



City of Columbus, Wisconsin  
Tourism – Room Tax Fund Reimbursement Grant Application

**Applicant's Information**

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**Organization Information**

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**Tax-Exempt:** Yes

Applying for: Total of \$2000 in Development Funding for improving the Wyvern's Trove facility to host tourism events. Wyvern's Trove will spend around \$6000 this year and have spent \$6500 on developing the facility. This will include \$2000 for poles and drape bars used for displays.

Use of Funds: Wyvern's Trove will be spending about \$6000 on a new heater/ac to improve the experience of museum visitors during extreme weather and is planning on hiring a carpenter to repair woodwork on the front of the building and the interior (price TBD, not requesting city funding for facade improvement as we are outside the downtown improvement area).

For the development of past events, we have purchased reusable items such as pole and drape stations for aiding museum displays (approx. \$1500), easels for the use of painters at the Open Air Art and Garden Events, continue to improve the yard and gardens to make them appeal to artists and visitors, approx. \$3000 for arbors, trees and perennials, and several hundred dollars every year for plants, mulch, etc., as well as continually improving displays, contents, etc. for the museum itself. We have acquired two pavilions / awnings for shelter for the outdoor painting event. (\$2000 for one pop-up and one custom canvas pavilion).

Additional poles and drape bars (approx. \$2000) will enable us to display more art for the Open-Air Art event, and for displaying more quilts at the Quilt Show and Sale but also allow us to improve displays for all our events, add backdrops, hang art, and generally improve the experience of museum visitors.

**Supporting Materials:**

- Photos of the building
- Planted Plum Tree photo
- Garden Photo



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Building Photos

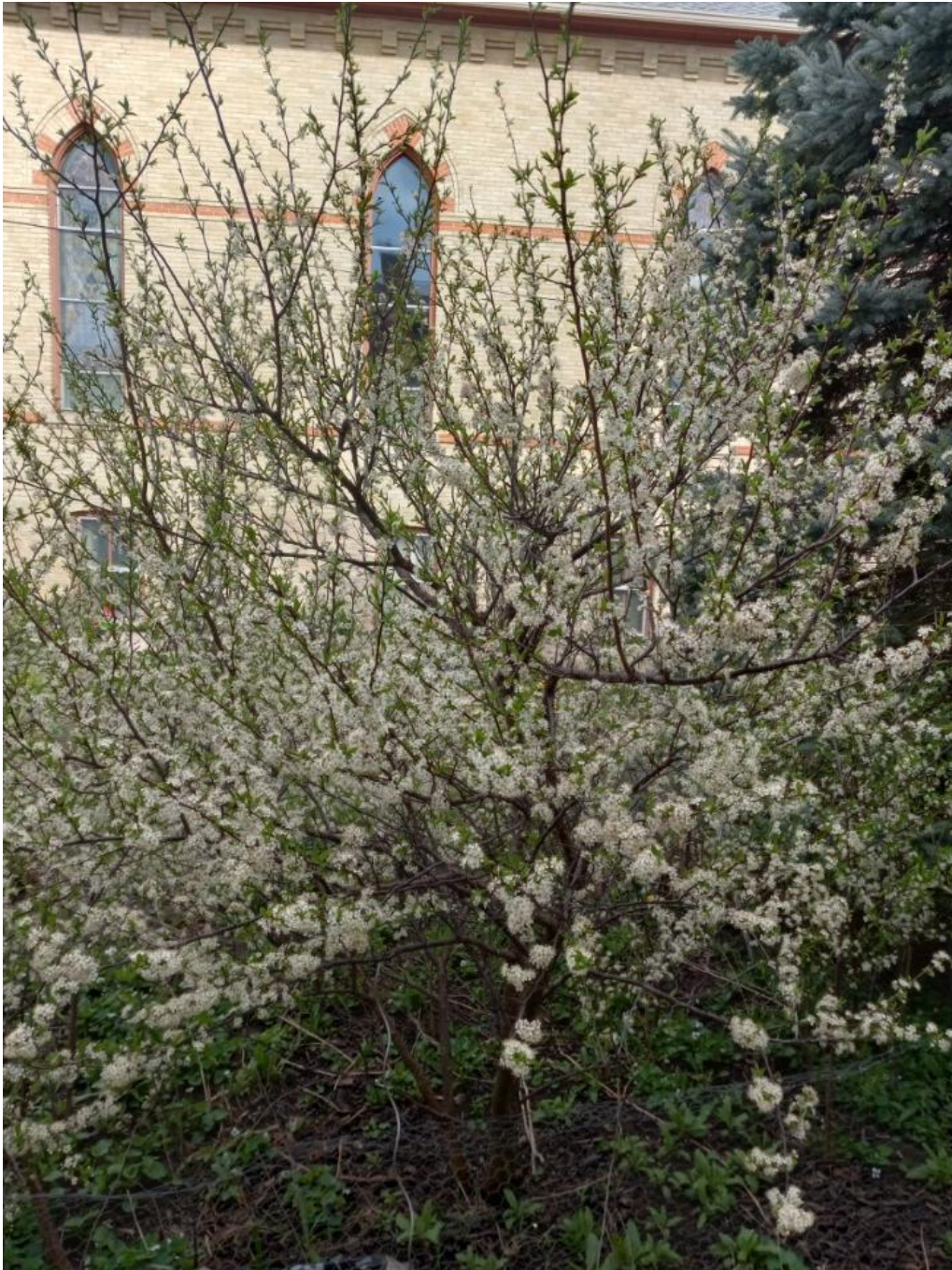


Planted Plum Tree





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