Work Session Item [X]
Council Meeting Item [X]

Documentation Attached:
Grant Application FY 24
Revised Grant Application FY 25

Recommended Action:

Town staff has developed a revised application and process for FY 2025

Town of Bladensburg | FY 2025 COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM

Summary: The Town of Bladensburg is pleased to announce its FY 2025 Community Grant Program, where nonprofit organizations can apply for funds to support operational and capital projects. The application is accessible on the Town's website at www.bladensburgmd.gov and is due on **Wednesday, April 30, 2025**, by 3:30 PM to Regine Watson at clerk@bladensburgmd.gov.

The Town issues "operating grant" to support the day-to-day costs of running a non-profit organization. A "capital grant" funds nonprofit organizations to purchase equipment and related supplies or make capital improvements (renovations, remodeling, etc.). – Maximum Award \$2,000

Award Criteria:

1. Organizations that provide services that sustain and empower youth, families, and individuals to move towards an improved quality of life and self-sufficiency.
2. Organizations that provide programs that preserve and enhance a community's character.
3. Organizations that provide programs that contribute to a vibrant economy; or
4. Programs that are integral to community revitalization, economic development, and environmental sustainability.

The town administrator can answer any questions about this item.

Budgeted Item: Yes [X] No []
Budgeted Amount: \$ 12,000
One-Time Cost: \$2,000 per Awardee
Ongoing Cost:

Continued Date:

Council Priority: Yes [] No []

Approved Date: