

## DDA ACTION

Approved \_\_\_\_\_

Denied \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Douglas Downtown Development Authority  
Community Events Grant Program Application**

**EVENT PRESENTER INFORMATION**Name: Helen F. DeGatanoName of Organization(s): Douglas Dutchers Base Ball ClubAddress: PO Box 885 / Douglas, MI. 49406Phone: 269-257-7055 Email: donrobinsnest@yahoo.comHow many years have you been in the Douglas Downtown Development Authority District? 21 years  
for the Club / 25 years for me.**EVENT INFORMATION** (use additional sheets if needed)Event Name: Base Ball Games - 2 other forms have

2024 June 22nd / 6pm : 7-13 / 2pm and already been submitted

Event Date(s): 8-17th / 2pm - to the City.Event Location: Beery Field

Describe your event in detail and how it will benefit the DDA District.

Games present 1865 Vintage Play.Anticipated Number of Attendees: @ 30 to 200 Fans

Attendees Demographics (ages, special interests, where are they coming from, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Clubs coming to play from MI. and IL.Estimated Number of Volunteers: @ 30 each Game.

Estimated Date/Time for Set-Up: \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated Date/Time for Clean-Up: \_\_\_\_\_

4:00 pm set up for June 22nd Game  
12:00 pm set up for July 13 and Aug 17th Game

List the local businesses involved and include how businesses are participating in the event: \_\_\_\_\_

N/A

List your methods to advertise and promote the event as well as downtown and local businesses: \_\_\_\_\_

On the vbba.org and douglasclutchers.org web sites, tourist books, newspapers, and Facebook.

Funding amount requested: \_\_\_\_\_ (Include an itemized budget for the total costs of the event)

#### DDA FUNDING HISTORY

1. Is this the first time you have applied for DDA funding for an event? Yes ☐ No ☒
2. If yes, how many times have you applied previously? Off and on over 21 years.
3. Is this a reoccurring event? Yes ☒ No ☐

NOTE: Organizations which received DDA event funding previously must make a final written report on the event including how DDA funds were used prior to consideration of a new application.

Have you submitted a Special Event Application to City Council for approval? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, was it approved? Yes ☐ No ☐

I believe that all 3 Games & Dates were  
Helen P. DeGatano 04-04-2024 approved.

Signature of Applicant

Date

ALL DECISIONS CONCERNING THE COMMUNITY EVENTS FUNDING PROGRAM APPLICATION PROCESS, INCLUDING ELIGIBILITY AND/OR CONTAINING ELIGIBILITY FOR FUNDING, ARE WITHIN THE SOLE DISCRETION OF THE DDA BOARD AND ARE FINAL.

Please return application and supporting documentation to:

City of Douglas  
Downtown Development Authority  
86 West Center, PO Box 757  
Douglas, Michigan 49406

Request Marketing money  
in amount of receipt attached  
from Sadler Insurance  
Company.

\* Note:  
1st 2 Games were  
approved in Dec. 2023.

2nd application was  
sent to City in Jan. 2024

Attached letter and receipt  
- along with Certificate of  
Insurance / Also attached  
is receipt for paid Insurance

COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION IN ITS ENTIRETY; INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE REVIEWED.

PLEASE RETAIN A COPY OF THIS ENTIRE APPLICATION FOR YOUR RECORDS.



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base balls

baseball

basket stuff

BASKETS

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Chicago Move!

cooking

coupons

Cousins

DDA, ETC

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el about 6pm,

Family - Italian

financial stuff

GAMES 2022

Grants!!!!!!

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Italian Club - SW MI

Italy

Marywood

Marywood Academy

Marywood Alum

MDA

mstewartstuff

non profit items

Notes

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personal assistant

RON

SAM

SAUGATUCK WOMA...

SEASON 2022

Sent Messages

TECH

VBBA Board

vbbf

web stuff

winter trip



Matt Gritter

matthewgritter@gmail.c

Helen

Hi Helen,

Below is the receipt for the insurance payment. Attached is the certificate c  
can just drop a check in the mail to me....

Thanks!  
Matt

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Auto-Receipt <noreply@mail.authorize.net>

Date: Fri, Mar 29, 2024 at 10:55 AM

Subject: Transaction Receipt from Sadler & Company Inc for \$668.66 (USD)

To: Matthew Gritter <matthewgritter@gmail.com>

This confirms that you have successfully submitted payment information to Sadle

Order Information

Description: Payment for soda  
Invoice Number 415858  
Customer ID 415858

Billing Information

Matthew Gritter  
4621 Pine Dr  
Holland, MI 49423  
[matthewgritter@gmail.com](mailto:matthewgritter@gmail.com)

Shipping Information

Item	Name	Description	Qty	Taxable	Unit Pric
Item 1	Payment for soda		1	N	\$668.66 (US)

Tota

Payment Information

Date/Time: 29-Mar-2024 10:55:41 EDT  
Transaction ID: 80360159429  
Payment Method: ~~Visa XXXX0000~~  
Transaction Type: Purchase  
Auth Code: 06265D

Merchant Contact Information

Sadler & Company Inc  
Columbia, SC 29205  
US  
[info@sadlersports.com](mailto:info@sadlersports.com)

It has been our pleasure providing you this automated payment option serviced t  
you have any questions, please call Sadler Sports Insurance at 1-800-622-7370.  
payment.

[Download all attachments as a zip file](#)



Douglas Du... .pdf



Village of D... .pdf



Check mailed  
to Matt Gritter  
Retired Player  
and Captain of  
The Douglas  
Dutchers  
Base Bal Club



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2007 Schedule

2007 VBBA CONVENTION...

2007 VBBA Matches (...)

2008 Season

2009 Season

2010 Season

2011 Season

2012 Disney

2012 Season

2013 Season

2014 Season

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2018 Season

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**Matt Gritter**

[matthewgritter@gmail.com](mailto:matthewgritter@gmail.com)

(616) 920-0456

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2007 VBBA CONVEN...

2007 VBBA Matches (...)

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[SODA Application] Verification of Coverage

Y&R Online ☆ ☆



**Sadler Sports**

📧 Fri, Mar 29 at 10:55 AM ☆

From: sport3@sadlersports.com  
To: ronrobbinsnest@yahoo.com

Congratulations, Your SODA Insurance Application Has Been Processed!

IMPORTANT---SAVE THIS EMAIL! You will not receive documents via the US mail, however, you will be able to access your information here 24/7.

[CLICK HERE](#) to access all of your necessary documents including

- Verification of Coverage
- Certificates of Insurance
- Claim Forms
- Self-Issue Option for Future Certificates
- Add Teams

Please review all documents for accuracy and notify us immediately of any necessary changes.

[CLICK HERE](#) to access our Risk Management Library.

**Free Starbucks Card!** If you just [click here](#), I'll explain it all.

Sadler Sports & Recreation Insurance  
PO Drawer 5866  
Columbia, SC 29250  
[Docs@sadlersports.com](mailto:Docs@sadlersports.com)

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## CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)  
03/29/2024

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER  
SADLER & COMPANY, INC.  
P.O. BOX 5866  
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA 29250-5866

CONTACT NAME: Sports Dept  
PHONE (A/ C, No, Ext): 800-622-7370 FAX (A/ C, No): 803-256-4017  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: soda@sadlersports.com  
PRODUCER CUSTOMER ID#:

INSURED  
D/ B/ A SPORTSPLEX OPERATORS AND DEVELOPERS ASSOCIATION  
Douglas Dutchers Base Ball Club  
PO Box 885  
Douglas, MI 49406  
Club #: C.94507

## INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE

NAIC #

INSURER A: State National Insurance Company 12831  
INSURER B: SeriousPoint America Company 38776  
INSURER C:  
INSURER D:

## COVERAGES

## CERTIFICATE NUMBER

## REVISION NUMBER

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED, NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN. THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSO LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSR	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
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	<b>AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY</b> <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> NON- OWNED AUTOS			n/ a	n/ a	n/ a	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea Accident) \$1,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) BODILY INJURY (Per accident) PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)
A	<input type="checkbox"/> SEXUAL ABUSE / MOLESTATION			n/ a	n/ a	n/ a	EACH OCCURRENCE \$1,000,000 AGGREGATE \$2,000,000
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	<b>WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY</b> ANY PROPRIETOR / PARTNER / EXECUTIVE OFFICER / MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below			N/ A			<input type="checkbox"/> PER STATUE <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT
B	<b>PARTICIPANT ACCIDENT</b>			PHSA-BAMH-10089-23-C.94507	12:01AM ET 04/11/2024	12:01AM ET 04/11/2025	EXCESS MEDICAL \$100,000 AD&D \$10,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (Attach ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

RE: COVERED Team(s) - Adult - Accident & General Liability  
Baseball - 1 Team(s) - [Maximum 20 players per team]

Team Names:

- Baseball Teams: Douglas Dutchers Base Ball Club

(Adult Team Accident As Part of Package: \$100,000 Excess Medical; \$10,000 Accidental Death or Dismemberment; \$500 per claim deductible; Physical Therapy & Chiropractic Visits - 5 Visits Maximum @ \$50 Per Visit; Hospitalization - Inpatient & Outpatient - \$1,000 Maximum; Surgeon's Benefits - \$2,500 Maximum; Anesthesia And Assistant Surgeon - Maximum of 25% Surgeon's Benefits; Emergency Room - \$500 Maximum; Physician Visits - \$50 Maximum Per Visit)  
(Adult Team General Liability as Part of Package: \$2,000,000 Each Occurrence; \$1,000,000 Participant Legal Liability Sublimit; \$1,000,000 Neurodegenerative Sublimit; Waiver/ Release Recommended)

The certificate holder is added as an additional insured, but only with respect to the liability arising out of the operations of the insured above.

## CERTIFICATE HOLDER

## CANCELLATION

RELATIONSHIP:  
Property Owner/ Lessor

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

City of the Village of Douglas  
86 W Center St  
Douglas, MI 49406

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE (company A)

Sadler Sports: SODA

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE (company B)

*John Sully*

Coverage is only extended to U.S. events and activities

\*\* NOTICE TO TEXAS INSUREDS: The insurer for the purchasing group may not be subject to all the insurance laws and regulations of the State of Texas.

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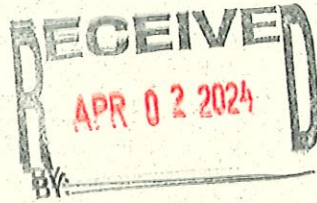
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Vintage Base Ball  
Association  
vbba.org



Douglas Dutchers  
Base Ball Club

03-29-2024

To The City Manager, The City Council,  
and The Downtown Development Authority,

As we look towards another  
exciting year of Vintage Ball in the Village  
of the City of Douglas, we hope that you will  
be able to provide marketing money to our  
Club. We will once again have three Home  
Games, but will represent our great City in  
other locations in 2024.

Enclosed please find The Bill and  
paid receipt for The Douglas Dutchers Base Ball  
Club to The Village of The City of Douglas.

Also enclosed is the paid receipt for  
the Insurance paid on 03-29-2024.

We would appreciate hearing from  
Douglas as soon as is possible. Thank you for  
your continued support!

Hurrah,

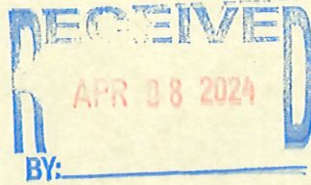
Helen F. DeBeatano

PO Box 885 • Douglas, MI 49406 • 269.857.7055  
ronrobbinsnest@yahoo.com • www.douglasdutchers.org

Founder/Owner

of The Douglas Dutchers Base Ball Club





Douglas Butchers  
Base Ball Club

04-04-2024

Laura,

Please attach paperwork and  
Certificate of Insurance with receipt  
of paid insurance to this application.

Please reply to me following  
presentation to Committee.

Thank You,

Helen F. DeBartano